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NEW COMPLAINT MADE.

JUDGE DEMEZA SAYS HE IS TIRED OF DISMISSING CHARGES.

Complainant Failed to Appear, and Warrant Issued for His Arrest—Prisoner Discharged and Then Rearrested.

The city court was the scene of a lively tilt, yesterday afternoon, between the presiding judge and Former Councilman Walter L. Hetfield. The trouble arose out of one of the cases that came before the Judge for trial.

Several days ago, Patrick Wallace, Robert Wallace, Michael Crowley and John Hammill were arrested on the charge of assaulting John F. O'Halloran in Vail's woods on West Fourth street. They were held in $200 bail for trial yesterday afternoon, but being unable to furnish the required bail all but Crowley were confined in jail in Elizabeth. Crowley furnished bail. In the meantime there was a conference between Mr. Hetfield, who represented the prisoners, and Mr. O'Halloran, the complainant. Finally O'Halloran declared that he thought that his assailants had been punished sufficiently and appeared before City Judge DeMeza yesterday morning stating that he wanted to withdraw the complaint.

The Judge does not believe in withdrawing complaints. He thinks that when they are once made they should be pressed to an end and the real offenders discovered. He has in several insances done this in cases that have come before the city court and compelled the complainants to appear and testify. Sometimes the trouble has been proved to have been started by the complainant who made the complaint to cover his own guilt. So it was that the Judge told Mr. Hetfield that if he did allow the complaint to be withdrawn, he would instruct the police to make another against the men and he would investigate the matter thoroughly.

Yesterday at 2:30 o'clock the prisoners were arraigned before the Judge. He called for the complainant and as he did not appear declared the complaint dismissed. The prisoners were immediately re-arrested and a warrant was issued for the arrest of O'Halloran. The charge made against them all was of quarrelling and fighting and being disorderly. The complaint was made by Sergeant Kiely.

Mr. Hetfield was present and made a vigorous speech in which he declared the re-arrest of the prisoners was an outrage. He said that Sergeant Kiely had no right to make a complaint, as he had not been at the scene of the trouble. Then he said that the second complaint was sprung on him unawares. He was very certain that if there had been any trouble that it was in Middlesex county and not in the city limits. He asked that the case be set down for week after next and that the prisoners be released on light bail.

The Judge stopped the Sergeant, who wanted to reply, and made his explanation of the facts already stated. He set the bail at $200 again and set down the trial for two weeks from yesterday. An argument followed and Mr. Hetfield demanded a jury for the trial.

LESSONS IN FRENCH

Practical Study Because No English is Spoken in the Classroom.

Dr. Warde, principal of the New Jersey Military Academy, has started the French classes at the academy. They will be held on Tuesday and Thurday afternoons from 4:30 to 5:30 o'clock in the parlors of the Military Academy. The terms for the instruction in French are very reasonable, twenty lessons for $10. The instruction will be by Prof. Lacasse, one of the instructors at the academy, a graduate of the University of Paris. Before coming to Plainfield, Prof. Lacasse has only taught at the Berlitz School of Languages in Washington and New York since he came to this country. The number of pupils in the class is limited, and now only five vacancies remain so application should be made at once. No English is spoken in the classroom and the boys of the New Jersey Military Academy are already speaking French.

Transfer of a License.

City Judge DeMeza made application yesterday in the Court of Common Pleas at Somerville before Judge Bartine for the transfer of the license for a wholesale beer bottling establishing from Gustav Sutterlin to Mark Schoellen, of Green Brook.

Realty Changes.

The following real estate transfers have been recorded in the Somerset County Clerk's office from North Plainfield: Edwin F. Titus to Andrew Lane, Jr., North Plainfield, $8,000.00; Andrew Lane, Jr., et ux to Annie L. Titus, North Plainfield, $8,000.00.

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AWARDED $15 FOR DEAD DOG

William Demler Gets Satisfaction For the Annihilation of His Canine.

Poor doggy, he never realized what trouble he would cause. Yesterday afternoon the suit brought by his owner, William Demler, against Ralph Bullman, his slayer, was tried at Justice Speer's court, in Washingtonville, and the poor dog was valued at $15 by the representative of the law. The slayer was also ordered to pay the costs of the action.

The story of the dog has already been exclusively related in The Press. It was shot by young Bullman, who is employed on the farm of William H. Smith, of Washington Valley. Smith is also the owner of the sandstone quarry in the valley. Demler brought suit in tort, through his attorneys, McNabb & Clark. Bullman was represented by Pope & Runyon.

The trial was a lively one and both lawyers indulged in several wordy tilts. The counsel for the defence claimed that the papers were not correct but the Justice would not agree to it. Then they threatened to certiorari the case to the Supreme Court. A verdict was finally given for $15 and costs but neither side is willing to let the case stand as it is at present.

Pope & Runyon stated that they contemplated starting action against Demler and Constable Steward for trespass in the Bernardsville court for William H. Smith, the owner of the farm. The ground for the alleged trespass, they claim, is that Demler and Steward hunted throught the fields of Smith's farm to find all that was mortal of Demler's hound.

FAVOR COUNTY TROLLEY

ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING OVER FRANK BERGEN'S PROPOSITION.

Resolutions Passed Favoring an Electric Railroad on the County Road if it Can Be Widened to One Hundred Feet.

Several hundred citizens of Union county shouted themselves hoarse last evening over the proposed plan of Frank J. Bergen to convert the county road into a boulevard, a hundred feet wide, with a trolley road owned by the county between two roadways.

There has been considerable talk ever the plan as suggested by that great trolley advocate and much has been said for and against the scheme. The Press has already published a cut of the proposed roadway as drawn by Frank J. Hubbard, the engineer.

Last night was the time set for the public meeting at the court-house in Elizabeth to consider the scheme and its advisability. The court house was crowded with citizens from all over the county. Among the prominent Plainfielders on the scene were Sheriff Kirk, Assemblyman W. R. Codington, James A. Pope and Roger F. Murray. Most of the members of the Freeholders of the county were in attendance but they did not commit themselves.

The chairman of the meeting was former Freeholder West, of Elizabeth. The meeting was a unanimous one and if there was any opposition it was not shown there.

A series of resolutions were passed unanimously. The first stated that it was the sense of the meeting that no trolley should be placed on the county road between Elizabeth and Plainfield while the road was in its present condition. The second resolution stated that it was the sense of the meeting that the county road should be widened to a hundred feet and a double-track trolley road be built there by the county, provided on investigation that it was found to be feasible and profitable to the county.

Another resolution provided for the appointment of a committee of eleven to inquire into the matter and report to another public meeting of citizens at the court-house on Oct. 21st. The chairman withheld his appointments until he should have time to consider the best men for the committee. His appointments will be announced later.

Stone Thrown at a Train.

Just after the passenger train arriving here at 9:45 a. m. passed Elizabeth this morning a stone came crashing through a window in one of the coaches, the missile evidently having been thrown by someone standing near the track. A piece of flying glass struck a passenger and cut one of his ears so that it bled profusely. The passenger got off the train when it arrived in this city.

A Happy Pair.

In one of the large show windows of the Plainfield Cycle and SportingGoods Co., are to be seen a raccoon and a dog, which are owned by Edward Campbell. The two animals were brought up together, and are exceedingly tame and playful. They are confined in a cage and seem to enjoy their place.

THE NEW REFORMATORY

WORK PROGRESSING SLOWLY ON ACCOUNT OF LITTLE MONEY.

It Will Be Used For the Improvement of the Morals of Juvenile Offenders by Instruction Rather Than Punishment.

The work on the New Jersey State Reformatory, now being constructed at Rahway, along the line of the Union and Middlesex Electric Railway, near the banks of the Rahway river, is progressing slowly, mainly on account of the smallness of the appropriation made by the last Legislature. The grounds are located about one mile from the Rahway station, on what is known as the old Thomas Edgar homestead, now belonging to the State. The land is level and the soil (a clayey loam) dry. The property extends 600 feet on Hazlewood avenue and its depth on Rahway avenue is 3,500 feet, the whole containing 33.44 acres. The greater part of the property is situated in Middlesex county.

About two years ago the project of building this intermediate prison, or reformatory, was agitated by ex-Governor Werts and other State officials, as well as by various organizations whose object it was to improve the morals of juvenile offenders, with a view to their instruction rather than punishment merely. The bill authorizing its construction was passed March 28th, 1894, with a preliminary appropriation of $100,000, and in the following April the Governor appointed six commissioners to take charge of the construction. The estimated cost of the reformatory is $600,000, although Secretary Thomas M. Gopsill says that $670,000 will be needed, exclusive of convict labor.

The new reformatory, when completed, will cover five acres of ground and furnish accommodations for 1,000 prisoners. From the front it will look like two long wings converging towards a central building with a high dome, the wings and the main building forming the centre of a long, high brick wall. Directly in front of the main building will be the quarters of the reformatory officials. At the head of this building will be a circular driveway from which two arms will extend to the right and left of the reformatory grounds, and on either side of the circular driveway will be a house for the wardens. Four long, wide arms will extend from the main building, and in these the cells will be located, which, according to the specifications, will be graded and will be made of different sizes. Back of the central building will be a drill yard for the inmates, surrounded by a wall one-story high and completely shut off from the other buildings. On the left hand side, beyond the wall, will be shops for practical instruction in manual labor, and a foundry; in the rear a physical culture hall and a dining room and a building for the officers; on the right hand side a hospital, chapel and school-rooms. A little further out on the left hand side of the one-story wall will be located a trade-shool and a building for the solitary confinement of refractory prisoners.

HIS SMILES AND TALK MADE FUN.

A Y. M. C. A. Audience Humorously Entertained by Marshall P. Wilder.

Marshall P. Wilder, the well-known humorist, appeared at the Y. M. C. A. hall, last evening, and kept an audience that comfortably filled the hall in a continual roar. He was accompanied by a pianist who rendered several selections during the intervals in Mr. Wilder's talk. Mr. Wilder was as funny as ever. He had a hard task to perform for everybody expected him to make them laugh, but he performed the feat with ease.

Mr. Wilder is, as almost everybody knows, a dwarf. But his hearers forgot all about his personal appearance when he began to talk. He has a pleasant face that is frequently lighted up by a very attractive smile. There is something contagious about the smile. He smiles when he relates something funny and it really adds to the effect.

Besides a host of humorous anecdotes, he recited several selections of a serious nature and paid a pretty compliment to the women in a short poem. Some of his funny things were not appreciated by all and sometimes as the humor began to dawn on the audience they would have to interrupt his next story to laugh at the last.

Mr. Wilder has a wonderful faculty of facial imitation. His face during some of his stories was more than sufficent to send the audience into laughter. His exhibition of ventriloquism was good while his representation of the different varieties of the snore were side-splitting in their effects.

Superintendent Wightman, of the North Plainfield Public High School, is an ardent wheelman and frequently enjoys a ride when the time permits.

FREED FROM HIS CAGE.

JULIUS DELMOTTE FOLLOWS HIS PRISONED PETS TO FREEDOM.

A Victim of the Jersey Game Law—Sentence 17 Days Above the Limit—Suit May Be Brought Against the Justice.

Judge J. B. Bartine yesterday discharged Julius Delmotte, who was in a cell behind the Somerset court house serving the second day of his term of 107 days for keeping five robins in a cage.

Sheriff Wyckoff immediately freed Delmotte, who went away with his counsel, John A. Frech, and last night he slept in a comfortable bed in the Commercial House.

As told in The Press yesterday, Delmotte was sentenced by Justice Chas. Austin, of Warrenville. The section of the game law covering the offense reads:

That it shall be unlawful to capture, kill or injure or have in possession after the same have been captured, killed or injured, any night-hawk, whippoorwill, thrush, meadow-lark, finch, martin, barn swallow, woodpecker, robin, réd or cardinal bird, cedar bird, tanager, or other insectiverous bird, under a penalty of $20 for every bird so captured, killed, injured, or had in possession.

Delmotte is a small Frenchman with a love for birds. During the summer he has been caretaker for William Van Buren at Mount Bethel, in the Watchung mountains, eight miles away.

One day he found a nest of robins, took them home and put them in a cage. He was so proud of them that he exhibited them, and he showed them to one man too many. That man turned informer and told Israel Ten Eyck, a game warden.

"I only had the robins five days," said Delmotte to a correspondent, "when a friend told me it was against the law to keep them, so I let them go. Two days afterwards I was arrested and charged with having had five robins.

"I had four and I said so. They were well kept and happy. They had a large cage and plenty to eat and drink. I do not believe they are so well off now."

The prisoner was taken before Justice Austin, who fined him $107, and sent him to the county jail in Somerville. According to the law the informer gets one third of the amount imposed, the game warden gets one third and the great State of New Jersey gets the remaining third.

Delmottee arrived yesterday and Lawyer Frech took an interest in the case. He examined the commitment papers, saw two large loopholes for escape and had his client taken before Judge Bartine, the county law judge.

The lawyer argued that the Justice had no right to sentence the man to more than ninety days, "or until fine and costs were paid." The latter clause was not in the commitment papers, simply a sentence of 107 days.

Another point was that the prisoner had appealed from the Justice's sentence and had filed a bond for $214, which had been accepted by the same Justice. Afterwards he sent the man to the county jail.

Judge Bartine upheld the lawyer and ordered Delmotte set free.

Mr. Frech said afterwards that he had prepared papers for a suit for $1,000 damages against Justice Austin in behalf of Delmotte for false imprisonment.

He bases the suit on the fact, he says, that the Justice sent Delmotte to jail after the case had been appealed to a higher court and had passed out of his jurisdiction.

Delmotte was very grateful. Work will be found for him on a farm near this city. He says he will never keep a bird in a cage again—not even a canary.

JUNIOR ENDEAVOR OFFICERS.

Trinity Church Society Prepare For Active Work This Winter.

The Junior Christian Endeavor Society of Trinity Reformed church held its first fall and winter meeting yesterday afternoon with forty-nine members in attendance. The nominating committee, consisting of Miss Olive Wikoff, Clarence VanDoren, Lida Wyman, Ada VanDoren and Katie Bodine, presented the following list of officers for the coming year and they were unanimously elected: President, Lida Wyman; first vice-president, Hattie Randall; second vice-president, Albert Yaeger; secretary, Clarence VanDoren; treasurer, Bessie Reighton.

Mrs. Cornelius Schenck, the efficient superintendent, was re-elected, and Miss Olive Wikoff, her faithful assistant, was also continued in office.

—The fact that Spicer & Hubbard have been for over thirty years doing business in the same location—corner of Madison avenue and West Third street—is the best testimonial they can receive. Their work is always satisfactory. Read their new advertisement in today's Press.

GIRLS WILD CONDUCT.

Not Content With Telling False Stories They Now Runaway From Home.

Miss Ella Long and Miss Mary Kliner are two Plainfield girls who are causing their parents and friends considerable anxiety, and are keeping everybody guessing as to what they will do next.

On Tuesday they came home from New York city and announced that they had been married to Samuel and William Dennick, two brothers living at 572 Lexington avenue. The story of the marriage has since been contradicted by the Dennicks.

Not content with the stir which their well told story had caused their families, the two girls immediately hit upon other means of attracting attention to themselves. On Wednesday night they ran away to Newark and have not yet returned. Mamie Kliner, who is only 15 years of age, and of a pretty brunette type, has caused much anxiety to her mother and stepfather, Mr. and Mrs. Lazzi, of 28 Watchung avenue. She left home on Wednesday afternoon saying that she intended visiting a cousin in Somerville.

Yesterday Mrs. Lazzi received the following postal card:

Newark.

Dear Mama: I thought I would write and let you know I am in Newark with Ella untill Sunday or Saturday. I am at Elias sisters. Dont get mad. I went at half past four.

from Mamie.

Mrs. Lazzi says that Miss Long has no sister in Newark, and she is afraid that her girl is in bad company.

Unless Mamie and Ella return tomorrow the parents of both girls will probably ask the aid of the police in bringing them home again.

OLD FIREMEN VISIT HERE

AND MAKE A PRESENTATION TO THE EXEMPT ASSOCIATION.

Entertained With a Sumptuous Spread at Blimm's Hotel and Afterward Enjoyed Sociability at the Exempts' Headquarters

A pleasant event in fire department circles occurred last evening when ex-Chief Bates, of the New York Fire Department, accompanied by George A. Knott and A. I. Brush, of the old Volunteer Department, of New York, came to Plainfield to visit the members of the Exempt Firemen's Association and members of the old Volunteer Department. The visitors were met at the North Avenue station by Jacob Blimm, D. W. Littell, Henry W. Force, R. B. Rogers and Auguste Saltzman, who acted as a special committee from the Exempt Association. They were escorted to Blimm's Hotel where a fine supper was served. At the close the members adjourned to the rooms of the Exempt firemen where there was a number present to receive the visitors.

After an exchange of sociability, George A. Knott, on behalf of the New York Volunteer Association, presented the Exempt Association with an elegant fire-front in a glass case 2x6 feet high and 18 inches wide. The presentation was accompanied by a well-worded speech, and was responded to by Auguste Saltzman, on behalf of the Exempt Association, and by Chief T. O. Doane, on behalf of the Volunteer Association.

This was followed with several speeches by those present and a general social time was enjoyed, after which the members adjourned to Caspar's Hotel for a time. This was followed with a trolley ride to the mountain. The visitors returned home on the 11:26 train and expressed themselves as being highly pleased with their visit. The Plainfield members expressed their gratitude for the handsome gift, and it will occupy a prominent place in their rooms.

The inscription on the fire front reads as follows:

"Presented by the Volunteer Firemen's Association, of the City of New York, to the Exempt and Active Firemen, of Plainfield, N. J., for their Hospitality on October 3d, 1896."

It will be remembered that on the above date that the Plainfield members entertained the New York volunteers in this city, and the gift is in recognition of that event.

Dr. Stearns Coming Back.

Rev. D. M. Stearns who has been traveling abroad in the interest of foreign missions, will return to his home in Germantown next week and will meet his Bible class at the Y. M. C. A in this city on Monday evening, October 2?th. Until then Rev. George C. Needham will meet the class as usual.

The Juniors Anniversary.

Final arrangements were made last evening by the members of Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., for their anniversary exercises to be held Wednesday evening, October 6th. The event will be one of the best in the history of this flourishing Council.

PYTHIAN ANNIVERSARY.

GOODWILL LODGE PASSES ITS FIRST YEAR OF EXISTENCE.

The Occasion Marked By a Reception, Drill and Dance in the Cycle Academy—Many Guests From Out of Town.

The first anniversary of Goodwill Lodge, No. 15, K. of P., was held last evening in the Pierce Cycle Academy, and the whole affair was a complete success. The first feature of the evening's programme was the reception of the members of Cypress Commandery, No. 6, K. T., of this city, who were invited to be present. They were met by Grand District Deputy Grant Cannon, Grand Lecturer J. H. Morgan and Past Grand Chancellor J. H. Huggs, of Goodwill Lodge. Both lodges assembled on the spacious floor and while Prof. Vanderveer's orchestra played a favorite march, the uniformed men gave a most creditable exhibition drill.

Following there was a short address of welcome by Grand Lecturer J. H. Morgan, and the response was made by Past Grand Commander William Douglass, of the K. T., of New Jersey.

The next part on the programme was the grand march which was led by William Douglass and lady. This was a pleasing feature and was followed by general dancing. There was a large number of people present from Newark, Jersey City, Camden, Bordentown, Paterson, New York, Westfield, Cranford and Fairnaven, Mass.

The lodge was instituted September 21, 1896, by Grant Cannon with twenty-three charter members. Today the membership is thirty-six and is increasing steadily under the direction of the following officers:

L. L. Croom, P. C.; W. D. Johnson, C. C.; James Groves, V. C.; W. A. Kline, K. R. S.; Peter Robinson, M. F.; A. E. Butler, M. Ex.; W. Downs, Prelate; James Scott, O. G.; Henry Williams, I. G.; Frank DeHart, M. A.; G. C. Cannon, D. D. It is the intention of the members to organize a court of women as an auxiliary at an early date, and they will no doubt be a great help to the lodge.

To the following committees is due great credit for the able manner in which the anniversary was arranged: Committee of arrangements, L. L. Croom, A. E. Butler, W. A. Kline, Wm. Downs, James Scott, Henry Williams, Theodore Hooper, Ben Heywood, Robert Norwood. Committee on reception, J. A. Saunders, Charles Jefferson, Frank DeHart, J. Barrett, H. Smith, Oscar TenEyck. Committee on refreshments, Mrs. Jas. Scott, Mrs. Frank DeHart, Mrs. A. E. Butler, Mrs. W. A. Kline, Mrs. Peter Robinson, Mrs. Louis Peterson, Mrs. Wm. Downs, Mrs. Charles Jefferson, Mrs. Emma Webster and Mrs. Cruse. The soda water was in charge of J. Barrett, Henry Frisbie and Oscar TenEyck, while Wm. Downs and Henry Williams attended to the ice-cream. In the check room were Charles Jefferson and Ben Heywood, and A. E. Butler had charge of the door. The supper was arranged and in charge of Mrs. James Scott, and the menu was especially fine, consisting of everything seasonable.

It was rather early this morning when the enjoyable affair terminated, but all agreed that the first anniversary was a red-letter mark in the history of this enterprising order.

DEFECT IN THE ALARM SYSTEM.

Discovered By Chief David Bodine and Remedied By Electrician Stahl.

Early last evening the boreugh fire alarm gave the officials of the fire department some trouble. At the corner of Grandview avenue and Somerset street Chief David Bodine, of Warren Engine Company, and W. Demarest, of the Prideville department, met, and the lat er asked the former to show him Box 143 at that corner and explain the workings of the same for his own benefit. Chief Bodine opened the box and at once the fire bell sounded once. This puzzled the two firemen and they waited for additional blows, which they failed to hear. Mr. Bodine then shut the door of the box and opened it again, when there was another blow. Electrician Julius Stahl was sent for and a close examination of the box was made. It was discovered that in the upper right-hand corner of the box there was a slight break, which caused the trouble. The difficulty was repaired and everytning is now all right.

Wrenched Her Ankle.

Mrs. Curtis, of Grove street, met with a slight accident last evening, while riding her wheel. She is a novice, and in trying to turn a corner she did not give herself enough room, and collided with a wagon. She fell from her wheel and slightly wrenched her ankle. She was able to walk home.

PEARY'S BIG METEORITE

It Weighs 100 Tons and Looks Like Any Old Iron.

ESKIMOS ARRIVED WITH IT

This Is Hot Weather for the Inhabitants of the North, and They Wear Their Summer Clothes of Seal and Bear Skins.

Brooklyn, Oct. 1.—The steamship Hope, from the Arctic regions, is on view at the East River dock, near the big bridge. She was docked yesterday afternoon, and one of the first persons to board her was Lieut. Peary. The Hope brought with her a meteorite weighing 100 tons.

The Hope reached her pier at the foot of Dock street and made fast shortly after 2 o'clock. The first men aboard were Lieut. Peary, one of his companions on a former expedition, and a customs officer. The black hull of the curious ship was watched by crowds from the passing ferryboats and from the bridge, almost overhead.

The six Eskimos exhibited a row of round, red, perspiring faces as they leaned over the ship's side. All wore the Summer garments of their country. Their coats were of yellow and

LIEUT. PEARY.

gray hair sealskin. Their knickerbockers were made of the long white fur of the polar bear, with plain leather leggings. Four Eskimo dogs, warm and panting, stretched themselves on the deck.

As the first visitors made their way aboard interest centred in the great meteorite stored amidships. The hatchway was open, and after the covering of sailcloth was off, the mass of steel was eagerly inspected. It was shaped like a saddle, hanging over a great central beam, and reaching out to other braces fore and aft.

Like a Beaten Kettle.

The surface was like the black beaten iron of an old rusty kettle, but scratches showed the color of the steel beneath.

When the Hope goes to the Navy Yard on Saturday the meteorite will be lifted out by jack screws and lowered by an inclined plane, just as it was put in place at Cape York, Greenland. It will probably be disposed of to one of the museums, but whether the Smithsonian or one of this city or Chicago will take it is not yet determined.

Lieut. Peary said that the six Eskimos were here to arrange a collection of relics of their tribe, gathered in his last three expeditions, and would return to the north in the Spring.

"Cape Sabine," said Lieut. Peary, "is at latitude 78.44.11, our farthest point north. It is the key to the sound beyond, and in the last six years I have studied the local conditions there with a view to entering the sound at favorable seasons, when wind and tide hold off the ice that infringes there. I was the first man to step into Camp Clay since Greely left it. We were there on Aug. 24. This was my seventh expedition."

INTER-STATE BREACH OF PROMISE.

Loved in One, Engaged in Another, and Married in Connecticut.

Scranton, Oct. 1.—Miss Laura Thompson, daughter of Charles A. Thompson, contractor and builder in New York City, has commenced breach of promise proceedings in the Lackawanna County courts against Dr. William Donald H. Namar, a practicing physician in this city. She asks damages in $5,000.

Miss Thompson, in her declaration, says she became acquainted with Dr. Namar in March, 1895, when she was 22 years old, and that in July following an engagement of marriage was entered into between them. This engagement was publicly announced to friends of both, and there was an exchange of photographs and presents. The defendant, she alleges, also borrowed sums of money from her at various times, assuring her he was expecting large sums to fall to him through inheritance in time from wealthy relatives.

In the Fall of 1896 she says Namar left New York, going to Hartford, Ct., still continuing in letters his fidelity to her, but in January last she learned from him that he was paying attentions to another, Miss Sadie Elder, and despite her protests that he should keep his engagement with her, married Miss Elder.

Fitz Should Fight Again.

New York, Oct. 1.—The sporting fraternity generally thinks that Fitzsimmons should accept Corbett's offer of $15,000, win or lose, if he will fight him again for the championship. This is the first offer of this kind that has ever been made by an ex-champion to the champion since the fighting business was first started, and unless Fitzsimmons accepts a challenge from Corbett there is no telling how soon Lanky Bob's name will be scratched from the pugilistic index.

Prof. Von Holst Naturalized.

Chicago, Oct. 1.—Prof. Herrmann Eduard Von Holst has become an American citizen. The famous historian and professor at the University of Chicago went before Judge Neely and renounced allegiance to all foreign potentates, and to the Czar of Russia in particular.

MAY BE A CUBAN CRISIS

Spain's New Ministry Will Be More Conciliatory.

HAS CUBA OFFERED TERMS?

Minister Woodford Has Not Communicated with Washington, Which Is Regarded as Strange—London Views of the Crisis.

Madrid, Spain, Oct. 1.—As a result of the interviews which Gen. Azcarraga, the retiring Premier, and Gen. Polavieja have had with the Queen Regent, her Majesty has become convinced that it is impossible to reunite the conservatives in order to form a strong Ministry. Therefore, she has accepted the resignations of the Ministers.

The opinion is general that Senor Sagasta, the liberal leader, will succeed Gen. Azcarraga. Many of the Prefects, under secretaries and directors-general of the department have also resigned.

The Solution of the Crisis.

London, Eng., Oct. 1.—A dispatch to the Daily Mail from Madrid says:

"The solution of the crisis depends upon the policy to be adopted towards the United States. Liberal politicians declare that they will stoutly resist America's pretentions.

"Gen. Azcarraga, in a long interview with the Queen Regent, explained the situation. It is believed that he asked her Majesty if she was ready to confirm the government in necessary powers in view of the attitude of the United States. After the interview he summoned the Cabinet, which was attended by Senor Reverter, the ex-communicated Minister of Finance, and Senor Cos-Gayon, Minister of the Interior, both of whom tendered their resignations. Shortly afterward the Premier tendered the resignations of the entire Cabinet."

Overtures from the Cubans.

London, Eng., Oct. 1.—A special dispatch from Madrid says that a rumor prevails there to the effect that an important communication has been received by the Spanish Government from the leaders of the Cuban insurgents, suggesting the basis of a possible settlement of the Cuban difficulties.

No Word from Gen. Woodford.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 1.—The State Department has not heard officially of the resignation of the Spanish Cabinet. Gen. Woodford, the American Minister at Madrid, has not cabled to the Secretary of State any information, nor has he even notified the department of a change in the Ministry. This silence on the part of the American Minister is considered somewhat strange at the department, but it is thought that he has some good reason for not notifying the government.

Diplomats familiar with Spanish affairs say the present conditions point to one of two results, namely, the complete collapse of the conservative regime, which has been responsible for the Cuban policy, and its succession by a liberal Cabinet, with pacific and conciliatory tendencies towards Cuba, or else a transition Ministry, with Azcarraga again at the head as a temporary expedient to tide over affairs until the Cortes can meet and a permanent and stable ministry be formed. Officials believe that a complete change of Ministers and political parties, with Sagasta as the new leader, is the more probable. In that case, it is said, Senor Moret probably would become Minister of Foreign Affairs. Moret is best remembered in the United States from the fact that he was the first to recognize the Mora claim, presented by the United States. It made him a target for criticism in Spain, but he was ultimately justified by his political opponents, when they paid the claim after the energetic demands made by Secretary Olney.

BOSTONS ARE CHAMPIONS.

They Win Again from Brooklyn, and the Baltimores Lose.

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New York, 6; Philadelphia, 5.
Boston, 12; Brooklyn, 3.
Washington, 9; Baltimore, 3.

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Baltimore	89	39	4	.695
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Cincinnati	74	55	3	.574
Cleveland	69	59	4	.539
Brooklyn	60	70	2	.462
Washington	60	71	1	.458
Pittsburg	57	71	4	.445
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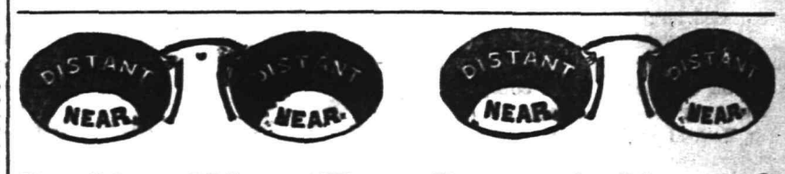

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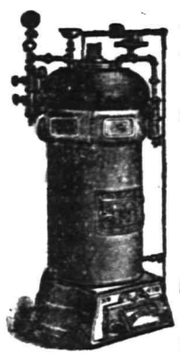

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Robert Love, of Duer street, will lead the service at the Washingtonville chapel next Sunday evening. He will be assisted by a number of Christian workers.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

Howard Martin, of West Front street, has secured a good position in New York city.

Charles A. Moore, the proprietor of the hotel at Basking Ridge, last weak suffered a stroke of paralysis, and his recovery is extremely doubtful.

Something to Depend On.

Mr. James Jones, of the drug firm of Jones & Son, Cowden, Ill., in speaking of Dr. King's New Discovery, says, that last winter his wife was attacked with LaGrippe, and her case grew so serious that physicians at Cowden and Pana could do nothing for her. It seemed to develop into Hasty Consumption. Having Dr. King's New Discovery in store, and selling lots of it, he took a bottle home, and to the surprise of all she began to get better from first dose, and half dozen dollar bottles cured her sound and well. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds is guaranteed to do this good work. Try it. Free trial bottles at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

Mrs. Leonard Bunn, of Elmwood place, is much improved from her illness.

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Old people who require medicine to regulate the bowels and kidneys will find the true remedy in Electric Bitters. This medicine does not stimulate and contains no whiskey nor other intoxicant, but acts as a tonic or alterative. It acts mildly on the stomach and bowels, adding strength and giving tone to the organs, thereby aiding Nature in the performance of the functions. Electric Bitters is an excellent appetizer and aids digestion. Old people find it just exactly what they need. Price 50c and $1 per bottle at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Woolley, of West Second street, are entertaining company from out-of-town.

A few weeks ago the editor was taken with a very severe cold that caused him to be in a most miserable condition. It was undoubtedly a bad case of la grippe and recognizing it as dangerous he took immediate steps to bring about a speedy cure. From the advertisement of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the many good recommendations included therein, we concluded to make a first trial of the medicine. To say that it was satisfactory in its results, is putting it very mildly, indeed. It acted like magic and the result was a speedy and permanent cure. We have no hesitancy in recommending this excellent Cough Remedy to anyone afflicted with a cough or cold in any form.—The Banner of Liberty, Libertytown, Maryland. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Walter Peterson and family, of Prospect avenue, who have been enjoying their vacation at the seashore, have returned home.

Those who believe chronic diarrhœa to be incurable should read what Mr. P. E. Grisham, of Gaars Mills, La., has to say on the subject, viz.: "I have been a sufferer from chronic diarrhœa ever since the war and have tried all kinds of medicines for it. At last I found a remedy that effected a cure and that was Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy." This medicine can always be depended upon for colic, cholera morbus, dysentery and diarrhœa. It is pleasant to take and never fails to affect a cure. 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

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J. E. Stewart and family, of West Seventh street, who have been stopping at the Claflin House, Becket, Mass., have returned home.

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MOUNTAIN GLEN, Ark.—Our children were suffering with croup when we received a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It afforded almost instant relief.—F. A. Thornton. This celebrated remedy is for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

TAMMANY'S CANDIDATES.

Judge Van Wyck Will Be the Tiger's Standard Bearer.

New York, Oct. 1.—At the convention of Tammany Hall Democracy last night, Judge Van Wyck was nominated for Mayor of Greater New York.

Bird S. Coler, a Brooklyn banker, practically unknown, was nominated for Comptroller, and Jacob Ruppert, Jr., whose father owns one of the biggest breweries in the country and is worth $10,000,000, was named for President of the Council. Between the banker and the brewer, Mr. Croker expects to maintain Tammany's financial standing.

The platform scores the trusts and is strong on home rule; it denounces "the prodigality, inefficiency and hyprocrisy of the city administration of the past three years." It condemns the Raines law in that it "promotes intemperance, furnishes a legalized refuge for vice, imperils the innocence of children and destroys the sanctity of the home." It declares for everything that is good and true and noble, and scores the Republicans.

Henry George a Factor.

The most striking feature in the Greater New York situation as it exists to-day is the commanding position into which Henry George has been so suddenly thrust.

There is no question of his mastery of the local situation as against Tammany. His influence is great enough to cause the overwhelming defeat of any Tammany candidate.

The most apparent, as well as the most important fact in the news of to-day, is that the Mayor of Greater New York must be approved by Henry George and his backers, or he cannot be elected as a Democrat. It is announced on authority that Henry George will to-night accept the nomination of the Democratic Alliance at its meeting, at which Charles Frederick Adams is to put Mr. George into nomination for Mayor of Greater New York. Mr. George will also notify the United Democracy, which has already nominated him, that he is in the field.

Robert A. Van Wyck was elected Chief Justice of the City Court eight years ago, and holds that place today. He was born in this city, and is 47 years old. He went to the public schools for a few years, and left them to go into business. He had a job as errand boy at first, and then became a clerk. He worked as a clerk five years, and decided then to go back to school and get an education. He wanted to become a lawyer. He entered Columbia College Law School. He was graduated in 1872 at the head of a class of 124, and delivered the valedictory address. He was a successful lawyer.

Justice Van Wyck was arrested seven years ago on the night of the French ball, which was held in the Metropolitan Opera House. The arrest was made on the order of Sergt. Schmittberger, who, later, when a captain, figured in the Lexow investigation. The arrest, Justice Van Wyck insisted, was an outrage.

GREEK CABINET RESIGNS.

The Boule Declines to Give It a Vote of Confidence.

Athens, Oct. 1.—At the session of the Boule yesterday Prime Minister Ralli presented the preliminary treaty of peace with Turkey. He deplored the onerous conditions imposed on Greece, but said he was of the opinion that the country must submit to the superior might of Europe.

When the final treaty came to be discussed the Government would be prepared to undertake the responsibility of accepting the decision of the concert of the powers and of negotiating a final treaty with the Porte and the financial arrangements with the powers and the bondholders. It would first, however, ask the support of the Chamber.

M. Ralli's motion, demanding a vote of confidence was rejected by a vote of 93 to 30. About forty members abstained from voting.

Subsequent to the announcement of the vote the Ministry resigned. The King will take action on the resignation to-day.

Must Pay the Alien Tax?

Harrisburg, Pa., Oct. 1.—State Treasurer Haywood received a communication from the George V. Cresson Company, of Philadelphia, asking to be advised whether it is proper to return the tax collected from alien employes, as has been done by other firms. The letter was referred to the Attorney-General's department for an opinion, and to-day Deputy Attorney-General Reeder gave the State Treasurer the following opinion:

"This department advises that County Commissioners shall insist on employers making returns and paying the taxes, as provided in the act of June 15, 1897, until that act shall have been declared unconstitutional by a court of last resort."

Gambling Amendment in Doubt

Trenton, N. J., Oct. 1.—The latest figures received on the vote on the constitutional amendments on Tuesday leave a majority of only 783 against the anti-gambling amendment, and the aditerim appointment amendment appears to be adopted by a majority of over 2,000.

The Paterson Press, of which Secretary of State Wurts is the editor, charges that fraudulent ballots were issued at the special election on Tuesday, at which the constitutional amendments were voted on. The ballots are alleged to have borne a fine cancellation mark, thus causing them to be counted against the amendments.

Pennsylvania Ballot Law Decision.

Harrisburg, Oct. 1.—Judge McPherson has decided that the amendment to the ballot law forbidding the printing of a candidate's name on the ballot more than once is illegal, as it is an intereference with the free right of suffrage. This decision will permit of the printing on the Democratic ticket in Philadelphia of the names of the Republican nominees for judge who were indorsed by the Democrats.

Bolts the Democratic Ticket.

Buffalo, N. Y., Oct. 1.—The Buffalo Courier-Record and the Buffalo Enquirer, both of which were expected to support the Democratic ticket, have bolted and declared for the Republican nominee for Mayor, because the convention reaffirmed the Chicago platform.

HARRISON BOOMS TRACY

Launches His Name as a Candidate for President in 1900.

MAY GO ON THE STUMP

Ex-Secreary of the Navy Has Presidential Timber, Says His Former Chief—Predicts His Success in the Fight for Mayor.

New York, Oct. 1.—Ex-President Harrison in an interview announced that he looked upon Gen. Benjamin F. Tracy as a probable Presidential candidate.

He also predicted the success of the ex-Secretary of the Navy in the fight for the Mayoralty.

In discussing the Mayoralty fight, Gen. Harrison said that there was a strong personal feeling towards Gen. Tracy, he having been intimately associated with him for years.

"When he was my Secretary of the Navy we were in conference constantly, and I have the highest esteem for his ability and character. He would make good Presidential timber.

"I have been up the State pulling stumps all Summer and I think I have made my last political speech."

May Stump for Tracy.

"Would you go on the stump for Gen. Tracy if he asked you?"

"I don't think he will ask me," Gen. Harrison replied, smiling. "Wait until he does.

"I shall remain here about ten days. Mrs. Harrison has shopping to do.

"The whole country is interested in this big municipal election, and it will undoubtedly have its effect on national politics.

"I think Gen. Tracy's prospects are excellent. I think it would be a disgrace to see the greater city throttled by Tammany Hall as the lesser was for so many years."

Platt Wants Boss McKane Out.

New York, Oct. 1.—The friends of John Y. McKane in the old county towns of Kings are making very determined efforts to bring about his release, and have succeeded in obtaining promise of assistance from Senator Platt and his associate leaders of the Republican party in their efforts.

In speaking of the matter, Senator T. C. Platt said: "The case of John Y. McKane has been brought to my attention by several persons interested in his pardon. I think he is more sinned against than sinning. He has been punished sufficiently. In my opinion his sentence was excessive, and I would have no hesitation in publicly saying that the ends of justice have been sufficiently subserved by what he has suffered, and especially in view of the condition of his family and his failing health."

Big Steamship After the Record.

New York, Oct. 1.—The new German ocean flyer, the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, sailed yesterday on her first trip to the eastward.

Before her departure her machinery was carefully examined and oiled, and everything made ready for a record-breaking voyage.

Now that the steamship holds the westward Southampton record, her engineers will try on this passage to capture from the St. Louis the eastward honors. The St. Louis made the trip three weeks ago in six days, ten hours, fourteen minutes.

The Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse's engineers said that they could beat that time easily. There is much interest in the big vessel's return journey, and shipping men expect that she will give a good account of herself.

Nearly two hundred passengers sailed on her, a large number for this season of the year.

To Bottle Air.

New York, Oct. 1.—A new corporation has come into being—name, American Air-Power Company; capital, $7,000,000. Its purpose is to bottle ozone. Its prospectus says:

"The corporation will carry on the business of manufacturing light, heat and power plant, machinery and apparatus, of supplying light, heat and power to railroads and other works with power plants."

The general intention is to introduce compressed air-power into street railway transit and to supplant steam in long-distance runs.

Swallowed His False Teeth.

Northampton, Mass., Oct. 1.—Ezra T. Sawyer, of East Hampton, is dead. He swallowed two of his false teeth while asleep a few nights ago. The inflammation caused by an operation prevented him from taking nourishment. He died of starvation.

He was a wealthy manufacturer and a member of the Algonquin Club, of Boston.

An Immense Grain Traffic.

Chicago, Oct. 1.—The grain traffic of all Western roads for September was the heaviest for any season on record. Deliveries here were 51,387 cars. For August and September the aggregate is 108,853 cars. The September traffic was 5,095 cars less than in August, but for the two months it has never been equaled. For the same time last year they were 69,404 cars.

No Rush at Yale This Year.

New Haven, Ct., Oct. 1.—"Rush night," which has heretofore been a feature of Yale's reopening, passed off without the usual "rush." The faculty had quietly sent around word that the "rush" would not be permitted, and the mandate was obeyed. The sophomores and freshmen, 500 strong, paraded the town, however, with torches and brass bands.

The Southern Epidemic.

Washington, Oct. 1.—A summary of the progress of the yellow-fever epidemic up to the close of the day yesterday, made in the office of the Surgeon-General of the Marine Hospital Service, gives a total of 682 cases and fifty-nine deaths in the entire country.

The Pope Sends McKinley a Present.

London, Eng., Oct. 1.—The Rome correspondent of the Standard says that the Pope has sent President McKinley a copy of a fine illustrated work descriptive of the so-called Appartamenti Borgia at the Vatican, which were recently restored.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

(Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Fair Tonight and Saturday; Not So Warm Saturday.

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 88 Degrees.

COMING EVENTS.

Oct. 1—Opening of Educational Department at Y. M. C. A.

October 3d—Odd Fellows at Y. M. C. A. at 4:15 p. m.

October 7th—Entertainment Bethel chapel.

FAINT HOPE FOR A CHANGE.

As the official returns from the interior sections come straggling in word comes from Trenton that there is yet a possibility that the anti-gambling amendment may not be defeated. While at first the majority against it was estimated at about 12,000, yesterday the latest figures received showed only 783 against. As the districts yet to hear from are counted as favorable to the amendment, it is barely possible that what appeared to be a majority against may be turned into a majority for. There are not a great many districts to be heard from, however, and it is more than likely that the end may not change the result though it will diminish the size of the victory. The exact result will not be known before Monday. The slight majority only goes to prove that if the moral forces of the State had been up and doing as they had been urged to do, the amendment would have been carried by a substantial majority.

THE FUTILITY OF SPECIAL ELECTIONS.

New Jersey's mournfully absurd performance has given the finishing blow, in propriety and expediency at least, to the practice of submitting Constitutional amendments at special elections. It is not the first fiasco of the kind even in the course of the present year. The people of the State of Tennessee, for instance, defeated in the same way last spring a reformed Constitution for which they had been groaning for twenty years. But this New Jersey catastrophe exceeds all others in its exhibition of the people of the State in a ludicrously false and bad light.—New York Press.

Quite a surprise was felt yesterday when it became known that Prosecutor Fred C. Marsh was likely to be a candidate for Mayor of Elizabeth in succession to John C. Rankin, Jr. Prosecutor Marsh is a Democrat, and it is pretty generally decided that the next Mayor is to be a Democrat. But all the indications have pointed to the president of the City Council, P. J. Ryan; Peter Egenolf or George Ford as the trio from which the Democrats would make their choice.

FIRE BOYS OFF FOR A GOOD TIME.

Engine Company and City Officials Go to Princeton.

About twenty members of Engine Company No. 2, of the fire department, accompanied by Councilmen W. N. Runyon, C. J. Newman, and Assistant Engineers James Martin and J. W. Murray, Jr., left early this morning by stages for Metuchen where they will board a special train on the Pennsylvania Railroad for Princeton, to take part in the parade in honor of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the home company. A special feature of the occasion will be the unveiling of the monument of Gen. Mercer. The boys looked fine as they marched down Park avenue this morning to the home of William Hand, where the stages were in awaiting for them. They will return this evening.

A Model Newspaper.

In these days of sensationalism, flaring headlines and offensive illustrations, it is indeed a pleasure to turn to the New York Evening Post, which is noted as the handsomest newspaper typographically in the country. The one or two other dailies that use good plain type might be as handsome as the Evening Post if they used as good paper stock, but they do not. The Evening Post paper has been especially manufactured for years at the same mills, and an extra price is paid for it in order to maintain its even quality and excellent color. To a lay man there is not much difference in the shades of white paper, but when one stops to realize it or to lay a paper beside another he sees the difference at once.

—George Egel, the Somerset street butcher, has purchased a new boiler for his sausage machine.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Miss Mabel Schenck, of Somerville, is the guest of friends in Plainfield.

Fred Sandford, of Rockview avenue, has been spending a few days out of town.

Miss Elsa Pfeiffer, of Madison avenue, has gone to Washington to spend several weeks.

Miss Maude VanDyke, of East Front street, is visiting friends in Washingtonville.

Assemblyman W. R. Coddington, of this city, was in attendance at the Trenton Fair yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. S E. Morgan, of Summit, are visiting at the home of Mrs Bird, of North Front street.

E. Miller and family, of Grant avenue, left yesterday for New York city, where they will spend the winter.

Mayor C. J. Fisk is expected home in time to attend the meeting of the City Council next Monday evening.

H. E. Rider and wife, who have been stopping at the ReVere House, have taken up their residence at 933 Watchung avenue.

William Perrine, of East Fourth street, who has been detained at home by illness, has recovered sufficiently to leave the house.

J. Doull Miller and family, of East Ninth street, who have been enjoying their annual outing at the seashore, have returned home.

Mrs. E. D. Moffett, of Orchard place, has returned from Trenton, where she has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Tams.

Mrs. J. T. Clossen, of East Front street, who has been spending the summer at her summer home at Elberon, has returned home.

Cyrus E. Moore, of New street, left New York on Tuesday at midnight for Charlotte, N. C., for his health. He expects to remain in the South until next July.

John H. VanWinkle, Jr., of Duer street, who was recently appointed notary public by Governor Griggs, went to Elizabeth yesterday afternoon and took the oath of office before the County Clerk.

Peter V. Weaver and daughters, Mrs. V. L. Frazee and Miss Addie Weaver, of West End Park, accompanied by Miss Edna Garno, of New York, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Gulick, of Somerville, last Wednesday.

SURPRISED BY FRIENDS.

The Occasion Was the Passing of Theodore VanNest's Birthday.

A surprise party was given to Theodore VanNest at the home of his sister, Mrs. William Snell, 421 West Second street, last night, in honor of his birthday. The guests arrived about 8 o'clock and took complete possession of the house. A fine entertainment was given, consisting of phonograph selections by Thomas Schaefer, vocal solos by Albert Selvin, and songs by Albert and William Vail. Refreshments were served and the guests then enjoyed a dance, with music by Samuel Frazee. A number of presents were received by Mr. VanNest in remembrance of the occasion.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. H. VanNest, of Newark, Mr. and Mrs. David VanBuskirk, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis VanNest, Mrs. Lillian Hill, Mrs. Lowrie, Mr. and Mrs. Watt, Mrs. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. VanNest, Mr. and Mrs. William Snell, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Stites, Mrs. Southard, the Misses Bertha and Cora Naylor, David Anlebar and George Ball.

Cycler Found by the Roadside.

County Detective Keron was in Springfield last night, and while driving along the county road came upon a man lying unconscious in the roadway. Beside him lay a wrecked bicycle. After considerable trouble Keron revived the man, who gave his name as Bernard Fallon, of Summit. He was coasting down the hill in Springfield, when he lost control of his machine. His injuries are not serious.

Developing Country Property.

Work has been extensively begun by the New York syndicate on the Lake property, near Peapack. The surveyors have their work completed. Many men are now at work on the roads on both sides of the river. The entire mountain tract will be laid out in fine drives and park. The dam will be commenced shortly. It will be of Indiana stone and laid to a height of thirty feet.

A Journalist in Trouble.

The case of Edward Franklin Gray, the Rahway journalist, who is locked up in the county jail on two charges of fraud, has gone over now to the Grand Jury for that body to investigate. Gray was to have been tried yesterday, but Prosecutor Marsh changed his mind, it is said, because of lack of sufficient evidence to secure conviction.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Additional locals on page 3.

—A meeting of Trinity Commandery, Knights Templar, will be held on Monday evening.

—David Bowden, the contractor, is now located at Lodi, Bergen county, where he has a large contract.

—The work of laying the storm sewer on Grant avenue has been completed by Contractor David Bowden.

—The Young Ladies' Mission Society of the First Baptist church, are holding their first fall meeting this afternoon.

—Two candidates will receive the first rank at the meeting of Perseverance Lodge, No. 74, Knights of Pythias, this evening.

—Come ye of little faith! Only those that have tasted of the sweets of trading at Pecks' can realize what the word "value" implies.

—Martha Washington Council, D. of A., will hold a free-will sociable this evening at the residence of Mrs. J. B. Higgins, on West Front street.

—Rev. W. C. O'Donnell will deliver a lecture on "New England, the Home of Poet and Patriot," in the Monroe Avenue M. E. church this evening.

—The annual election of officers of the Junior Endeavor Society of the Congregational church will be held this afternoon in the church parlors.

—The Christian Endeavor Society of the Park Avenue Baptist church will elect officers this evening at the annual business meeting of the society.

—The first junior dance of the season will be held at the Park Club this evening. It is under the charge of the regular junior entertainment committee.

—S. H. Schlief, baker, of 132 Park avenue, keeps fresh, daily, a very choice assortment of delicious, pies, cakes and bread. No better sold. Give him a call.

—Everybody admires a pretty shoe and a good fit. If you buy your shoes of Flynn Brothers, 318 West Front street, you will get both at a reasonable price.

—A routine business meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society of the First Presbyterian church was held on Wednesday evening after the church prayer meeting.

—In the absence of Rev. C. E. Herring, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, Captain G. D. Morrison led the mid-week prayer meeting at the church Wednesday evening.

—The Junior Christian Endeavor Society of the First Baptist church was organized last Wednesday afternoon by Miss Julia Shinn. The new society starts off with much promise.

—It was stated in this paper last evening that W. A. Westphal had been elected treasurer of the Church of the Holy Cross. It should have been of Holy Cross Sunday school. Horsley Barker is church treasurer.

—A business meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Congregational church will be held this evening in the church parlors when the semi annual election of officers will be held. The quarterly reports will be received.

—The price of reed birds has taken another jump, and now they are worth 75 cents per dozen. This is the highest price paid in two years, but the birds were never finer than at present and buyers claim that they will be worth $1 a dozen before the season ends.

—Electrician Julius Stahl, of the borough, went to New York yesterday to get some information about the Gamewell fire-alarm system, which will assist him in straightening out the difficulty experienced a few nights ago when the borough plant failed to work.

—The beneficial effects obtained by persons using Reynold's petroleum hair tonic is gratifying to Mr. Armstrong, the druggist, and a letter from a woman in Maine, who wrote for twelve bottles a few days ago, testifies that a bald spot on her head is being covered over with a growth of hair.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they do is tenfold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by druggists, price 75c per bottle.

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AT THE MAYORS' CONVENTION.

Honors Paid to Miss Egel, the Representative of Lincoln.

New Jersey is represented at the convention of the Mayors and Councilmen at Columbus, O., by the town of Lincoln. The convention began Wednesday morning, and in order to arrive there in time Mayor Drake and Council President Miss Egel left on Monday.

On Tuesday a despatch came from Mayor Drake reading as follows:

"Arrived safe. Received by Mayor of Columbus and wife at depot. Ovation along line."

"S. D. Drake, Mayor of Lincoln."

Another was received soon afterward reading:

"I act as president of convention on Wednesday morning and Miss Egel in afternoon. Hurrah!"

"S. D. Drake."

Miss Egel took the convention by storm by a speech in which she said she was sorry that the women in New Jersey were defeated in the election on Tuesday, and also said that every State should have more women in the Common Councils. A banquet was tendered to Miss Egel last evening by the Mayor of Columbus and General Forsyth.

NEW TONSORIAL PARLORS.

Edwin B. Maynard Establishes a New Shop, Complete in Every Detail.

Edwin B. Maynard, the popular barber, of 204 Park avenue, who for more than twenty years has plied his occupation in this city, today opens his new establishment at 141 North avenue, next to Woolston & Buckle's store. Mr. Maynard believes in enterprise. He also likes to treat his customers well. So he has rented the large and commodious room formerly used by Woolston & Buckle for the exhibition of their stock of wall-papers, and has, at a great cost, fitted it up with the latest up-to-date paraphernalia of the tonsorial trade. For comfort, neatness and beauty, the tonsorial parlors of Mr. Maynard will be unsurpassed. Every convenience for his many patrons will be found there, while the room is equipped completely from a hygienic and sanitary point of view. In this new establishment Mr. Maynard will hereafter be found, and by his strict attention to business and his long experience, he hopes to add greatly to his already long list of patrons.

Somerset County Grand Jurors.

The following are the Somerset County Grand Jurors now in session: Henry W. Hoagland, foreman; Francis M. Kip, Peter S. Polhemus, John P. Hecht, George A. Dilts, John H. Lord, James Brown, Jr., Calvin D. Smith, Nicholas Bowers, Richard Field, John G. Sutphen, Abram Dumont, Abram, J. VanNuys, John W. Hulsizer, John S. Everett, Isaac Cortelyou, John W. Coddington, George Terrell, William C. Smith, Edward C. Morse. W. B. R. Mason and Lewis M. Codington were excused, and Edward Haight and S. O. B. Taylor failed to respond to their names.

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American Cotton Wire Cloth for stiffening	10c yd
Linen Canvas for facing	12c, 16c, 18c, 20c yd
Linen Collar Canvas, white, black, tan	19c yd
Fine Crinoline, white, black, slate	5c, 10c yd
Paper Muslin, yard wide, all colors	7c yd
Genuine Hair Cloth, black or gray	25c yd
Taffetta Skirt Lining, yard wide	10c, 15c yd
French Cambric Waist Lining	10c, 12c, 15c, 18c, 25c yd
Double Faced Waist Lining	13c, 15c, 18c, 25c yd
Double Skirt Belting, shaped ready for use	10c yd
Special lot Rustle Skirt Lining	7c yd
Patent Hump Hooks and Eyes, white or black	3c card
Best 100 yard Spool Silk, black and colors,	7c spool
Pure Rubber Lined Dress Shields	10c pair
Dress Stays, Japanned or silvered	5c doz
200 yard Machine Cotton, white or black	2c spool
Handsome new patterns of Fall Flanneletts	10c yd
Extra good quality of new Outing Flannel	7c yd
The best unlaundered Shirt in the State	50c each
Extra quality double width Table Felt	48c to 65c yd
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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Squire Luckey was the guest of Plainfield friends yesterday.

Miss Nellie Bulkley has returned from her visit with friends in Brooklyn.

P. B. Matthews, of North Plainfield, was in town yesterday calling on friends.

A substantial new pine floor was laid in the postoffice yesterday by Mr. Gaskill.

A regular meeting of the borough Council will be held next Monday evening.

Neil Scott has moved his business to the brick building adjoining Taylor's Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Randolph, of Piscataway, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Randolph.

Arthur Vail and family, of Jefferson avenue, have moved into a flat in the Hetfield building on North avenue.

Last evening a regular meeting of the fire company was held. Nothing but routine business was transacted.

C. M. Vail, together with six helpers, are busily engaged threshing rye, and the crop this year is especially fine.

The work of macadamizing Madison avenue is almost completed, and it is one of the best streets in the borough.

Mr. and Mrs. Barzilla Randolph and daughter, of Plainfield, have been the guests of former friends in the borough.

Miss Hattie Case, of New York, who has been visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Case, of Greenbrook, has returned to the city.

Last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schaeffer was celebrated the anniversary of Mrs. Schaeffer's birthday, and in honor of the event a few friends gathered to assist in the celebration. The evening was passed in a social manner, after which refreshments were served. The hostess received a number of handsome presents from friends.

SCOTCH PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Clinton B. Clark has a fine crop of peas now in his garden.

Rev. J. S Braker will lead the prayer meeting in the Baptist church tonight.

A union service will be held in the Methodist church on Sunday evening.

Rev. G. H. Winans will lead the prayer meeting in the Methodist church.

Miss Eva Baker has resumed her duties as organist in the Methodist church.

A number of the summer boarders at C. F. Flanders returned yesterday to New York city.

Mr. Barras, of South America, and Miss Anna Andrews, of Montandon, Pa., are the guests of Rev. J. S. Braker.

The new Latin course in the Scotch Plains Public School is succeeding very well, and the pupils show much interest in the work.

A party of Scotch Plains young people attended the entertainment and dance of the Daughters of Liberty, at Plainfield, last night.

THEATRICAL.

Oliver Byron and Kate Byron, supported by an excellent company will be the attraction at Music Hall tonight, presenting the "Ups and Downs of Life." Oliver Doud Byron has long been recognized as the foremost actor in the comedy drama line, and has probably more friends among the theatre-goers than any other actor who presents that class of attraction. His play, the "Ups and Downs of Life," is written on the best of melo dramatic and comedy lines, Mr. Byron having one of those daring heroic parts that make him so welcome. Kate Byron is an actress who has made for herself a line of comedy peculiarly her own.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Runyon returned to their Mountain avenue home this morning, after a very pleasant visit with relatives in Brooklyn.

WESTFIELD

VARIOUS BITS OF NEWS.

WESTFIELD HAPPENINGS SERVED UP TERSELY FOR THE PRESS.

Many People Go and Come in the Pretty Suburban Town—Items Interesting Because of Their Brevity

Central Council, No. 131, Jr. O. U. A. M., meets tonight.

The pastors Bible class met in the Baptist church last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Schofield remove to Plainfield this week.

The Westfield Board of Health meets in the town rooms tonight.

D. L. Curtis, of Cumberland street, visited friends in Elizabeth yesterday.

The Westfield Township Committee will meet in the town rooms tonight.

Albert V. Lightbourne, of Dudley avenue, visited friends in Rahway yesterday.

Miss Reynolds, of New York city, has returned from a visit with Miss Vina Giles.

Miss Ada F. Ruth, of Union street, is studying at the New York Conservatory of Music.

Mr. and Mrs. Huyler, of Hyde Park, have returned from a visit with Walter Lee, of Orchard street.

Miss Flora Wallace, of Asbury Park, has returned after a visit with Mrs. D. E. Miller, of Emer street.

Coroner R. R. Sinclair and Leigh M. Pearsall return tomorrow from a week's outing in Buena Vista, Va.

Miss Florence Braniard, of Park street, left today to spend two months with friends in Washington, D. C.

Mr. Ward and family, of Montclair, have taken possession of the house owned by Miss Ella Ferris, on Union street.

Charles Hultz, of New Brunswick, has returned from a visit with his father, William Hultz, of Orchard street.

Mrs. Frank Howe, of Summit avenue, has returned home after spending three weeks with friends in New York State.

A football team, captained by Bert Harris, will play Arthur Richardson's team on the Rahway avenue grounds tomorrow morning.

Volney P. Cushing, a noted temperance lecturer, will soon deliver a series of addresses in Westfield under the direction of the W. C. T. U.

John S. Burhans, Sr., has gone to attend to his business interest along the Rappahannock river, and will remain in that vicinity all winter.

B A. Chamberlain has been elected assistant superintendent of the Baptist Sunday-school in place of J. Warren Brown who could not serve.

Erastus Singer, the eleven-year-old son of John Singer, is recovering from a fracture of his arm received by falling out of an apple tree last week.

A pleasant surprise party was tendered Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Woodruff, at their home on Broad street, on Wednesday evening, in honor of their silver wedding anniversary.

An exhibition of Edison's projectoscope, under the auspices of the Westfield Club, will be given in the club house auditorium this evening. The moving pictures will be supplemented by musical and vocal selections from the granophone.

The Westfield Club football team will play its first game in the Journal trophy series with the Cranford team on the latter's grounds tomorrow afternoon. J. W. Crooks will captain the team and a large delegation of Westfield rooters will accompany it.

The Good Government Club, of Mountainside, has interested itself in the movement to obtain a separate school district for the borough, and the club members are rapidly getting signers for the petition to that effect which will be presented to the county superintendent of schools.

A drunken man caused considera ble consternation among the women and children on Park street yesterday afternoon. The inebriate went about from house to house pounding with his fists upon the front doors and demanding entrance. Justice of the Peace Collins was sent for, but when he reached the scene the man had disappeared.

George Ortleib, Jr., a twelve-year-old boy living on Elm street, was out with some companions gathering nuts in the woods yesterday when one of the lads threw a baseball bat into a tree, and in falling it struck young Ortleib upon the head, inflicting a severe scalp wound. The lad was helped home by his companions, and suffered intense pain from the wound. He is now improved and it is thought that no serious effects will result from the injury.

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Wedding Attended by Pleasant Surroundings—Gifts Made by Mr. Smith's Associates in Factory and Club—The Gursts.

The Westerly (R. I.) Sun published the following account of the marriage of Frank Howard Smith, of this city, and Miss Marietta Bentley, of Westerly, Wednesday afternoon:

A very pretty home wedding was held at the residence of Hon. and Mrs. B. C. Bentley, on School street, in this town, at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon, when their daughter, Miss Marietta, was united in marriage to Frank Howard Smith, of Plainfield, N. J., by Rev. S. H. Davis, pastor of the Seventh-day Baptist church.

The bride, in white silk and lace, made a very pretty picture. She was charmingly attired and could have well answered the question: "What more charming than a bride in June?" Her sister, Miss Bertha Bentley, of Pawtucket, was the bridemaid. The best man was Frank D. Randolph, of Plainfield, N. J., and the ushers were Hobart B. Ayres, of Schenectady, N. Y.; Walter Briggs, of Brown University, Providence; and B. C. Bentley Jr., a brother of the bride. The wedding march of Mendelssohn was played by Miss Bertha Sweet, of Westerly.

From 6 to 8 o'clock a reception followed, and the prominence of the parties naturally led to a large attendance. At the tables Mrs. Waldo Davis, of Providence, poured the coffee, being assisted by Miss Fanny Clark, of Providence; Miss Eloise Santee, of Smith College, Northampton; Miss H. Louise Ayers, of Westerly, and Miss Ernestine C. Smith, of Plainfield, N. J.

Hardly had the ceremony been completed when the telegrams began to arrive, and they continued to come all through the evening. From the Potter Press Works of Plainfield, in the office of which Mr. Smith is employed, had come, earlier in the day, a magnificent case of table silver, and from the employes of the firm beautiful Haviland dinner and tea sets; from the Crescent Wheelmen's club of Plainfield had come a chiffonier and dressing table. Individual presents of beauty and worth attested the esteem in which the contracting parties were held. The groom's present to the bride was $100 in gold, and to the ushers and best man pearl sunburst pins.

Among the guests from out of town were: Mr. and Mrs. John L. Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Clark, J. E. Clark, Edward Clark, Miss Fanny Clark, Mrs. Darling, Miss Louis Stedman and Walter Briggs, of Providence; Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Smith, Miss Ernestine C. Smith, Miss May Stelle, Frank Randolph and Frank Jones, of Plainfield; Mr. and Mrs. Lewis T. Titsworth, of Dunellen.

The wedding party left Stonington by boat. After an extenned tour Mr. and Mrs. Smith will return to Plainfield, where they will be "at home," 421 Madison avenue, Nov. 3d and 10th. Their Westerly friends unite in wishing them happiness and prosperity.

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Golden Text: I am ready not to be bound only, but also to die at Jerusalem for the name of the Lord Jesus.—Acts xxi 13. Oct. 3, 1897.

1-3. "And when it came to pass that we were parted from them we sailed unto Syria and landed at Tyre, for there the ship was to unlade her burden." This is a summary of these three verses, quoting from the R. V. He was hasting if it were possible to be at Jerusalem by the day of Pentecost (chapter xx, 16), but as they were dependent upon the possibility of finding a vessel about to sail in the direction in which they wished to journey and upon favorable winds, it would not seem to us much like making haste.

4. "And finding disciples, we tarried there seven days, who said to Paul through the Spirit that he should not go up to Jerusalem." The Gospel had reached and been received by some in this city, and so the travelers and the residents were at once friends, for there is no bond like the blood of Christ. His redeemed ones are all citizens of heaven, but pilgrims and strangers here (Phil. iii, 20, R. V.; I Pet. ii 11). But here is a strange message to Paul which makes us think of chapter xvi, 6, 7, when the Spirit suffered him not to go into Asia or Bithynia. In that case he was obedient. Let us see how he acts now.

5. "And when we had accomplished those days we departed and went our way, * * * and we kneeled down on the shore and prayed." The Spirit had not said to stop at Tyre, nor to proceed no farther, so it was all right to move on. How touching this parting scene! Men, women and children accompany Paul and his companions out of the city, and all kneel on the shore in prayer. So in chapter xx, 36, before leaving the elders of Ephesus he kneeled down and prayed with them all.

6. "And when we had taken our leave one of another we took ship, and they returned home again." These believers at Tyre may have been part of the result of the visit of our Lord (Math xv, 21-28), or perhaps through the preaching of those who were scattered at Stephen's death (Acts viii, 4). There is just one thing for disciples to be doing, whether at home or abroad, and that is to walk worthy of our calling and show ourselves approved unto God (I Thess. ii, 12; II Tim. ii, 15).

7. "And when we had finished our voyage from Tyre we came to Ptolamais and saluted the brethren and abode with them one day." Brief but blessed visits of men of God and foretastes of the eternal fellowship of the future. There would be but one topic of conversation, the kingdom of God and the things concerning the Lord Jesus Christ (Acts xxviii, 31,) but one book, the Scriptures, and doubtless much prayer. The believers would be encouraged to be steadfast and to do all in their power to give the gospel to others.

8 "We entered into the house of Philip, the Evangelist, which was one of the seven, and abode with him." Leaving Ptolemais, they came to Caesarea, which seems to be Philip's home. The last we heard of him was preaching in the cities from Azotus to Caesarea after he had led the treasurer of Queen Candace to Christ (Acts viii 40). He is still known as a bearer of glad tidings and was doubtless continually at it. Why should not every believer be in some large sense an evangelist, an embassador for Christ?

9. "And the same man had four daughters, virgins, which did prophecy." Daughters as well as sons are included in the promise of the gift of the Spirit (Joel i, 28; Acts ii, 17). In the Old Testament, Miriam, Deborah and Huldah and in the New the women whom He sent from the sepulcher and Priscilla and others are notable examples of women whom he used as His messengers.

10, 11. "Thus saith the Holy Ghost, So shall the Jews at Jerusalem bind the man the man that owneth this girdle and shall deliver him into the hands of the gentiles." Thus testified a prophet named Agabus, who came down from Judaea, and being with these disciples took Paul's girdle and significantly bound his own hands and feet with the same. Thus for the second time Paul is warned not to go up to Jerusalem and it is the Holy Spirit who tells him not to go.

12. "And when we heard these things both we and they of that place besought him not to go up to Jerusalem." Now it is possible for a man to stand alone with God and be all right, and it is possible for a man to think he is standing with God and be standing with himself.

13. "Then Paul answered, What mean ye to weep and to break mine heart? for I am ready not to be bound only, but also to die at Jerusalem for the name of the Lord Jesus." This is certainly a right attitude of soul for a believer, and the only right attitude—to be ready for life or death, prosperity or adversity, if only God is glorified thereby—but my perplexity here is to know what was the heartbreaking part of this affair to Paul. Was he so set upon getting to Jerusalem at that particular time that his heart would break if he did not accomplish it, or was he so set upon doing the will of God that his heart would break if he failed to do it? If the latter, then why not accept the voice of the Spirit at Tyre and Caesarea and be satisfied to be subject to the Spirit in this matter? Is not perfect submission to the will of God the highest mission on earth? As one has said:

Is not His will the wisest; is not His way the best?
And in perfect acquiescence is there not perfect rest?

14. "And when he would not be persuaded we ceased, saying, The will of the Lord be done." Both Paul and Barnabas could not be right in the matter of John Mark (Acts xv, 37-41) and both parties cannot be right in this case, but the brethren yield to Paul and appeal to God. It is good to say, "Thy will be done," but it is better to do it without resistance. It is good to say "It is the Lord; let Him do what seemeth Him good," but it is better to be wholly in His hand that He may unhindered do what seemeth Him good.

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By virtue of the above stated writ of fieri facias, to me directed, I shall expose for sale by public vendue, at the Court House, in the city of Elizabeth, N. J., on WEDNESDAY, THE SIXTH DAY OF OCTOBER, A. D. 1897.

at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, all the following described tract or parcel of land and premises, situate, lying and being in the township of Fanwood, in the county of Union and State of New Jersey;

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A New Invention Which Renders the Wheel Punctureless.

South Bethlehem, Pa., Oct. 1.—An inventor here has just secured a patent on a bicycle with pneumatic hubs and solid tires. Around the axle, protected by steel thimbles, so that there is absolutely no wear on the rubber, is a pneumatic tube, blown up the same as pneumatic tires. This tube is incased in a nickel-steel frame, to which the spokes are attached. The frame, hanging on these inflated hubs, causes the rider to rock easily, as though he were sitting in a swing. There is consequently the least possible vibration, jarring and jolting. The wooden rim consists of three kinds of wood, in three sections, spliced together. The spokes are of a material which can be bent and twisted and tied into knots like twine without breaking—in fact, they cannot be broken. The inventor also has a new way of stringing the wheel, so that the pressure and weight are never on less than four spokes at the same time.

WOMEN CLUB MINERS.

Non-Union Men Under Deputies' Protection When Attacked.

Edwardsville, Ill., Oct. 1.—Non-union coal miners were being escorted to work this morning by the deputy sheriffs, when they were chased by a force of strikers numbering fully 300, supplemented by about one hundred women.

The line was broken and the non-union men fled in every direction, and the deputies were roughly handled. The women used clubs and beat the non-union men most unmercifully, but none was dangerously hurt. The deputies were wonderfully cool and not a shot was fired.

After the riot the strikers, led by women, marched through the town, with the Stars and Stripes flying at their head. Another riot to-day may mean bloodshed.

The Treasury Finances.

Washington, Oct. 1.—The Treasury statement for September will show receipts of $21,319,644, of which the tariff has contributed $7,943,100, internal revenue $12,701,975, and miscellaneous items $674,547. This is generally as predicted, the tariff showing an increase over August of $956,000, and the internal revenue an increase of $1,508,000. September is always a better customs month than August. The month's expenditures were $24,752,361. This brings a deficit for the month of $3,432,717, and for the three months of the fiscal year $29,012,954. Of the month's total expenses nearly eleven million dollars, or 44 per cent., was for pensions, and yet this month's charge under this head has been the smallest since June. For this quarter of the fiscal year, the pensions payments are nearly forty million dollars.

Czar Opposes English Aggression.

Paris, Oct. 1.—A dispatch from St. Petersburg says that Russia is negotiating with Abyssinia with the object of opposing the advance of the British in Africa, and is also coming to an understanding with the United States to arrest Great Britain's excessive extension of her possessions in the Pacific.

The latest Egyptian advices say that the Sultan has decided to offer strong resistance to the British advance up the Nile. A large force of Dervishes, under the command of the Emir Mahomud, is now at Metemueh, and batteries are being erected near the Sixth Cataract for the purpose of obstructing the further advance of the forces of Gen. Kitchener, commanding the Anglo-Egyptian troops.

Costly Steaks in San Francico.

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 1.—The price of beef has gone up fully one-third within the last few weeks, and butchers say that before the holidays it will have advanced 50 per cent. over the price of last year. Beef has been steadily advancing for the last few months, and is now from 1½ to 2 cents a pound higher than it was at this time last year.

Australia but recently recovered from one of her periodical droughts, and, as an exporter of cattle or sheep, is practically out of the foreign competition. California cattle are practically exhausted. Oregon has had a short crop, and the result is that beef is and will be higher than it has been for years.

Christian Still at Large.

Wurtsboro, N. Y., Oct. 1.—The residents of this place have not given up the search for Wallace Christain, the murderer of Horace Pritchard and Constable Manny. The main reason for this is the general belief that the man is still in the woods nearby, getting his meals from some friendly resident. The fugitive is heavily armed.

Two Cruisers for Japan.

San Francisco, Oct. 1.—Advices from Japan by the steamship Doric say that the Mikado's Government has purchased two armored cruisers that Armstrong was building for Chili. The South American republic was unable to pay for the vessels. The cruisers are 9,000-ton vessels, and are designed to make a twenty-one-knot speed.

Pennsylvania Coal Tonnage.

Philadelphia, Pa., Oct. 1.—The Pennsylvania Railroad Company carried over its lines east of Pittsburg and Erie for the week ended Sept. 25, 336,398 tons of coal and 101,619 tons of coke. For the year to date it carried 11,534,669 tons of coal and 3,301,825 tons of coke, against 10,900,453 tons of coal and 3,017,158 tons of coke for the same time last year.

Three Tons of Gold—Nit.

San Francisco, Oct. 1.—The report that three tons of gold is coming from Alaska on the steamship Portland was believed in this city to be untrue. The tug Richard Holyoke has arrived at Port Townsend from St. Michael's. She reported that no steamboats had arrived at St. Michael's from up the Yukon recently.

Gold Coming Our Way.

New York, Oct. 1.—On the steamship Saale, which arrived to-day, came $1,000,000 in gold consigned to the National City Bank.

This is the first yellow metal that has come into this country in several months, and is believed to be the beginning of a big import.

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GOSSIP FROM GRIDIRON.

HAPPENINGS AMONG THE LOCAL FOOTBALL PLAYERS.

Games That are to be Played and Points About Teams and Individual Players That May Prove Interesting to Cranks

Thomas U. Smith has been elected captain of the Plainfield A. A. eleven for Saturday's game.

Raymond A. McGee played guard for Yale against Trinity Wednesday for one half. He is looked upon as a prominent candidate for that position.

Charles Dupee of this city is a promising candidate for the freshman team at Yale. He is spoken of as a good man for a position behind the line.

After tomorrow, Harry L. McGee, last year's captain of the Stevens Institute eleven, will play with the Plainfield A. A. team. He will probably play behind the line where he is well known as a steady player, a good ground gainer and a sure tackler.

Roy T. Phillips, captain of the Alis team, is a candidate for the position of quarter back on the Plainfield A. A. team. In the absence of Waring, tomorrow he will fill that position. He is looked upon as one of the rising players on the city and were he a little heavier he would be sure of a game all the season. He is too light, however, for any accepted quarter.

Louis Waring, who has charge of the Plainfield Athletic Association eleven, announces the line-up for tomorrow's game with the Warwick Athletic Club, of New York: right end, Serrell; right tackle, Hallock; right guard, Brown; centre, Cuming; left guard, Hinrichs; left tackle, McClure; left end, Rider; quarter back, Phillips; right half back, Simmonds; left half back, Smith; full back, Darling.

The football season will be inaugurated in Plainfield tomorrow afternoon at the Plainfield Athletic Association's gridiron on Martine common. On that occasion the contesting teams will be the Plainfield Athletic Association and the Warwick Athletic Club. The game is called for 4 o'clock promptly. This season will see the beginning of a scheme to give Plainfield the best quality of football possible. If the games are given the proper support by the townsfolk, the best clubs in the metropolitan district and from all the neighboring colleges will come here to play. The Plainfield Athletic Association is not a money-making organizing. The members of it are simply in it for the good of the sport. To give the best game, it is necessary to pay expenses and have a suitable field so the club will charge admission to its games. Those who have already subscribed, will receive season tickets. To others the admission will be twenty-five cents. With proper support, a strong eleven will worthily represent Plainfield on the gridiron this year with even better prospects for next year.

STRIKES AND SPARES.

The account of the bowling contest between Harold Chandor and William Timpson on the Y. M. C. A. alleys, which appeared in these columns recently, was incorrect. Chandor was the winner of the match, his high score being 194 points.

Sunday-school's Autumnal Outing.

Every fall the officers, teachers and pupils of the Sunday-school of the Holy Cross church enjoy an outing to some nearby resort where they picnic for the day. This takes the place of the regular excursions of the other Sunday-schools. Tomorrow this autumnal picnic will be held. Captain Hand's stages have been engaged for the occasion and will start from in front of the church at 10 o'clock. The destination is Chimney Rock. The committee has arranged an ample supply of lunch for all the picnicers, so there will be no fear of a lack of lunch for the occasion.

Improvements at Industrial Home.

The alms committee of the Common Council has commenced the work of moving the old building of the Industrial Home in which the men are quartered, up to the new structure, so that the two will stand side by side and the patients of both sexes can be cared for as conveniently as if all were in one building.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mr. Wiseman, of Asbury Park, spent last night in Plainfield with friends.

Mrs. Cox, of Brooklyn, who has been the guest of Plainfield relatives, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Ball, of Myrtle avenue, returned this morning from their wedding tour.

Mrs. John M. Crane, of West Eighth street, has gone to Boston to spend several weeks.

Chief Grant, of the police department, went to Princeton today to attend the firemen's parade.

Editor Frank Runyon is steadily improving from his recent severe illness, and is now able to be about the house.

Mrs. E. B. Williams and Miss Florence Williams, of West Seventh street, leave in a few days for Chicago to visit friends.

Former Mayor B. A. Hegeman, Jr., and family, who have just returned from the seashore, left the city today for Luray Cavern, and from there they will go to Charlottesville, Va. They will be absent about one week.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Additional locals on third page.

—The regular monthly meeting of the Catholic Club will be held in the clubhouse on Monday evening.

—The annual meeting of the Boys' Club will be held at 125 Crescent avenue tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock.

—Fred Endress, the butcher, has just finished the erection of a new barn at the rear of his shop on West Front street.

—Tickets for the Y. M. C. A. Star Lecture Course will be on sale at Leggett's pharmacy, in the Y. M. C. A building, next Monday

—A choice lot of table and canning peaches, Damson and Gage plums, and Bartlett pears, has just been received at Neuman Bros., and will be sold this afternoon and evening at popular prices.

—The remains of Miss Florence Perry, who formerly lived on Elm place, this city, were brought here from New York this afternoon and interred in the Presbyterian cemetery, in North Plainfield.

—A. E. Butler, the Park avenue barber, will open his shop on Monday with everything new and convenient. Being under contract with Edward Maynard he will complete the week in the employ of the latter at his place on North avenue.

—It is especially desired by the officers of the Y. M. C. A. that all students wishing to enroll themselves in their classes, as well as those who are considering the matter, will attend the opening of the association's educational department, which will be held tonight.

A Fine Line of Meats

J. M. Smalley, butcher, 405 Park avenue, will have a great variety of meats, poultry, etc., to select your Sunday dinner from. The list includes Jersey spring ducks and chickens, Jersey lamb, pork and sausage, the latter his own make, English mutton, and a very fine grade of beef. Sugar-cured hams and bacon are also made a specialty. His telephone is No. 217-A, and all orders will be called for and delivered.

Educational Instructors.

The corps of instructors which has been secured for the educational department of the Y. M. C. A. includes in the mechanical course George F. Scull, Jr., Frank D. Randolph, Warren S. Mitchell, J. F. T. Fuller and Dr. A. D. Warde; in stenography, George Weeks Sandford; commercial course, George E. Fuller and Max Moraller; German, Rev. G. Hauser; Spanish, Antonio C. Taybo.

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Plainfield Cycle and Sporting Goods Co.,
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Will be an Up-to-date Market.

Today N. B. Smalley took charge of the meat market at 94 Somerset street, formerly conducted by W. L. and J. M. Smalley. Mr Smalley will conduct this market in the same first-class manner that characterized the former management, and he will continue to supply customers with the same high-grade meats. Everything in season will be found at this market at prices consistent with good quality. The telephone number is 42 B, and orders will be called for and delivered promptly.

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—Locals on third page.

—The Plainfield Relief Association held a meeting in the Y. M. C. A. hall this morning at 10 o'clock.

CHINA WANTS TO BORROW.

Alleged Negotiations with an American Syndicate for a Loan.

London, Eng., Oct. 1.—The Times publishes a long letter on the financial situation in China. Among other things the writer says the fresh fall in silver has wiped out the margin for hypothecation which remained out of the customs revenue.

Continuing, the letter says: "But China is raising a new loan in order to pay the balance of the Japanese indemnity before 1898, as thereby the Treasury profits to the extent of two and three-quarter millions, aside from the Japanese evacuation of Wei-Hai-Wei. China is negotiating not only with English and German banks, but with the United States Consul-General, who represents a powerful American syndicate, including Mr. J. Pierpont Morgan and several minor financiers, playing off one against the other.

"As a matter of fact, at the date of writing, Sheng is still receiving overtures from the Americans, and has been receiving them ever since the signing of the preliminary contracts."

BAY STATE GOLD DEMOCRATS.

Dr. Everett Nominated for Governor and J. E. Cotter for Lieutenant.

Boston, Oct. 1.—Dr. William Everett, of Quincy, was formally nominated for Governor, and James E. Cotter, of Hyde Park, for Lieutenant-Governor by the Gold Democrats at Faneuil Hall.

The Committee on Credentials reported 336 delegates present, representing eighty-nine cities and towns.

Mr. Moorfield Story, of Brookline, was made permanent chairman, and John C. Lane, of Norwood, permanent secretary.

The platform adopted declares strongly for the maintenance of the gold standard and for a tariff for revenue only; denounces a protective tariff as now constructed; opposes territorial extensions; favors international arbitration and condemns the usurpation of arbitrary powers by the Speaker of the National House; favors putting a limit on injunctions, and denounces trusts.

NEW YORK'S ANTI-TRUST ACT.

Its Constitutionality Is Being Vigorously Fought by the Companies.

Saratoga, N. Y., Oct. 1.—The third department of the Supreme Court, Appellate Division, was filled with a brilliant array of counsel yesterday, when the so-called Coal Trust came up. The session was devoted to hearing argument on the appeal of Attorney-General Hancock against Judge Chester's decree, which vacated the order to take testimony before a referee, in order to determine whether or not proceedings should be commenced against various coal railroads accused of violating the Anti-Trust law.

The proceedings were taken under the provision of chapter 387, laws of 1897. The counsel included David Wilcox and Lewis E. Carr for Robert M. Olyphant, respondent; Turner, McClure & Ralston for Samuel Sloan, respondent; John B. Kerr for Thomas R. Fowler, respondent; De Forest Bros. for J. Rogers Maxwell, respondent; Deputy Attorney-General John C. Davis and J. Newton Fiero for Attorney-General T. E. Hancock, appellant.

The arguments were completed, and the Justice reserved his decision.

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—Today being the first of the month there was the usual rush at the North Avenue station for monthly commutation tickets.

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THE BOROUGH COUNCIL.

MANY MATTERS OF MUNIC PAL GOVERNMENT CONSIDERED.

Mayor Wilson's Sound Views in the Conduct of a City Government—Report of the Committee on Delinquent Taxes Received

The regular October meeting of the Borough Council was held last evening and all the members were present.

After the reading of the minutes Clerk Arnold presented his financial report as follows: Borough, balance, $2,910.77; lights, $570.46; fire department, $706.79; roads, $272.24; poor account, deficit, $510.34; paid county and State, $2,944.67; total balance, $1,005.25. Mr. Arnold also reported that $69.35 had been collected from fines, etc. Collector Spencer reported $102.83 collected since last report, also $169.55 for 1895, and $380.50 for 1896, from the borough duplicate.

Residents of Fairview avenue asked for an electric light between Verdon and Watchung avenues. A communication was received from George W. Bird asking the Council to set a price on a strip of land at the corner of Harmony street and Watchung avenue. The matter will be considered later after an investigation of the Assessor's map is made.

The following was read by the Clerk at the suggestion of Mayor Wilson:

My experience in the City Hall has impressed me strongly with the fact that the conduct of a city government is purely a business matter. I venture to say as the result of my observations that whenever the city departments have been used for political purposes, they have been used against the public interest. The further away from politics that a city officer gets in the performance of his duty, the better for him and the people. There is not one single particle of business done under a city government that should be viewed from a political standpoint. There is not one question arising in the administration of city affairs that requires a political opinion as to its necessity or wisdom. No one who has had experience in the administration of city affairs will contend that it is other than a business proposition. That is all there is in it. You can't make anything else out of it. The mayor and other officers are charged with the expenditure of a large amount of public money and the health and comfort of the community. These are not matters that admit of proper solution through political channels, and the more they are run in those channels, the worse for the taxpayers.

Clerk Arnold reported that the report of the Watchung Avenue Commissioners had been received, together with all objections thus far offered. The report was filed. Chairman Woolston, of the street committee, stated that during the past month $303.61 had been expended on the streets in various parts of the borough. He also reported the cost of macadamizing Sycamore avenue to be $389.61, at 60 cents per foot. Regarding the erection of the Washingtonville dam, Mr. Woolston said he knew very little.

Mr. Rogers explained the cause of the inability of the fire-alarm system to work a few nights ago, and stated that the superintendent of the Gamewell Fire-Alarm Company would be in Plainfield today to remedy the difficulty. Mr. Rogers recommended that two nozzles and two extension ladders be purchased for the fire department, that the bell tower be painted, that a stove be purchased for the West End hose house, and a coal box and runway be purchased for the Warren Engine Company house. The total cost of the above will be about $220, divided as follows: Nozzles, $70; ladders, $70; painting tower, $25; stove, $15; coal box and runway, $25 It was ordered by the Council that the above be purchased.

Mr. Rogers also recommended that an electric light on Sycamore avenue be changed as requested by the residents. He also reported that through the courtesy of the license and marshal committee and Chief Marshal Wilson a thorough investigation of the lighting system had been made, and a shortage in the lights had been found, but Superintendent McClurg, of the Electric Light Company, had made the difference right. Mr Rogers spoke especially of the aid given so cheerfully by Chief Wilson.

The committee now have in their possession a complete list of all the electric lights in the borough and an accounting of those hitherto missing which have been replaced.

Resolutions were offered by Mr. Carey to the effect that five uniforms and overcoats be purchased for the marshals at a cost not to exceed $200, also that a loan of $1,500 be negotiated and the same be charged to the borough account.

Mr. Schutt, of the special committee having in charge the arrangement and investigation of the delinquent taxes of the borough and township, submitted for the committee a final report. There is now delinquent poll and dog tax to the amount of $1,600; personal, $1,200; real estate, $1,400. The report showed that from 1885 to 1894 inclusive, $283,000 township du-

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PATRIOTS' AND POETS' HOME

Entertaining Historical Talk Given by Rev. W. C. O'Donnell Last Evening.

Rev. W. C. O'Donnell gave a very instructing lecture in the Monroe Avenue M. E. church last night on the subject: "New England, the Home of Patriots and Poets." By way of introduction the speaker gave a rapid itinerary of his vacation trip through New England and Canada. Then he said:

"Thus we have the panorama of this land of poets and patriots and here we have witnessed the poetry of patriotism and the patriotism of poetry."

The present appearance of the historic spots, as described by the speaker, was an important part of the lecture. The minute-man and the monument at Concord bridge, the old houses and the trees, fences and walls behind which the patriots shielded themselves and harassed the retreating enemy; the old church where the first Provincial Congress was held; the monuments and the stone cannon at Lexington; the view of Boston from Bunker Hill monument and that thrilling battle commemorated by the monument, were portrayed.

The lecture closed with a special tribute to that famous quartette of poets whose sweet tones, like the voices of angels to the music of harps, have outrivalled the fabled miracles of Orpheus and Arion.

The poems read by Miss Overton were: "Century Ode" by Lowell; Emerson's "Concord Monument Hymn;" Whittier's "Witches Daughter;" "To Fanueil Hall" and "Lexington;" Longfellow's "Sailing of the Mayflower."

SELECT THEIR LEADERS.

Endeavor Societies Choose Officers to Push Their Work of Christianity.

After a half-hour's consecration meeting, led by George Watts, the Christian Endeavor Society of the Park Avenue Baptist church held its semi-annual business meeting and annual election of officers last evening. The reports were received and the treasurer reported that there was a balance of $16 in the treasury, while during the past year $50 had been devoted to foreign missions and $25 to home missions.

The election of officers resulted as follows:—President, Mrs. W. S. Lowry; vice-president, Miss Annie Wyckoff; secretary, Miss Myra Runyon; treasurer, Miss Henrietta Cuming. The chairmen of committees were chosen as follows:—Lookout, Miss Florence G. Hawkins; prayer meeting, Miss Mabel Treadwell; missionary, Joseph M. Hawkins; social, Frank Clarkson; good literature Miss Jennie Giles; music, Wesley Brokaw; flower, Miss May Thompson; temperance and good citizenship, George Poole.

The Junior Endeavorers of the Congregational church held a meeting yesterday afternoon in the church parlors and elected officers for the ensuing year. The reports of some of the old officers were heard and different matters of interest to the Juniors discussed. The election resulted as follows: President, Harold Nomer; vice-president, Edward Suffren; secretary, Miss Agnes La Boyteaux; treasurer, Edwin Wesseman; chairman of prayer meeting committee, Miss Hattie Messersmith; social committee, Miss Carrie Fuller; lookout committee, Miss Cornelia Lance; missionary committee, Miss Emily Winant; birthday committee, Frank Emmons.

The semi-annual business meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Congregational church was held in the church parlors last evening and was well attended. The reports of the retiring officers were read. The treasurer's report showed a nice balance in the treasury. The missionary committee reported that $17 21 had been devoted during the last six months to benevolent purposes. A box and a barrel of useful articles have been sent to the people of the flooded district of Oklahoma, and packages had also been distributed among the needy ones in this city.

The election of officers was then held and resulted as follows:—President, Robert A. Suffren; vice president, Miss M. G. Morse; secretary, Robert C. LaBoyteaux; treasurer, Phillip S. Suffren. The chairmen of committees were chosen as follows: Lockout committee, Charles Belknap; prayer meeting, Mrs. Harold Tomlinson; missionary, Miss J. Louise Jenkins; socials Mrs. A. C. LaBoyteaux; good literature, Miss Eda Beekman; music, Miss Nellie Winckler; flower, Miss Sadie Howell.

—The Sunday-school of the First M. E. church will meet at 2:30 p. m. hereafter.

ALL-ROUND CHAMPION.

CARROLL L. RUNYON WON THE DAILY PRESS MEDAL.

Was a Victor Because of His Purely Superior Ability—Started From Scratch in Most of the Events—The Result in Detail

The contest for the Daily Press medal and the all-round championship of the Plainfield High School was fought and won yesterday afternoon at the Crescent Oval, and Carroll L. Runyon was the victor. The fight was a close one and nearly a score of the young men of the High School appeared in the different events and made things interesting for the leaders. Runyon won by purely superior ability, for in the majority of events in which he scored points he started from scratch. Altogether the meet was one of the most successful ever given under the auspices of the High School Athletic Association.

The contests yesterday afternoon were the semi-annual games of the High School, and were open only to students of that institution. A medal was offered by The Daily Press to the contestant scoring the most points, as has been the custom for several years. The afternoon was full of surprises. Rhey T. Snodgrass, a new-comer at the High School, proved himself a runner of excellent ability, and captured all three of the running events with ease. His finishes in the trial and final heats of the 100-yard dash were very pretty, while he passed his field of competitors in the other events and won easily. In the hammer and shot events he made a good showing. He was Runyon's principal rival and made a spirited fight for the medal. Arthur Lederer showed up as an excellent all round man and did well in track and field events, finishing just behind Snodgrass in the race for points.

The dashes both furnished exciting finishes. In the bicycle race, Runyon surprised everybody by easily defeating Cuming. The high jump was a hot contest between Lederer and Runyon. J. L. DeForeest was a dark horse in the weight contests and took two firsts and a second there.

The most exciting event of the day was the three-legged race in which there were three teams. The fight was between Runyon and Brower and Snodgrass and Lederer. Runyon and Brower took the lead at the start, but the other team came up and passed them at fifty yards. The boys were going neck and neck as they neared the tape, then Runyon made a final effort and almost threw his partner across the line several inches ahead of their opponents. One of the straps that fastened Lederer and Snodgrass together broke just at that moment and Lederer lost his stride, as they crossed the tape second.

The third-mile walk was something new, but it found favor with the audience. Westerberg was looked on as a sure victor, but Long had a remarkable stride that proved a winning one and won easily.

There were plenty of contestants in most of the events while a fair-sized audience, composed mostly of the fair sex, occupied the grand stand. William A. DeLong, Jr., Henry W. Brower and Lindley M. Hillman were the committee in charge. A. B. Meredith was the referee. Ira W. Travell, Prof. Sandford, and A. Willis West were the judges. The timers were J. Hervey Doane, Charles W. Runyon, Richard Stevens, and E. S. Peck. George Schoonmaker was starter. Charles B. Morse was clerk of the course with Roy T. Phillips as assistant. Mr. Meredith and Mr. Runyon acted as judges of walking.

The points were scored as follows: Carroll L. Runyon, 28; Rhey T. Snodgrass, 22; Arthur Lederer, 15; Joseph L. DeForeest, 13; Walter L. Long, 9; Henry W. Brower, 5; Irving Stewart, 4; Harry Cuming, 4; William A. Fisher, 3; C. H. Westerberg, 3; Sidney Craig, 1; E Stanley Peck, 1.

The summery of the events follows:

100-yards dash—First heat: Won by Rhey T. Snodgrass, scratch; Arthur Lederer, 1 yard, second; Hervey K. Doane, 4 yards, third. Time, 11.1-5 seconds. Second heat: Won by Irving Stewart, 3 yards; Carroll L. Runyon, 1 yard, second; Harry Cuming, scratch, third. Time, 11.3-5 seconds. Final heat: Won by Snodgrass; Stewart, second; Runyon, third. Time, 10.4-5 seconds.

Throwing the hammer—Won by Carroll L. Runyon scratch; Rhey T. Snodgrass, 20 feet, second; Walter L. Long, 20 feet, third. Distance, 90 feet, 7 inches.

1-mile bicycle race—Won by Carroll L. Runyon, 25 yards; Harry Cuming, scratch, second; Walter L. Long, 50 yards, third. Time, 2 56.

Running high jump—Carroll L. Runyon, 5 inches, and Arthur Lederer, 5 inches, tied for first place; Walter Long, scratch, third. Height, 4 feet, 8 inches. Jump of scratch man, 4 feet, 11 inches.

220-yards dash—Won by Rhey T. Snodgrass, scratch; Arthur Lederer, 5 yards, second; Irving Stewart, 7 yards, third. Time, 24.3 5 seconds.

Throwing the discus—Won by Joseph DeForeest, 20 feet; Arthur Lederer, 12 feet, second; Walter L. Long, 10 feet, third. Distance, 70 feet, 7½ inches. Throw of scratch man, C.

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FOR MENTAL EQUIPMENT

OPENING OF THE EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT OF THE Y. M. C. A.

Stephen Cahoone Explained How They Tried to Lessen the Chasm Between Capital and Labor by Education—Remarks.

A fairly large audience, mostly composed of young men, assembled in the large hall at the Y. M. C. A. building last night on the occasion of the annual opening of the educational department. The audience was first treated to a select literary and musical programme, which began at 8:15 o'clock. Stephen Cahoone presided, and first introduced Prof. P. Ludwig Conde, who gave a violin solo, accompanied by Miss Lavinia French upon the piano. The rendition was well received and roundly applauded. Miss Mary Luckey next gave a recitation entitled "The Bell of St. Basil's," proving herself a talented and finished elocutionist.

Mr. Cahoone then made a few appropriate remarks in reference to the work of the Y. M. C. A. educational department. One of the characteristics of the present times, he said, was the problem of how to reconcile the two great classes of society, the capitalists and the laborers. Combinations of capital and the introduction of machinery in factories and type writers and other modern improvements into offices had placed barriers between the employer and his employes and rendered the position of the latter more machine-like and difficult. The power which seems to lie nearest to hand and to be most effective to better the condition of the laborer is education.

Unfortunately, most young men, either by the force of circumstances or from their own misguided choice, have left school without completing the course of study needful to give them a fair chance in the fight for success, and it is exactly this deficiency which the Y. M. C. A. undertakes to make up. It believes that by educating young men it can place them in a position to accomplish the very best of which they are capable—in plain work to get ahead in life and earn better wages. The Y. M. C. A. is better than an ordinary business college because it gives the student more than it receives from him. It is not a money-making concern, but pays out four dollars for every one received in tuition fees. There are many young men in this city today ready to testify that they have been helped to better positions by these courses of study.

Prof. Condé and Miss French rendered another piano and violin selection and were called to respond to an encore, at the close of which former Mayor Gilbert was introduced and made an address to the young men. He had been invited to address the educational classes, the speaker said in opening, and surprised to confront such an audience as he found before him. He valued education highly, because he firmly believed that his success in life depended largely upon the help and training which his old schoolmaster had given him. That worthy man had discovered in him an ability for mathematics, and had given his time and strength freely to aid him in developing it. The result of that training, Mr. Gilbert said, had influenced his work in every position he had ever held, and had enabled him to do work of which he would otherwise have been incapable. Another lad in his school had been encouraged by the same teacher in a love for chemistry, and was now at the head of a firm doing one of the largest wholesale drug businesses in New York city. There were many things necessary for a young man wishing to succeed, said the speaker, and among these is the determination to work hard, improve one's time, and to bring out the very best that is in one's self. Every young man must look at the future and ask himself what he is aiming at and where he expects to stand twenty or thirty years hence. We should have a goal and keep it steadily in sight. We should be careful of our companions, as they help to make us what we are. Employers are in the habit of judging young men by the company they keep. The best company is that of good books. They never corrupt. With them we will have no lonely hours, and the young man who cultivates a love of good books will not have to go out upon the streets at night to seek his pleasures. The Y. M. C. A holds out to young men an opportunity to reap the benefits of culture.

At the close of Mr. Gilbert's remarks the young men wishing to join the various classes were invited upstairs to confer with the instructor. A large number took advantage of the opportunity, the enrollment of students in the shorthand and mechanical courses being unusually large. Word was also received from a number of students wishing to join who were not able to be present last night. The classes will commence work at once, and the year promises to be a most successful one.

HORSE'S WILD RUN.

Could Not Be Guided by Driver and Collided With Another Rig With Bad Effect.

A horse attached to the delivery wagon of W. L. & J. M. Smalley, butchers, of 94 Somerset street, took fright at a train while being driven along Watchung avenue at 12:45 o'clock this afternoon.

The animal took the bit it its mouth and dashed through North avenue, the efforts of the driver to control it proving useless.

George Chester, who held the reins, retained his presence of mind and did his best to guide the runaway safely around the corner into Park avenue.

The horse ran into the rear of a carriage on Park avenue in which Mrs. John L. Ludlum, of 713 East Front street, was seated.

The force of the collision injured the rear of the carriage badly and frightened Mrs. Ludlum. She luckily escaped injury. The horse was thrown down, cutting itself badly in the breast and damaging the shafts and harness.

The services of a veterinary surgeon were secured, and it was found that the horse's injuries were of a serious character. At 1 o'clock the animal was shot to end its suffering.

CONSTABLES CONFISCATED.

Seized a Horse and Cart of R. F. M. Chase to Secure Judgment for a Debt.

A comedy in one act was played in North Plainfield yesterday, but the principals had all of the fun. In the morning a writ of attachment had been issued on the goods owned by Mr. and Mrs. R. F. M. Chase, of the "Notch." The papers were given to Constable VanHorn and he marched to the place in person to perform his duty.

When he reached the house he found no one at home. He came back to Plainfield and secured the assistance of Constable Rockafellow, also that of the attorneys, Lawyers Wm Newcorn and H. C. Runyon. The quartette returned to the scene of action, but were unable to get in the house. They then went to the barn and secured a horse and cart, upon which they levied the attachment. The horse was harnessed to the cart and the quartette took possession. It was a toss up as to who should drive the horse, but Constable VanHorn won the honors hands down, and he played coachman. The party then came down Somerset street to Hoff's livery stable, where the rig has been placed until the attachment is satisfied.

The attachment was issued by John Cronan, a coachman in the employ of R. F. M. Chase, for money due for wages. The rig levied upon will not satisfy the claim, but other proceedings will be adopted.

A BATCH OF OFFENDERS.

Judge DeMeza Dealt Out Punishment to City Court Prisoners.

The usual Saturday morning string of offenders appeared before City Judge DeMeza, this morning, in the city court room. Stephen Murphy was arrested by Sergeant Kiely, last evening, for assaulting a man in a local saloon. He was held under $200 bail for trial on Monday.

James Rourke begged money from Mrs. Marsh, of Plainfield avenue, and threatened to burn down her house if she did not accommodate him. Patrolman Higgins arrested him. He went to the county jail for thirty days.

John Flynn and Michael Scheeney were arrested last evening by Patrolman Watson and Vanderweg for vagrancy and trespassing on the railroad cars. They were tough characters and were sent to the county jail for twenty days.

MISSION LEADER RESIGNS.

Ill Health Compels Mrs. Leggett to Retire From Young Ladies' Band.

The Young Ladies' Mission Band of Trinity Reformed church met yesterday afternoon and talked over the work to be done during the coming winter. On account of ill-health, their president, Mrs. C. P. Leggett, was compelled to resign her position as president, which she did in a tender letter to the Band. Before adjournment the young ladies unanimously elected Mrs. Frank E. Woodruff as their president, each feeling grateful to her for her acceptance of the responsible position, and pledging themselves to assist her in every way to make the Band a useful auxiliary of the church.

District Conference.

The annual district Y. M. C. A. conference will be held at Somerville on Saturday and Sunday, October 9th and 10th. On Saturday evening addresses will be made by Rev. W. R. Richards, D D, on "Good Citizenship," and by William D. Murray, on Bible study.

NO STEED NEEDED HERE.

HORSELESS CARRIAGE INVENTED BY AN INGENIOUS PLAINFIELDER.

Hugo Stommel Has Worked Out His Ideas Into Practical Form and Has the Vehicle Nearly Finished—Trial Soon to be Made.

Unknown, except to a few, a horseless carriage has been in process of construction in this city for several weeks and is now almost completed. It is of a new design and is predicted to fill a long felt want in the line of motor vehicles.

The horseless carriage stands now almost completed in the second story of the factory of the Union Tire Company. It is there that Hugo Stommel, an expert machinist from Germany, has worked his ideas on the subject into practical shape. He is the inventor and maker of this machine, and, if it proves successful, will be at the head of a company that will enter into the manufacture of horseless carriages after this pattern.

The motor carriage differs in appearance from the majority of like vehicles. It greatly resembles an ordinary carriage in the rear, with one wheel in front, to which a long handle is attached, by which the carriage is steered. Below the body of the carriage and between the rear wheels is a large wooden box, which contains the motive power. The power is supplied from a little gasoline engine of 2½ horse-power, which is contained in the box under the carriage. A pipe which goes to the bottom of the box carries away the smoke and fumes from the engine, so there is no odor to those above. The engine furnishes sufficient power to run the carriage at any speed between two and nineteen miles an hour. The speed and direction of the movements of the carriage are controlled by a little lever, which will be at the right hand of the driver or steersman.

The vehicle has to be steered by the handle already mentioned which is within easy reach of the driver or steersman on the right hand side of the seat. There are two seats, one low one in front facing to the rear and a higher one in back, similar to the seat in a carriage, where the director of the carriage will be seated. Besides the power-lever and the steering-handle, there will be an electric push-button at his side to control the electric gong on the front of the carriage. There are electric headlights on either side of the front of the carriage. The power for the lights and the bell is supplied by four batteries that are concealed under the front seat.

The body of the carriage is very similar to that of a regular open carriage. The wheels are of wood with solid rubber tires on them and are the regulation distance apart. Three carriage springs make the carriage an easy riding one. The wheels are all ball-bearing. The metal work visible is either nickeled or enameled in black.

There remains but little more to be done to the machine, and Mr. Stommel hopes to have it out on the road in a week or ten days and give it a practical trial. Mr. Stommel was formerly employed in a factory in Germany where the horseless carriages were made. Then he went into the shop of Walter Scott and started to make one, but there was trouble between Mr. Scott and Mr. Stommel, and so the latter is now making a carriage according to his own ideas.

Death of a Young Wife and Mother.

The following item appeared in The Daily Intelligencer, Belleville, Ontario, under date of Friday, September 24th:

Mrs. Herman Dunning, formerly Miss Emma Deacon, daughter of Edward Deacon, of Mourney street, died last night from typhoid fever at her home in Troy, O. Deceased was twenty-five years of age, leaves one child, and is survived by her father, mother, one brother and three sisters, one of whom resides here.

Several years ago Mrs. Dunning lived in this city with her sister, formerly Miss Ida Deacon, and both were well known in a large circle of young people. The deceased was married to Herman Dunning, who at that time was employed at Wilson Fulper's grocery store on West Front street. They moved to Troy, O., where they resided up to the time of her death.

Too Cold to Go to the Rock.

The Sunday-school of Holy Cross church was to have enjoyed a picnic at Chimney Rock, today, but on account of the unfavorable weather the children were given a party in the Sunday-school room. Under the charge of Superintendent Benjamin R. Western and the teachers of the school, the children passed an enjoyable day, playing indoor games and amusing themselves in various other ways. At noon a luncheon, with ice cream and cake, was served.

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GROVER FOR SENATOR

Former President Cleveland Seeks to Represent New Jersey.

QUIETLY LAYING PIPES

He Is Anxious to Round Out His Public Life by One More National Service—Had Long Been His Ambition.

New York, Oct. 2.—Throughout the length and breadth of New Jersey the rumor has flown that Grover Cleveland is anxious to become United States Senator from New Jersey.

The next vacancy in New Jersey will occur in 1899, when Senator Smith's term will expire. Senator Sewell goes out in 1901.

If Mr. Cleveland succeeds in being sent to the Senate he will have followed the example set by John Quincy Adams, who became a Representative in Congress after having been the nation's chief magistrate.

Mr. Cleveland returned to his stone house in Princeton but a short time ago. He was born in New Jersey, and it is said that for that very reason he wishes to serve the State before his career closes.

There are rumors afloat that Mr. Cleveland began the consideration of the Senatorial matter many years ago—in fact, before his last election. The purchase of the Princeton house was the first veiled move.

Health Greatly Improved.

The health of the former President is greatly improved. He looks better and says he feel better than in years. It was the confinement at a desk that undid him, he says.

When Mr. Cleveland will begin open operations for the Senatorship is a matter of conjecture among Jerseymen. At present he is engaged in "praising up" the State, Princeton in particular, and is making friends hand over fist.

Mr. Cleveland is punctilious as to the dignity of his position as a former President. He has recently declined two highly important undertakings, only because he deemed them inconsistent with his standing. He could have acted for Venezuela had he wished. But a place in the Senate would please him greatly.

The late William E. Russell, Massachusetts' brilliant young Governor, used to talk by the hour with Mr. Cleveland. He commented to him on the case of John Quincy Adams, how that distinguished citizen divested himself of the Presidency and entered the House of Representatives as a simple Congressman.

Mr. Cleveland has been credited with a hankering after another term at the White House. This was never the case after the expiration of the first half of his last term of office. He knew it was out of the question, and dismissed the matter from his mind. When he abandoned the idea of another term he became more and more indifferent to Senators and the politicians generally.

Outside a circle of personal friends, Mr. Cleveland cares nothing for men except as they may be of use to him. Of late he had been cultivating acquaintances in New Jersey. Those who observe him closely in the future will perceive that his fondness for New Jersey and Jerseymen grows apace.

A Summer at the "heel of Cape Cod"—fishing, shooting, plenty of outdoor exercise—has made another man of Grover Cleveland. He has no chronic disease, as many people have imagined he had. He was merely suffering from bad hygienic conditions, from the effect of too close confinement at the desk and overwork without exercise. To-day Mr. Cleveland feels as well and as brisk as a man of his physique is capable of feeling. He perceives an increasing family of children about him and he regards the fact as an encouragement of his aspirations.

SHOWER OF BULLETS.

A Hot Battle Fought at Unity, Pa. One Killed, Several Injured.

Pittsburg, Oct. 2.—Unity's long and black record of crime was emphasized by a pitched battle at the colored camp to-day. One man was shot dead and several others seriously and, perhaps, fatally wounded.

Two colored men held up Joe Coteria, an Austrian. Coteria was returning to his home. The colored men, who were armed with a shotgun and revolvers, sprang upon him from the roadside and ordered him to throw up his hands. Coteria obeyed. They demanded his money. Coteria replied that he had none. Imediately one of the negroes shot the Austrian in the head. He dropped dead.

The sound of the shot aroused the boarders in the murdered man's home, not more than ten yards away. The boarders saw the negroes stooping over the body of Coteria, searching his pockets. The first man out of the house fired at the robbers, who returned the fire. Then followed promiscuous shooting on both sides as the thieves retreated. They were pursued and the firing ceased.

Two of the boarders attempted to carry Coteria's body into the house, and they were scarcely under cover when a perfect volley of shots rained upon the house from either side. The colored men had returned, bringing with them a number of others.

The windows, doors and sides of the house were perforated, and several persons inside were hit. Lights were extinguished, and the boarders fired at the attacking party from windows and doors. Many shots were exchanged, and it is thought several of the attacking party were wounded. The fight continued nearly an hour.

Justice Gilbert Dead.

Rondout, N. Y., Oct. 2.—Justice Francis H. Gilbert died at his home in Stamford, in the Catskills, yesterday, aged 67 years. He had been ill for some months.

Justice Gilbert had long been a prominent figure in State politics. He was the law partner of the late Judge Maynard, who was his cousin. The firm had offices at Stamford and Albany.

Secretary Bliss' New Home.

Washington, Oct. 2.—Secretary Bliss has secured the handsome residence on the southwest corner of Sixteenth and K streets, two blocks from the White House. His family will move here from New York in a few weeks.

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.

A Yonkers Physician Jumps from a Hotel Window.

New York, Oct. 2.—Robert N. Flagg, a Yonkers physician, tried to commit suicide yesterday morning by jumping from a second-story window of the Murray Hill Hotel, on Park avenue. He is now in a private hospital suffering from a fractured skull and a broken leg.

Dr. Flagg was accompanied by his wife, whom he only married the day before. When the doctor came downstairs to breakfast, he appeared to be much agitated. He was nervous and ate very little. After breakfast he returned to his room on the second floor on the Fortieth street side of the hotel.

What occurred there is not known, but not more than half an hour after he had left the breakfast table a woman's screams were heard coming from his room. Several persons responded, but before they could get the door open the doctor had plunged head first to the street below.

His wife was hysterical and could not tell what had happened other than that the doctor, in spite of her efforts to hold him, had jumped from the window.

Dr. Helmuth, a friend of Dr. Flagg, when he heard of the occurrence, had him removed to his private hospital on Lexington avenue.

Business Troubles the Cause.

Yonkers, N. Y., Oct. 2.—Dr. Robert N. Flagg, who committed suicide by jumping from the Murray Hill Hotel, was one of the most widely known and popular residents of Yonkers. He was the oldest son of the late Dr. Levi N. Flagg, and the descendant of one of the first families that settled in Westchester County.

Dr. Flagg was in his 38th year, and enjoyed a lucrative practice here as physician. It is well-known here that the doctor was suffering from mental trouble brought on by the business failure of Howard W. and George A. Flagg, his brothers. Dr. Flagg had indorsed a large amount of paper for the defunct firm, which conducted a large hat manufactory here. He resided with his aged mother.

BALTIMORES WIN HANDILY.

Washingtons Are Now Tied with Brooklyns.

The National League championship season will come to an end in the East to-day and in the West to-morrow. There are still two positions in doubt, sixth and tenth. Baltimore's victory over the Washingtons yesterday put the latter on even terms with the Brooklyns for sixth place. The Pittsburgs won two games from the Clevelands, and gained enough points to enable them to pass the Washingtons and Brooklyns to-day, providing the latter clubs lose and Pittsburg beats Cleveland again. The Louisvilles won handily from the Cincinnatis, and can pass the Philadelphias by capturing two more games from the Reds, if the Quakers lose again to the New Yorks this afternoon. The results:

Baltimore, 7; Washington, 4.

Pittsburg, 11; Cleveland, 10 (first game).

Pittsburg, 7; Cleveland, 3 (second game).

Louisville, 5; Cincinnati, 3.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	To Play.	Per Cent.
Boston	93	38	1	.710
Baltimore	89	39	3	.698
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Cleveland	69	61	2	.531
Brooklyn	60	71	1	.458
Washington	60	71	1	.458
Pittsburg	59	71	2	.454
Chicago	57	72	3	.442
Philadelphia	54	77	1	.412
Louisville	52	76	4	.406
St. Louis	28	100	4	.213

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Congressman Dingley's Fair Cousin the Defendant.

Auburn, Me., Oct. 2.—This usually peaceful section of Maine has never known anything that upset it quite so much as the breach of promise suit of Arthur S. Melcher against Mrs. Louise Dingley Hadley, a cousin of Congressman Nelson Dingley, the cross-examination of whom was yesterday continued in the Supreme Court.

The unique feature of the case is that Melcher wants $25,000 damages because Mrs. Hadley married some one else after he had given her two rings and fixed up his house.

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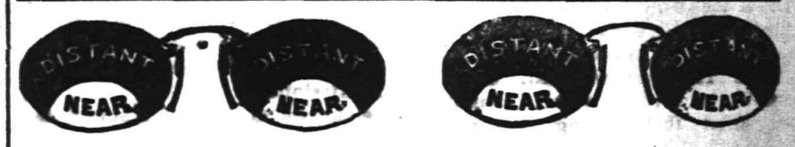

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Emma Loftz, of Elmwood place, who has been very ill, is now out of danger.

Edward F. Randolph, of West Front street, has gone to Liberty, N. Y., with a wife, a tandem and two cameras.

Something to Depend On.

Mr. James Jones, of the drug firm of Jones & Son, Cowden, Ill., in speaking of Dr. King's New Discovery, says, that last winter his wife was attacked with LaGrippe, and her case grew so serious that physicians at Cowden and Pana could do nothing for her. It seemed to develop into Hasty Consumption. Having Dr. King's New Discovery in store, and selling lots of it, he took a bottle home, and to the surprise of all she began to get better from first dose, and half dozen dollar bottles cured her sound and well. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds is guaranteed to do this good work. Try it. Free trial bottles at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

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Miss Lucie Palmer Davis, of East Fifth street, has entered the School of Ethical Culture, in New York.

A few weeks ago the editor was taken with a very severe cold that caused him to be in a most miserable condition. It was undoubtedly a bad case of la grippe and recognizing it as dangerous he took immediate steps to bring about a speedy cure. From the advertisement of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the many good recommendations included therein, we concluded to make a first trial of the medicine. To say that it was satisfactory in its results, is putting it very mildly, indeed. It acted like magic and the result was a speedy and permanent cure. We have no hesitancy in recommending this excellent Cough Remedy to anyone afflicted with a cough or cold in any form.—The Banner of Liberty, Libertytown, Maryland. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Miss Agnes Minford, of Watchung avenue, has left for boarding-school at Dobb's Ferry.

Those who believe chronic diarrhœa to be incurable should read what Mr. P. E. Grisham, of Gaars Mills, La., has to say on the subject, viz.: "I have been a sufferer from chronic diarrhœa ever since the war and have tried all kinds of medicines for it. At last I found a remedy that effected a cure and that was Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy." This medicine can always be depended upon for colic, cholera morbus, dysentery and diarrhœa. It is pleasant to take and never fails to affect a cure. 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

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The horses got a nice start in the third heat. Pointer soon took the lead, and, though Patchen made a gamey rally near the half-mile post, and was not over a length behind when the three-quarter pole was reached, Pointer came in under the wire easily a half dozen lengths ahead, making the mile in 2.00½, amid tremendous cheering. The time by quarters was as follows: 0.29¾, 1.00, 1.30¼, 2.00½.

HIDIHG CASES OF FEVER.

alians in New Orleans Bother the Health Board.

New Orleans, La., Oct. 2.—Among those stricken with yellow fever yesterday was the Rev. Beverly Warner, rector of Trinity Church, the leading Episcopal church in New Orleans. Mr. Warner was taking his vacation in New England. When the fever started here he returned at once and has taken a leading part in the measures to put it down.

Antonio Sinacra was found dead from the fever on St. Philip street, in the Italian quarter. He came here from New York fifteen days ago, and was taken with the yellow fever almost at once. His family concealed the disease. When the case was reported to the Board of Health the guards and fumigating force had to break into the house, which was barricaded against them. They found Sinacra dead and his wife lying across the body in hysterics and kissing the dead man's lips.

Sally Betsy Jennings 100 To-day.

Bridgeport, Ct., Oct. 2.—To-day Sally Betsy Jennings, of New Fairfield, celebrates her her 100th birthday. There was dancing, and she took part. Representatives of five generations assembled to commemorate the occasion. Mrs. Jennings is a spare little body, weighing but ninety-six pounds, but is as lively as her daughter, who is thirty years her junior. She is a direct descendant of Alexander Hamilton. Her grandmother was Orpha Hamilton, sister of Mr. Hamilton. Her grandfather was an uncle of the late P. T. Barnum.

Mrs. Jennings has lived in New York State most of her life. When her husband died some years ago she went to live with her eldest son, Peter Haviland Jennings, who is now a resident of Danbury. To-morrow he will celebrate his 80th birthday.

Banquet to Archbishop Keane.

Washington, Oct. 2.—A banquet will be given Archbishop John Joseph Keane, formerly rector of the Catholic University, now stationed in Rome, who is here on a visit and to attend the annual meeting of the Board of Directors of the Catholic University, on the 13th inst. Among the list of subscribers and guests are Secretary of State Sherman, Attorney-General McKenna, Assistant Secretary of the Navy Roosevelt, Senator Roach, Senator Carter, Cardinal Gibbons, Archbishop Martinelli, the Papal Delegate; Mgr. Sharetti and Dr. Rooker, of the Papal Delegation; Mgr. Conaty, the rector, and many professors of the Catholic University; the heads of other educational institutions in the District and a number of prominent citizens.

Postmasters.

Washington, Oct. 2.—Fourth-class postmasters were appointed as follows:

New Jersey—Linden, Union County, D. G. Hilliard.

New York—Churchtown, Columbia, E. C. Shultz; Johnson, Orange, I. R. Drake; Mellenville, Columbia, G. H. Philip; Palatine Bridge, Montgomery, E. B. Ireland; Raymondville, St. Lawrence, S. N. Babcock St. James, Suffolk, Everett Smith; Scott, Cortland, M. A. Whiting; Valley Stream, Queens, L. E. Culnet.

Pennsylvania—Andalusia, W. C. Pickering; Charkston, Julius Wetmore; Chatham Valley, William Goodwin; Clintondale, William Knorr; Cranberry, W. H. Sayers; Nittany, Robert Tate; Picture Rocks, J. P. Fague.

Disastrous Prairie Fires.

Omaha, Oct. 2.—Disastrous prairie fires are raging in Nebraska and South Dakota as a result of the protracted drought. From Rapid City, Chamberlain, Huron, Howard and other points in South Dakota come reports of the flames sweeping over whole counties, destroying all crops in their path. From Dakota City, Chadron and other towns in Nebraska large prairie fires are reported sweeping over the State. Many of the districts are isolated, and it is feared that lives have been lost. Much stock has perished.

Zaimis to Form a Cabinet.

Athens, Oct. 2.—The King has accepted the resignation of the Ralli Cabinet, and M. Zaimis, President of the Chamber of Deputies, has undertaken the task of forming a new Ministry. Probably M. Skouloudis, Minister of Foreign Affairs in the Ralli Cabinet, will retain the foreign portfolio in the new government. It is expected that all the other members of the Cabinet will be new men.

Village Half Destroyed.

Chicago, Oct. 2.—Half of the village of Willow Springs, sixteen miles from here, on the drainage canal, was wiped out by fire yesterday morning. Fifty families were made homeless, and the best business buildings in the village are in ruins.

The loss is $50,000. There were many narrow escapes from death.

Jersey Lily Will Retire.

London, Oct. 2.—Mrs. Langtry makes the announcement that she has retired from the stage, and that her steam yacht White Ladye will be sold.

Her racing stable, which is conducted under the name of "Mr. Jersey," will be retained and her horses run as heretofore.

WEYLER READY TO QUIT

Has Cabled His Resignation as Captain General of Cuba.

SAGASTA SEES THE QUEEN

Campos and Pidal Also in Consultation with Her in Regard to New Cabinet—Marshal Campos to Return to Cuba.

Havana, via Key West, Fla., Oct. 2.—It is announced on the highest authority that Capt.-Gen. Weyler has sent his resignation to Madrid, to take effect as soon as the incoming Cabinet may see fit.

The resignation was cabled to Spain as soon as Weyler was informed of the fall of the Azcarraga Ministry. He believes that a Liberal Cabinet will be summoned and that therefore his resignation would be requested in any event.

It is common talk, even in official circles, that the war has proved exceedingly profitable to "the Butcher." He is said to have netted, in "commissions" and otherwise, something like two million dollars. Rumor says that he has provided against possible trouble in Spain by having the money placed to his credit with Paris bankers.

Has No Fear of Poverty.

When Weyler's term as Captain-General of the Philippines had expired he had amassed, it is estimated, fully four million dollars in the devious ways familiar to nearly all Spanish rulers of those islands.

If he retires from Cuba with no military glory and the hatred of every

GEN. WEYLER.

friend of humanity, it will not be to retirement into poverty.

The general belief that Marshal Martinez Campos will return to Cuba as Captain-General has caused a great stir among Weyler's satellites, many of whom have grown rich by imitating their master's methods. It is likely that a large number of them will endeavor to return to the peninsula with Weyler.

Sagasta Visits the Regent.

Madrid, Oct. 2.—Senor Sagasta, the former Premier, who will probably form the new Cabinet, arrived here from the country yesterday morning, and other incoming trains brought Marshal Martinez Campos and Senor Pidal, President of the Chamber of Deputies. All of them lost little time in accepting invitations to tender their views on the situation to the Queen Regent.

The official paper, the Correspondencia, has caused much surprise by declaring that there is some possibility of Marshal Martinez Campos forming a compromise Cabinet, composed of men of all political parties. This idea is laughed at in Madrid. The Cabinet would only be thus formed in case war with the United States was inevitable.

The general feeling over the Ministerial situation is that it will probably take a week to reach a solution of the crisis.

WILL TRACY WITHDRAW ?

Important Conference Between the Candidate, Platt and Quigg.

New York, Oct. 2.—A two hours' conference was held yesterday between Gen. Tracy and Messrs. Platt and Quigg at the office of Tracy, Boardman & Platt. Immediately afterward Mr. Quigg returned to Republican County headquarters. He declined to say what had been the subject of the conference.

It was learned, however, that a statement alleged to have been made by Henry George had been brought to Mr. Platt. This was that Mr. George did not care to be the Mayor of Greater New York himself, but that he was anxious to see Seth Low elected.

It is certain that yesterday's conference concerned the advisability of withdrawing Gen. Tracy's name.

REJECTED TOM MOORE.

Name of Ireland's Great Poet Not on Congressional Library Walls.

Washington, Oct. 2.—The discovery has been made that the name of Tom Moore, Ireland's famous poet, has been omitted from the long list of authors inscribed on the walls of the Congressional Library. It is learned that the Irish poet's name was considered by a committee, and rejected. This committee consisted of Ainsworth R. Spofford, Dr. E. M. Gallaudet, of the Deaf and Dumb Institute, and Superintendent of Library Green.

The affair has aroused deep feeling among Ireland's friends. Division No. 3, A. O. H., decided to ask their brothers throughout the country to cooperate with them in an effort to have the next session of Congress consider the matter.

Bates Gets the Place.

Washington, Oct. 2. — President McKinley has appointed Medical Director Newton L. Bates to be Surgeon General of the Navy and Chief of the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery in the Navy Department. Dr. Bates is a personal friend of McKinley, and is the family physician of the President.

An Old Bank's Doors Shut.

Pottsville, Pa., Oct. 2.—The Government National Bank, of this city, has gone into liquidation after an existence of thirty-five years. Officials of the bank say that the liquidation is owing to differences among the stockholders.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

(Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Probably Fair Sunday, Preceded By Threatening Weather and Local Showers on the Coast This Afternoon or To-night; Cooler Tonight.

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 54 Degrees.

COMING EVENTS.

October 3d—Odd Fellows at Y. M. C. A. at 4:15 p. m.

October 7th—Entertainment Bethel chapel.

DENOUNCE AMUSEMENTS.

Antagonism of church organizations to popular amusements, such as dancing, card-playing, theatre-going, and the like, has generally ceased, except in the Methodist Episcopal church, and even there it has not been very insistent of late, says the Evening Post. In that church and in others the laws forbid participation in such amusements, but these rules of discipline have become, in most cases, dead letters, because of a lack of supporting sentiment. It is something of a surprise, therefore, that at this day the Methodist Conference in Indiana should adopt an emphatic and wholesale denunciation of popular amusements. This it did without any discrimination whatever as to time, place or character, so that the ministers in that conference must continue to condemn from the pulpit what the great majority of their congregations regard as innocent recreations. Such a conflict in opinion between pulpit and pew is not likely to contribute to harmony of belief on more important questions.

THE BOROUGH MAYOR.

Probably never in the history of the borough has it had an executive who has served the people more faithfully and with a truer conception of public needs and rights than Col. Wilson. The Mayor has a large quantity of what is commonly called "backbone" and it stands him in good stead in more ways than one in administering the duties of his office. He is stern but just, aggressive but fair in dealing alike with rich and poor. Wealthy corporations, usually defiant of municipal ordinances in most cities, are compelled by Col. Wilson to adhere to the borough ordinances with the same strict compliance that the humble citizen is. Col. Wilson knows no distinction or discrimination in public office. He is Mayor from the top to the bottom, and the borough citizens out to be glad and proud of it.

Under the direction of Councilman MacLaughlin a very neat police manual has just been issued for the borough. It contains the rules and regulations for the conduct of the marshals. Gradually the borough government is improving in all directions.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Charles French, of this city, who is in the employ of Hackett, Carhart & Co., has taken up his residence in New York for the winter.

—Columbia Lodge, A. O. U. W., met last night and initiated one candidate. The Mogullians met afterwards and initiated three victims.

—At the First Presbyterian church organ recital tomorrow evening, beginning at 7:30, the music will be from the works of Beethoven.

—J. Cloos, cloak and dressmaker, formerly of Somerset street, has removed to one of the stores in the Manning building on West Front street.

—A large shipment of choice canning and table peaches was received at Neuman Bros., the Watchung avenue grocers today, and must all be disposed of this afternoon and evening. Prices to suit everybody.

A Hint on Preserving.

To the housewife who is now busy preserving fruits and other dainties for winter use, it is timely to suggest that in her attention to this duty she should not forget a hint indicated by her occupation, and that is to be careful about preserving her eyesight. Her book of recipes may not instruct her as to this, but a call at Colliers will, and result in prolonging her usefulness in the bargain.

Protect yourself against sickness and suffering by keeping your blood rich and pure with Hood's Sarsaparilla. Weak, thin, impure blood is sure to result in disease.

Hood's Pills are the favorite family cathartic, easy to take, easy in effect. 25c.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Robert Rushton has left Brookside Retreat, having about recovered from his illness.

Miss Clara Frost, of Canada, is visiting her friend, Miss Middledith, of Mercer avenue.

Miss Alys Chandor, of East Fifth street, has gone to Nutley to spend Saturday and Sunday.

Mortimer Chilton, of Jersey City, is a guest at the home of Lemuel W. Serrell, of Crescent avenue.

Miss Adelaide Baxter, of Putnam avenue, has gone to New York to visit friends for a few days.

Miss Bertha Swackhamer, of Whitehouse, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Edith DuBois, of Park avenue.

Mrs. S. T. Wilson, of Central avenue, has returned to her home, after spending the summer out of town.

Messrs. Charles and Fred Case, of Central avenue, have returned to Harvard College, where they are students.

Miss Fannie Western, of Washington avenue, and her guest, Miss Ethel Marsh, have been visiting friends in Cranford.

J. H. Hasbrook and family, of Grove street, will remove to Brooklyn next week. Mr. Hasbrook has been a resident of Plainfield for the past twenty-five years.

Miss Sarah Schuyler, of LaGrande avenue, leaves next week for Barnard College, which she will enter. She graduated from the Plainfield High School last June.

Councilman A. C. Stebbins is still at Pittsfield, Mass., and has not returned as reported by another paper. Mr. Stebbins may be home in time for the next Council meeting.

THE BOROUGH COUNCIL.

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plicates, and that less than one-half of one per cent. of the amount remained uncollected. The report spoke of the somewhat antiquated method of keeping the reports, but it also mentioned the efficiency of Collector Spencer who had kept the reports so accurately. Mr. Spencer is not responsible for the method in vogue. Mayor Wilson expressed the thanks of the Council to the committee for their earnest labors, and the committee also thanked Messrs. Rogers and Burtis for their kind assistance.

Mr. MacLaughlin stated that the Assessors' maps were completed and ready for inspection. Mr. Burtis offered a resolution setting Thursday evening, October 14th, as the time when the Council would meet to consider any objections to the report of the Watchung Avenue Commissioners, and to examine and confirm said report. Mr. Rogers followed with a resolution that the Council meet Monday evening, October 11th, for the purpose of examining the above report before the date of October 14th.

It was stated by Counsel Reed, for the benefit of Mr. MacLaughlin, that seven copies of the commissioners' report had been made for the Councilmen for their personal examination.

Mr. Woolston reported the names of a hundred or more property owners of the borough who had failed to comply with the law in laying sidewalks in front of their properties. It was moved that the proper steps be taken to have the walks laid and that the Council take steps to effect a lien on the property for the payment of the work.

Another matter introduced by Mr. Woolston was that street signs be placed about the borough where needed. Mr. Rogers thought that 100 signs would be necessary. Mr. Woolston reported that they could be secured for $1 each. Mr. MacLaughlin thought that others should be asked to bid on furnishing the signs, but Mr. Woolston convinced Mr. MacLaughlin that no better price could be secured and the signs were ordered by the Council. The $100 does not include the placing of the signs, and they will have to be erected by the Council. Following this the Council went into executive session.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they do is tenfold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by druggists, price 75c per bottle.

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ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Additional locals on page 3.

—The foundation on the borough side for the new Sycamore avenue bridge is nearly completed.

—There are now fourteen patients at the hospital, but all are doing well, and there are no serious cases.

—The shoe display in the show window of Doane & Edsall's is a work of art. Herb Martin is the author.

—Frank Rickert was on duty yesterday at fire headquarters, while one of the drivers went to Princeton.

—A meeting of the Board of Governors of the Hillside Tennis and Golf Club will be held on Monday evening.

—The regular meeting of the Junior Epworth League of Monroe Avenue M. E. church was held yesterday afternoon.

—The annual meeting of the Boys' Club will be held this evening at 125 Crescent aveuue, the residence of D. O. Tiffany.

—Health Inspector Addis has in his possession a bulls eye cycle lantern which the owner can have by calling and proving property.

—E. Jocelyn Geisinger, a scalp specialist, has established an office in this city. Her advertising announcement appears in today's Press.

—David Dunn, of Washingtonville, who was injured several weeks ago through the discharge of a gun, and who has been confined at the hospital, is now able to go out.

—The annual election of officers in the Sunday-school of the Congregational church will be held tomorrow afternoon. The annual reports of the old officers will be made.

—People who have occasion to travel along Clinton avenue are thoroughly disgusted with the condition of the road. They think that a little work should be performed in that section.

—Now that we are having a spell of warm weather a number of closed cars are being run on the street railway. During the recent cold snap travelers had the pleasure of using the open cars.

—Edward White will put on sale tonight an immense lot of fine wool underwear for ladies, gentlemen and children. They are the celebrated Star Mills goods and are priced at half their real value.

—It is expected that at the meeting of the City Council next Monday evening something regarding the new city hall will be introduced. A considerable amount of important business will be transacted at the meeting.

—The candidates who were to be initiated at the meeting of Pesever ance Lodge, K. of P., last evening, were unable to be present, and the first rank will be conferred on them next week instead. There was no business of importance transacted at last night's meeting.

—At the meeting of John Hand Camp, No. 28, Sons of Veterans, next Tuesday evening, there will probably br a muster. Every member is urged to attend as other matters of importance will be discussed in relation to the coming fair to be held in Washington Hall, West Second street, the first week in November.

—Prospective purchasers of clothing should bear in mind that the principal object of the sacrifice sale at Jacquett's, 129 East Front street, is to close out the business, and that prices are being made with that view. Jacquett's stock is all comparatively new, and besides the benefit of low prices you have the advantage of stylish garments.

—The New York Clothing Company, under the management of M. Weinberger, is constantly springing surprises on Plainfielders by the low prices that they quote on good garments. Mr. Weinberger has just completed the purchase of a large stock of clothing of a firm who were unable to carry on their business, and that stock is now being disposed of at remarkably low prices. On the eighth page of The Press can be seen an advertisement telling all about the sale.

ALL-ROUND CHAMPION.

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L. Runyon, 81 feet, 10 inches.

Three-legged race—Won by Carroll L. Runyon and Henry W. Brower, scratch: Arthur Lederer and Rhey T. Snodgrass, scratch, second; Sidney Craig and Henry Cuming, 1 yard, third. Time, 15 second.

Running broad jump—Won by Carroll L. Runyon, 6 inches; Joseph L. DeForeest, 8 inches, second: Arthur Lederer, 8 inches, third. Distance, 15 feet, 3 inches. Jump of scratch man, W. L. Long, 14 feet, 11 inches.

440-yard run—Won by Rhey T. Snodgrass, 5 yards; William A. Fisher, 12 yards, second; Arthur Lederer, scratch, third. Time, 1 minute, 1 second.

Putting the shot—Won by Joseph L. DeForeest, 2 feet; Carroll L. Runyon, scratch, second: Rhey T. Snodgrass, 1 foot, third. Distance, 30 feet, 7 inches. Put of scratch man, 30 feet, 11½ inches.

½-mile walk—Won by Walter L. Long, 25 yards; C. H. Westerberg, scratch, second; E. Stanley Peck, 50 yards, third. Time 2 minutes, 49.2-5 seconds.

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Borough Notice.

Watchung Avenue Assessment.

To whom it may concern:

Take notice that the report of the Commissioners appointed to make the benefit assessment of the cost and expenses of the improvement of laying out, opening, grading, macadamizing, &c., of Watchung avenue in the said Borough under an ordinance entitled "An ordinance for the laying out and opening of Watchung avenue from the centre line of Green brook to the southeasterly side line of Jackson avenue," approved Sept. 6, 1895, together with all objections filed thereto in writing, has been duly brought before the Mayor and Council of the said Borough and

Take further notice, that said Mayor and Council has fixed Thursday, October 14th, 1897, at 8 P. M. at the Council Chambers as the time and place for the examination and confirmation of said report, when and where any parties interested can be heard by said Mayor and Council, if any such desire to be heard or to object to said report or assessment in any way.

After such hearing said Mayor and Council will proceed as required by law to examine the matter and correct said report and assessment and ratify the same.

Dated October 1st, 1897.

By order of the Mayor and Council.

James K. Arnold, Borough Clerk. 10 2 3 stt

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Fine Crinoline, white, black, slate	5c, 10c yd
Paper Muslin, yard wide, all colors	7c yd
Genuine Hair Cloth, black or gray	25c yd
Taffetta Skirt Lining, yard wide	10c, 15c yd
French Cambric Waist Lining	10c, 12c, 15c, 18c, 25c yd
Double Faced Waist Lining	13c, 15c, 18c, 25c yd
Double Skirt Belting, shaped ready for use	10c yd
Special lot Rustle Skirt Lining	7c yd
Patent Hump Hooks and Eyes, white or black	3c card
Best 100 yard Spool Silk, black and colors,	7c spool
Pure Rubber Lined Dress Shields	10c pair
Dress Stays, Japanned or silvered	5c doz
200 yard Machine Cotton, white or black	2c spool
Handsome new patterns of Fall Flanneletts	10c yd
Extra good quality of new Outing Flannel	7c yd
The best unlaundered Shirt in the State	50c each
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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

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DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

J. B. Conover is able to be out again after a short illness.

A meeting of the women of the M. E. church was held yesterday afternoon.

A large number of people from the borough attended the State Fair at Trenton yesterday.

Miss Lillian Staats has purchased a new wheel, and her spare time will now be devoted to riding.

William Terry and A. N. Randolph will start tomorrow for a few days hunting trip for pheasants.

Rev. A. I. Martine will occupy the pulpit of the Presbyterian church tomorrow both morning and evening.

William Carman, who is a member of the Dunellen Gun Club, killed 25 pigeons out of 27, at the club grounds yesterday. The birds were all drivers. Billy is a hard one to beat.

The members of the New Market Baptist church are making great preparation for the East New Jersey Baptist Sunday-school convention to be held in their church October 19th.

Some enterprising person has placed two road signs at the corner of Washington avenue and North avenue, telling people which way to go. A number of such signs are needed in the borough.

Harry Apgar, son of Joseph Apgar, broke a small bone in his right wrist Thursday afternoon while playing football in the station park. The boy was taken to Dr. Brakeley's, where the fractured bone was set.

The borough sidewalk ordinance is killed for this year and there is no hope of reviving it. A certain number of residents in one part of the borough wanted to make the residents in another part do what they would not do, hence the action of the Council in killing the ordinance.

The Protective Game and Propagating Association of Union, Middlesex and Somerset counties, have leased the mountain front from Clinton avenue to Sebring's Mills, for the purpose of protecting and stocking the same with rabbit, quail and partridge. The land will be posted in a few days.

Deputy Game Warden Sisty met the wrong man in New York last week, in passing one of the bird stores in the metropolis. He noticed a gray squirrel caged in front of the store, and he walked in and asked the proprietor if he knew that he was liable to be arrested for keeping a squirrel caged. The dealer said that he did not know that he was in any way liable. Whereupon, Sisty said that he was, and that he was an officer of the game society, and showed his badge in evidence. The dealer laughed and said that made no difference to him as he was a Jersey officer and had no say in the matter in New York, as they made their own laws and had their own officers. Mr. Sisty had no more to say, but walked away after a large crowd gave him the laugh.

SCOTCH PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

The football team meets for practice every day.

The Fanwood Board of Health holds a meeting tonight.

A union meeting will be held in the Methodist church tomorrow night.

W. H. Dowling, of Rahway, was in Scotch Plains on business yesterday.

Lynus Walpole intends taking a hunting trip to Pike county, Pennsylvania, next week.

William Lee is recovering from the injuries received by being attacked by a mad dog on Tuesday night.

The Scotch Plains baseball team play the Glenside team on the Scotch Plains grounds this afternoon. This will be the last game of the season.

The case of Lyuus Walpole against Jonothan Kendal for the willful shooting of the former's dog, was dismissed by Justice Kelley, of Summit, on Thursday. Walpole has announced his intention of bringing another action before Justice Joseph Clark, of Scotch Plains.

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WESTFIELD

TO ABATE NUISANCES.

WESTFIELD BOARD OF HEALTH AND TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE MEET.

Contracts Received for Cleaning of Brook—Town Counsel Decides That Miller Must Pay His Taxes—Other Items.

All members of the Westfield Township Committee were present at its meeting last night. A corrected estimate of $35 upon the work of constructing 500 feet of fence between his property and the Westfield sewer farm, was submitted by Thomas Dickson and accepted by the Committee. George W. Tice complained of the bad condition in which the Union Water Company had left Lawrence avenue, in front of his property, after making excavation for a flush tank at that point. The clerk was instructed to notify the Water Company to place the street in proper condition at once. Several property owners sent in agreements to pay their sewer assessments in annual installments. Engineer H. C. VanEmburgh appeared before the Committee and explained that the delay in beginning the repairs on Broad street was due to the inability of Contractor Johnston to secure the necessary stone from the crushers. As the contract allows him until the 9th to finish the work, it was decided to take no action upon the matter until that date. A communication was received from Counsel Frank Bergen stating that in his opinion A. J. Miller, a member of the Westfield Exempt Firemen's Association, had forfeited his claim to tax exemption by moving out of the State. The committee, acting upon the advice of Mr. Bergen, will refuse to allow Miller his exemption, and the matter will be taken to the courts for settlement. It was decided that the Cooper bronze drinking fountain which was run into by a truck sometime ago and badly damaged, should be housed for the winter. The following bids for cleaning the brook from the farm of Oliver Pierson on Broad street to the A. A. Drake property, on Westfield avenue: William McCarthy, $9; Michael Kelley, $10 and Philip Sterphone $72. Bills to the amount of $599.11 were ordered paid and the Committee adjourned to next Monday night.

The Westfield Board of Health met last night and ordered Francis R Baker to abate nuisances upon his property on the Rahway road within five days. Nuisances were also reported as existing upon the premises of George Burrell and Aaron Allen, on Downer street. The health inspector was ordered to look into the matter, and to order the abatement of any nuisances discovered. Martin Welles complained of a drain running through his Elm street property and carrying polluted water. J. M. C. Marsh, secretary of the Board, and Inspector E. W. Chamberlain were ordered to discover the origin of the nuisance and order an abatement. The secretary reported three cases of contagious disease in the township during the past month. A number of bills were received and referred to the Township Committee.

Rev. Mr. Snyder, of this place, will preach in St. Paul's church tomorrow. Bishop Scarborough has advised Rev. Charles Fisk, of Trenton, to accept the call and become rector of the church. Mr. Fisk's decision will be made known to the vestry within a week.

A projectoscope exhibition was given before a rather small audience at the Westfield Club Hall last evening. The programme included some sleight-of-hand tricks by Edward Hendrickson.

The Westfield Club football team plays its first game in The Journal trophy series with the Cranford team on the Roosevelt Manor grounds in Cranford this afternoon.

The annual inspection of the Westfield fire department by Chief Dennis will take place at the engine house on North avenue Wednesday, the 13th, at 8 o'clock.

Charles Forster and family, of Mountainside, have taken possession of their newly-rented house on Westfield avenue for the winter.

There will be a reception of probationers and communion services in the Methodist church tomorrow morning.

Miss Helen Beebe will lead the Christian Endeavor meeting in the Congregational church tomorrow evening.

William Dallas and family, of Prospect street, have returned from their summer's vacation, spent at Belmar.

J. Willis Pierson, of Bloomfield, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Pierson, of North Broad street.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church are preparing a box to send to the family of a home missionary.

Mrs. W. L. Harvey has returned to Gouldsboro, Pa., after a week's visit with her son, Dr. T. J. Harvey.

The offering in the Presbyterian church tomorrow morning will be for the poor fund.

Communion service will be held in the Presbyterian church tomorrow morning.

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St. Joseph's (R. C.) Church—Rev. William H. Miller, pastor. Masses at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school, 2:30; evening devotions, 8.

St. Mary's (R. C.) Church—Rev. P. E. Smyth, pastor. Masses at 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:30 a. m.; evening devotions at 8. Sunday-school, 2:30 p. m.

Mission Church of the Heavenly Rest, Clinton avenue, William Winans Moore, lay reader—Morning service at 11 o'clock. Sunday-school at 9:45 a. m. Evening prayer at 4 o'clock.

St. Stephen's Church, Rev. S. P. Simpson, rector—Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m.; Holy Communion and sermon, 11 a. m.; Sunday-school, 9:45 a. m.; evening prayer and sermon, 7:45. Trolley cars run past the church every twelve minutes.

Trinity Reformed Church—Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph. D., pastor. Services will be held in Y. M. C. A. Hall. Divine worship and preaching by the pastor at 10:30 a. m and 7:30 p m. Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m. Evening subject, "A Good Witness." The Sacrament of the Lords Supper will be administered at the morning service.

First Presbyterian Church—Rev. Chas. E. Herring, pastor. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Morning subject, "The Atonement:" evening, "Leading a Christian Life."

East End A. M. E. Zion Church, Fillmore avenue, Rev. C. Jackson, pastor.—Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday-school at 10 a. m. Evening subject, "Deamons."

Grace Church, Rev. E. M. Rodman, rector, Rev. F. Appleton, curate—Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m.; litany, Holy Communion and sermon at 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 3 p. m.; children's service at 4 p. m.; evening prayer and sermon at 7:30.

Congregational Church, Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor.—Morning service at 10:30 Sunday-school at 2:45 p. m. Christian Endeavor service at 7:30 p. m.

First M. E. Church, Rev. Winfield C. Snodgrass, pastor—Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m. Epworth League service at 7 p. m. The pastor will occupy the pulpit both morning and evening.

Park Avenue Baptist Church, Rev. J. W. Richardson, pastor—Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m. The pastor will occupy the pulpit both morning and evening. Morning theme, "Paying What We Owe;" evening, "A Problem in Gospel Mathematics." All sittings free.

First Baptist church, Rev. D. J. Yerkes, D. D., pastor—Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m. The pastor will occupy the pulpit both morning and evening. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered at the morning service.

Grace M. E. Church, Rev. Henry J. Johnston, pastor—Preaching services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m. Epworth League at 7 p m. Evening subject, "Issues of a Struggle." Rev. H. K. Carroll LL. D., will occupy the pulpit in the morning.

Monroe Avenue M. E. Church, Rev. William C. O'Donnell, pastor—Services at 11 a. m and at 8 p. m. Sunday-school at 3 p m. Epworth League, 7:15 p. m. Evening subject, "Morality and Religion in New Jersey." The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper and the reception of members at the morning service.

Christian Church, H. W. McKane, pastor.—The Lord's Supper at 11:45 a. m. Preaching services at 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Sunday-school at 3 p. m. J. H. Barton will occupy the pulpit both morning and evening. Morning subject, "Pre-eminence of Jesus."

All Souls' Church, Park avenue, (Unitarian,) Rev. A. C. Nickerson, pastor—Preaching service at 10:45 a. m. by the pastor. Subject, "Burden Bearing." Sunday-school at 12 m.

East Third Street Mission—Rev. L. E. Livermore will lead the evening meeting.

Reform Hall—4:15 meeting will be led by Martin B. Cronce.

Y. M. C. A., 4:15 p. m.—Queen City and Plainfield Lodges, I. O. O. F., will attend. Violin and vocal solos. All men are invited.

Volunteers of America—Will hold special meeting in the old Y. M. C. A. Hall at 11 a. m., 3 p. m. and 8 p. m. A. D. C. Hannon and Capt. Jenkins, of Philadelphia, will have charge of the meetings. Mr. Hannon is the regimental secretary.

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The subway is constructed of brick and steel. Portions consist of oval brick arches, with two tracks in each. Other portions have straight brick walls with steel girders crossing overhead supporting short brick arches.

The average descent to the stations is about 16 feet. On the New York elevated railways the lowest station platform is about 19 feet above the street level, and the average height is 21½ feet. The stairs are of hard bluestone, with broad "treads" and short easy rises.

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The lighting is by electric lamps, the curent for which is derived from a special plant. The illumination is brilliant, so that the passengers in the cars will not be incommoded. Newspapers may be read in any portion of the subway.

The difference between the Boston subway and the London underground lines is very great. The latter are operated by steam locomotives and are not provided with artificial ventilation. Any person who has traveled in the cars of the London underground will remember the smoky, gaseous horrors of the journey. The engineer of the New York Rapid Transit Commission reported that one of the New York elevated locomotives vitiates the air as much as the respiration of 25,000 people.

The temperature of the Boston subway is cooler in summer and warmer in winter than the outside air. It will be more agreeable to travel in winter in the subway than it would to travel on the surface. The motorman will encounter no wind, rain or snow. There will be no teams to avoid. No children wil be in front of the cars. No people dodging across the tracks oblivious of danger. Stopping and starting will occpr only at the stations.

There has been no serious engineering difficulty encountered. There were an immense number of pipes to be removed and changed, but this work was merely a matter of time and detail. The most difficult portion of the work was on Washington street. Here the line burrowed down ten feet below the foundations of the buildings on either side, and the excavations extended on each side to within two feet of the line of the basement walls. The work was conducted along Tremont street with the full tide of traffic going on overhead.

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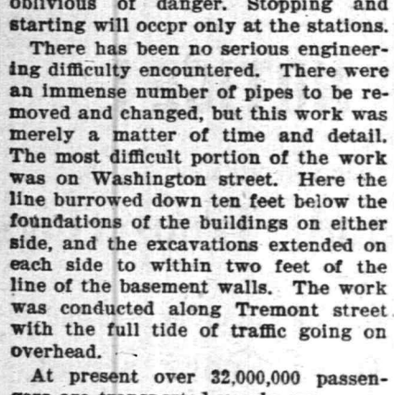

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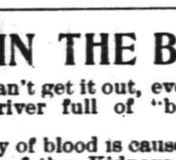

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Leave New York, foot Liberty street, at 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00 a. m.; 12 00 m., (2 45 and 1 00 Saturdays only) 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 25, 3 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, (5 15 except Saturdays) 5 30, 5 45, (6 00 except Saturdays) 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 25, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45 p. m.; 12 15, 1 00 night. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00, 9 00, 9 15 a. m.; 12 m.; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00 p.m.; 12 15 night; 1 00 a. m.

Leave New York from Whitehall street at 7 00, 7 55, 8 25, 8 55, 9 55, 11 55 a. m., (12 45 Saturdays only) 1 00, 1 25, 2 25, 3 25, 3 55, 4 25, 4 55, 5 25 (5 55 except Saturdays) 6 25, 6 55, 7 50, 8 25, 9 10, 9 55, 11 30 p. m., 12 10 night. Sundays—At 7 00, 8 55 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 2 30, 3 55, 5 25, 6 55, 7 25, 8 25, 9 50 p. m., 12 10 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 50, 8 00, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 6 06, 6 40, 7 08, 8 30, 9 15, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a. m.; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 18, 7 55, 8 38, 9 03, 10 05 a. m.; 12 10, 1 15, 1 35, 2 25, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 23, 5 54, 6 19, 7 15, 7 35, 8 10, 10 05, 11 05 p. m. Sunday, 7 15, 9 05, 9 30, 10 35 a. m.; 1 10, 1 35, 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 20, 10 20 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a.m (1 40, Saturdays only) 2 11, 2 32, 3 35, 4 36, 5 05, 5 15, 5 54, 6 04, 6 09, 6 16, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 22, p. m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 06, 9 05, a. m; 2 03, 3 39, 6 35, 8 30, 10 15, 11 14 p. m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35, 8 13, 9 02, 9 45, 11 45, a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05, 2 25, 4 25, 5 28, 6 08, 6 40, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05 p. m Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a. m; 12 05, 1 20, 5 15, 6 32, 7 53, 8 05, 8 45, 10 00 p.m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a. m., 1 01, 2 11, 4 55, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 9 05 a. m; 2 03 6 35 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a. m; 12 32, 4 04, 7 00, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 52 a. m; 6 30 p. m.

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7 10 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

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3 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, MauchChunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

4 55 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Scranton, Wilkesbarre, Tamaqua, Shamokin, (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

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6 39 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 55 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

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9 03 a. m. Sundays for Easton.

9 09 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

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YESTERDAY'S CABINET MEETING.

The Cuban Question and the Situation in Hawaii the Chief Topics.

Washington, Oct. 2.—There was a general understanding in official circles here that yesterday's Cabinet meeting would be partly devoted to a discussion of the advisability of making public the text of the instructions given Minister Woodford for his guidance in treating with the Spanish Government on the Cuban question, or of advising Gen. Woodford to give the press the text of the note he presented to the Duke of Tetuan. Permission to furnish the note to the newspapers had been asked by Gen. Woodford, and Secretary Sherman sent the note, with his approval, to the President, who was then at North Adams. The answer of the President that he believed it best not to comply with Gen. Woodford's request at this time was considered as indicating only a short delay until the President could consult with his Cabinet. But no mention of the subject was made at the meeting, probably because the change in the political situation at Madrid leaves this Government in a quandary as to whether it will be necessary to take further action when a new ministry is formed. The present crisis in Spain was discussed by the President and his official family at some length, with particular reference to the effect the change in political control at Madrid would be likely to have on Cuba. It was the first opportunity afforded for an exchange of views since the President went to Massachusetts.

The Cabinet meeting was longer than usual. It lasted more than two hours, and adjourned on the departure of Secretary Sherman, who almost invariably leaves the Cabinet room when the consideration of State Department matters is concluded. The Cuban discussion was not based on any information from Gen. Woodford. He has not sent a line about the resignation of the Spanish Ministry or its probable effect on the insurrection. The President and the Cabinet talked about the probability of the succession of a liberal ministry, and how it would act toward the struggling patriots, but there was no attempt to arrive at a definite conclusion in regard to any action it might be necessary for the United States to take.

The views expressed were of a general character, and the topic was deferred for future consideration, because the developments at Madrid have not been sufficient to justify any new instructions to the American Minister there.

Some consideration was also given to the situation in Hawaii. It was the verdict of the President and the others gathered at the Cabinet table that things in the islands were in such a peaceable condition that no fears need be entertained of any trouble from the opponents of annexation.

THE "SAUSAGE CASE."

Daring and Startling Statement of Expert Allport.

Chicago, Oct. 2.—The "sausage case," as irreverent Chicago calls the long-drawn-out trial of Adolph L. Luetgert, charged with murdering his wife, continues as a tournament of scientists, real and pseudo, and with varying fortunes.

Prof. Allport, the osteologist, threw dismay for a moment into the camp of the prosecution, and made the man whose life is at stake laugh, by testifying, as he held in his hand that shattered fragment which the experts for the prosecution declare to be the temporal bone of a woman:

"This is not a temporal bone of a human, nor of a lower order of animal. It is a composition of bones put together artificially. The trace here which Prof. Dorsey has said was the outline of a facial nerve is really a fibre of animal matter with which the bones are stuck together—a fortuitous collection of fragments such as result in the process of making headcheese."

But when Prosecutor McEwen got at the young osteologist with his little cross-catechism, he "made a monkey" of Prof. Allport, in Chicago vernacular.

He passed up a bucketful of sesamoids to the witness and got a lot of hazy answers from him. Then he asked him what kind of an animal had worn a certain bone exhibited.

"That's from the leg of a monkey," said Allport promptly, with a dissertation on monkey's legs.

Mr. McEwen smiled mischievously and said he understood the bone was from a dog's leg, whereupon Prof. Allport chirruped:

"Yes, there is a species of dog-monkey, and"——

"And you took this for one of them," assented the prosecutor, interrupting.

That about used up the young osteologist in the opinion of the prosecution, but they relentlessly continued.

Fight to Death Over a Girl.

New York, Oct. 2.—John McNally was instantly killed by a blow from the fist of William Klynger yesterday at an outing given by the George W. Johnson Association, at Dexter Park. The woman for whom the men fought is Miss Louisa Decker, of Brooklyn. She had divided her attention between the two during the midnight picnic. After the homicide the police, in response to a riot call, charged on the party in the park, and a free-for-all fight ensued. Klynger was captured hiding in a barn five miles from the scene of the duel.

Hard Work Getting to Dawson.

San Francisco, Oct. 2.—The news brought from the Yukon by the revenue cutter Rush was a complete surprise. One important item was that many miners and most of the newspaper correspondents who sailed from here on the steamer Excelsior were stranded at Fort Yukon.

Biggest in the World.

Pittsburg, Oct. 2.—The Standard Oil Company will build a twenty-four-mill tin-plate factory at Hites station, on the Alleghany River. This will be the largest in the world, the next greatest being eighteen-mill plants.

Hites is opposite Kensington, and twenty miles above Pittsburg.

Train Fell to the Street.

Philadelphia, Oct. 2.—A trestle on the Philadelphia & Reading Railroad, at Tenth and Morris streets, collapsed yesterday morning, and a train was precipitated to the street.

Workmen were under the structure, but no lives were lost. Two men were injured.

WHOLE FAMILY DIES

Mother and Her Four Children Asphyxiated in a Hotel.

WAS IT MURDER OR SUICIDE

They Registered as from West Point—Mother Carefully Planned Death While Her Children Slept—A Horrifying Sight.

New York, Oct. 2.—A fearful tragedy was discovered yesterday morning in the West Shore Hotel, at Forty-second street and Eleventh avenue. A woman and her four children were found dead in their rooms. They had been killed by illuminating gas. The woman had registered as "Karoline Rivinius and children, West Point." The writing seemed to be that of a German, and the appearance of the woman bore out that impression.

There were two boys and two girls dead with the woman in the two small rooms which they had occupied. One boy was about 3 years old and the other about 8. One of the girls was about 5 years old, and the other about 15. The woman and the children had occupied two small connecting rooms on the third floor of the hotel. When their bodies were found at 9 o'clock the gas was escaping from the jets in each room.

There was one window in the woman's room, which was tightly closed. The woman and the two girls occupied the bed in this room. In the next a small window about one foot square opened to an airshaft. This was also shut. The transoms of the rooms were also closed. The keys in the doors were turned so that the flanges of the keys filled the holes.

The attendants at the hotel declared that the airshaft window and the transoms were always kept open. The cleats were removed from the transom in each of the rooms where the deaths occurred, so that they could be closed.

The woman and the children went to the hotel about 8.45 o'clock in the evening. They were neatly dressed, but their clothing was not of fine texture. After eating supper they retired to their rooms. The woman had no baggage except a small hand satchel.

Nothing unusual about the appearance of the woman was noticed by the hotel attendants. After they retired no sounds out of the ordinary were heard coming from their rooms. When a man who had a room on the same floor went to bed about 1 o'clock he heard the baby faintly crying, but that was all.

There was no comment when the family failed to appear at 9 o'clock. But at that time a bellboy who had been up all night passed along the third floor to his room. He noticed the odor of gas, and on tracing the smell thought that he detected it coming from the room which the boys occupied.

S. G. Sprague, the clerk, was notified, and he beat upon the doors to arouse the woman. No answer came in response to his most energetic pounding, so the door was forced in. Volumes of gas burst out and drove Sprague and his assistants back for a time. But, covering their nostrils, they ran into the rooms and threw up the windows in the front room. The doors were opened and the gas was let out. Word had been sent in the meantime to Roosevelt Hospital, and when the ambulance surgeon arrived he found it impossible to revive the five.

The clothes that the children wore appeared to be new. The wash basins showed that the children had been carefully washed before going to bed. When found the mother lay on the outside of the bed in the front room, and the youngest girl wes cuddled up close under her right arm. The child held a new tin horn in one of its hands. The eldest girl was on the inside. There were signs that the mother and the two girls had died in agony, but the boys had apparently passed away peacefully.

A dispatch from West Point said that Mrs. Rivinius was 40 years old and the wife of Robert Rivinius, a soldier in the regular army and attached to the printing office. Her home life was a happy one, her friends said, and nothing happened to cause her to be melancholy.

She had been married sixteen years. The names and ages of the children were: William, 13 years; Augustus, 8; Laura, 15, and Elizabeth, 4½ years.

Father Hears the News.

West Point, Oct. 2.—Robert Ravinius, the husband of the murderess, is a janitor in the administration building at West Point. He has been employed there for six years. As far as the neighbors knew, the Ravinius family got along happily together and had no quarrels or misunderstandings to speak of. Mr. Ravinius was at work when the news of the tragedy reached him. He was almost prostrated with grief, and was unable to talk coherently. It is thought probable, however, that Mrs. Ravinius and her husband may have had a quarrel and that she left home, taking the children with her, with the evident intention of killing herself and them. The Ravinius family were in comfortable circumstances, and moved in fairly good society.

Germany's Hand on Greece.

Athens, Oct. 2.—The Government has issued a White Book containing the details of the negotiations of the powers for the conclusion of peace between Turkey and Greece. The book shows that Greece was informed on May 28 that the conditions of peace imposed by the powers were onerous, but she must not decline them; if she did, Germany would withdraw from the concert of the powers engaged in the negotiations for the establishment of peace. The book also shows that on May 30 M. Hanotaux, the French Minister of Foreign Affairs, informed the Greek Minister at Paris that an internal attack upon the Greek dynasty would threaten the existence of the country.

Mayors' Convention Adjourns.

Columbus, Oct. 2.—The national conference of Mayors and Councilmen ended yesterday with a warm discussion and a somewhat close vote on the indorsement of the idea of the municipal ownership of semi-public franchises, such as street railroads, gas and electric light companies, and waterworks.

MAYOR SILAS ELATED.

The Lincoln Seer Returns Home Loaded Down With Honors.

Mayor Silas D. Drake, of Lincoln, and the three Councilwomen of that embryonic municipality, arriving in Plainfield last night from Columbus, O., resplendent with silk and satin badges and feeling highly elated over the honors they received at the convention of municipal officers. The Mayor met a couple of reporters at the North Avenue station and was bombastically enthusiastic in relating his experiences among the other notable men who were in attendance there. Miss Egel, Miss Moore and Mrs. Hazard were the only women delegates in the great body of Mayors and Councilmen and they were accorded distinguished consideration.

Mr Drake said that the greatest trouble he experienced at the convention was to explain that his Lincoln was not in Nebraska, but was right in the great State of New Jersey. He says he always put in a good word for this city by referring to Lincoln being near Plainfield. Mr. Drake presided over the convention one afternoon and made a speech that he says "beat the whole shooting match."

Wednesday afternoon a reception was tendered Mayor Drake by Allen R. Foote, which was attended by a number of notable men.

LOCAL L. A. W. CONSUL

T. A. Cuming Selected for the Position by Chief Consul Kireker.

T. A. Cuming, manager, of the Eldridge Bicycle Company, in this city, has just been appointed local counsul of the L. A. W. for Plainfield, by Chief Consul C. F. Kireker, of the New Jersey Division. Mr. Cuming will have his office at the L. A. W. headquarters, corner of Fourth street and Park avenue, where application blanks may be obtained, and full information given about matters of interest pertaining to the L. A. W. and its members. Mr. Cuming will also investigate all complaints made by members and in cases of accidents not caused by the carelessness of riders, he will assure L. A. W. members of the prompt assistance of the State Division.

AUXILIARY REORGANIZED.

Holy Cross Women Prepare for the Winter's Work.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of Holy Cross church held its reorganization meeting yesterday afternoon to prepare for the winter's work. The annual report showed an improvement in last year's work over that of any preceding, the society having sent a number of finely stocked boxes of clothing and provisions to missionaries. Another box is now being packed to send to a missionary in South Carolina.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. T. Logan Murphy; vice-president, Mrs. Benjamin R. Western; treasurer, Mrs. Horsely Barker; secretary, Mrs. Mason W. Tyler; directoresses, Mrs. Robert Miller, Mrs. Arthur Gallup, Mrs. B. Western, Mrs. Horsely Barker.

Given a Surprise Party.

Miss Bessie Martin was given a surprise party at her home, 453 West Front street, last evening, by Miss Gertrude Tier. The party, consisting of about twenty of Miss Martin's school friends, succeeded in completely surprising her. The evening was passed in the playing of games and dancing, and at a late hour refreshments were served.

First Junior Dance.

The first junior dance of the season at the Park Club was held last evening in the clubhouse on Washington avenue. It was well attended and proved a success. It was under the charge of the junior entertainment committee of the club.

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FIRE LADDIES GOOD TIME.

Plainfielders Treated in a Good Manner at Princeton.

The members of No. 2 Engine Company who went to Princeton yesterday to take part in the firemen's parade at that place, returned home last evening delighted with the time prepared for them at the above place. On their way over they were met at Metuchen by the firemen and given a cordial reception. In Princeton the Plainfield boys showed up well in the parade and they were given all the attention possible. In the parade they were escorted by the Independent Fife and Drum Corps who furnished excellent music. The banquet served was all to be desired. The boys reached Plainfield last evening soon after 11 o'clock and they received quite an ovation on the part of those who happened to be on the street. The members went to the home of R. B. Rogers and routed him out of bed. He appeared and joined in the remaining part of the festivities,

Thoroughly Surprised.

H. R. Munger, of Washington avenue, was thoroughly and pleasantly surprised on Wednesday night last when some thirty or forty members of the Men's Bible class of Hope chapel called to pay their former teacher a friendly visit. Kindly inquiries as to how each had spent the several months since they had last met, the enjoyment of a dainty repast, and hearty singing occupied one of the most delightful of their many similar gatherings.

Report Seems to Be Satisfactory.

The executive session of the Borough Council held last evening, was for the purpose of examining the report of the Watchung Avenue Commissioners, also the new assessor's maps. A considerable time was spent in discussing the many fine points of interest about each, and the councilmen, so far as can be learned, are well satisfied with the work.

An Avenue in Darkness.

Watchung avenue, between East Front street and East Fifth street, was in darkness last evening. One of the electric light wires was snapped under the Watchung avenue bridge, which is now being repaired, but the insulation held and it was not until 9 o'clock that the break could be found and repaired.

A Quiet Marriage.

On Thursday evening last took place the marriage of Miss Emily Mattison, of Newark, to Jacob Benner, of Duer street, North Plainfield. The marriage was performed in the borough by Rev. H. J. Johnston, pastor of the Grace M. E. church, in the presence of only necessary witnesses.

Progressive Citizen Complimented.

At the meeting of the Borough Council last evening Mayor Wilson complimented J. P. Emmons, of Washington avenue, for the most excellent manner in which he had improved his property, and he said that Mr. Emmons is a model citizen deserving of much credit.

Overcome by the Heat.

Bert Bodine, drum corporal of the Independent Fife and Drum Corps, of this city, was overcome by the heat while in line at the firemen's parade in Princeton, yesterday, and had to fall out of line. He recovered sufficiently to return with his comrades to Plainfield.

Night Services to be Resumed.

Tomorrow evening service will be resumed by the congregation of Trinity Reformed church in the Y. M. C. A. Hall at 7:30 o'clock. The pastor will preach on the subject, "A Good Witness." Seats are free and all are cordially invited to be present.

—Young men are especially invited to be present at the young men's Bible class at the Monroe Avenue M. E. church tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

A New Merchant.

The attention of the people was attracted this morning to a beautiful sign in front of 23 Somerset street. The sign is that of George F. Brown, well known to almost every person in Plainfield. He has opened the store at the above number for the purpose of carrying on the window shade and awning business, also that of interior decorations. Mr. Brown has had many years' experience in Canal street and Twenty third street, New York, and Plainfield is glad to welcome him back as one of her merchants.

Will Admitted to Probate.

The will of the late Mary E. Dunlap of this city was admitted to probate by Surrogate Parrot in the Orphan's Court at Elizabeth, yesterday. Miss Lizzie U. Dunlap was qualified as executrix. She was represented by Murphy & Blatz.

Sentence Suspended.

John Schmidt, of Elizabeth, who was tried last Saturday on the charge of carrying soap fat in an uncovered wagon, was represented in city court this morning by his lawyer, Frank J. Blatz, of Murphy & Blatz. Sentence was suspended.

S. V. Lunger, of 87 Manning avenue, has received notice of being appointed as Deputy Supreme Organizer for New Jersey of the Improved Order of Heptasophs

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EACH OVER 90 YEARS OLD.

A Brother and Four Sisters Have Lived Together for Nearly a Century.

On a pretty little farm high up among the hills of Calhoun County, Ala., 1,000 feet above the sea, with only the trees and the hilltops for their neighbors, lives perhaps the most remarkable family that inhabits the boundaries of America. They are known as the Sadlers. The family consists of a brother and four sisters, and the youngest has already turned her ninety-first year. The eldest is several years more than a century old. None of them has ever married.

The Sadlers were born in Virginia, all of them excepting one having seen the light of day before the seventeenth century took its flight. Years ago the father and mother died, the former at the age of ninety-one, the latter at the early age of seventy-five. But the brothers and sisters continued to live together, keeping each other company and administering to each other's comfort.

In spite of the wondrous changes and inventions which time has wrought this virtuous and contented family has never seen fit to in any way reform the methods that were in vogue when their parents taught them how to work.

The clothing which they wear has always been made by them from the cotton which grows in their fields, or from the wool which covers the backs of their sheep.

From the hides of the animals that browse upon their fields the brother makes the comfortable, and not entirely unshapely shoes that cover his and his sisters' feet. They are averse to the use of money; they have no need of it, and will not receive it into their possession. If any one desires to buy provisions of them, for instance, and they have enough to spare, the supplies are freely given or cheerfully loaned, but never sold for money.

No member of this remarkable family has ever married; it is stated that before they were grown they entered into a compact to remain single and stay together. Tradition says they were four exceedingly handsome girls, and were sought after by the beaux of their day and neighborhood, but that they avoided an entangling alliance with one exception. The youngest sister, Virginia, fell desperately in love, it is related, with a young man of the olden time; she was then only sixteen. The family entered such a protest that she repulsed her lover and endeavored to blot him from her memory, but her disappointment was so great that her mind became affected, and she has never regained her mental equilibrium. —New York Journal.

WOMAN'S RIGHTS AMONG ZULAS.

By a Little Diplomacy the Men Were Taught to Assist Their Wives.

Next to the locomotive, the missionary that appeals most strongly to my sympathies is one after the fashion of Mrs. Dartnell, whose husband commands the local military forces of the colony. Colonel Dartnell was stationed at one time in a part of the colony where his official residence was approached by a path leading up a steep hill.

He was much respected by the natives, and there were frequent occasions for these to visit him. Mrs. Dartnell discovered that the native custom was to let the wives carry the burdens up this hill, while the gentlemen of the party contented themselves with a stick or a spear. With fine feminine tact, Mrs. Dartnell commenced her missionary career by inviting the heavily burdened women to rest themselves and have refreshments; but the men she ostentatiously ignored, on the ground that, as they had done no work, they could not require any rest or refreshments. Little by little the news of this social revolution permeated the mind of the black neighborhood, and it was a revolution by no means uncongenial to the advocates of black woman's rights. Soon it was learned that one black man had actually carried part of his wife's burden up the hill; and as this was not followed by a convulsion of nature, other Zulus followed the example, until little by little it became the rule, in that neighborhood at least, for a man to assist his wives in the bearing of burdens.—Harper's Magazine.

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Bring this with you and if not shown everything here as advertised we will pay your car fare. Boys' neat double breasted suits, all wool warranted, with double knee and double seat, $1,00. 1 25, 1.50, 1.75 and 2.24, worth three times as much. Men's fine covert cloth fall overcoats, in light and dark shades, silk-lined, worth $16.00, at $5.00, latest styles. Men's heavy diagonal fall overcoat, fine finish, worth 12.00 to 15.00, at $5.50. Men's fine black melton overcoat, blue or black, elegantly made, at $6 50, worth 12.00. Men's imported kersey overcoats silk lined. French facing, worth 22.00, at $8.25. Men's dress overcoats at $3 25, worth 10 00. Buy your overcoat now and you will save sixty cents on every dollar. Men's ulsters, dark blue, all wool, waterproof cloth, worth 18.00, at $6.50. Very fine ulsters at $5.50 and $6.50, worth double. A good ulster for drivers at $2 50 and $3.00, worth from 6 00 to 8.00. Extra fine dress suit for young men and boys, long pants actually valued at 12 00 to 15 00, sale price at $4 50. Young men's single or double-breasted blue or black cheviot suit at $3 50, regular price 10 00 A good youth's suit at $2.50, worth 7 50. Bring anything back within fifteen days, that is not entirely satisfactory. Men's extra fine brown plaid suits at $3 50, $4 50 and $5.00, worth from $9.00 to 15 00. Men's winter bicycle suits at $2 00, $2 50 and $3, worth from 5.00 to 12.00. Remember, no other store in Plainfield can sell you such fine clothing for any less than three times these prices. We have over three thousand suits to choose from. All wool clay diagonal sack suit at $5.90, worth from 12 00 to 15 00. Over one thousand woolen knee pants from 15c to 60c. Everybody living within tweny-five miles of Plainfield should visit this great sheriff sale.

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ONE YEAR'S GROWTH.

INTEREST IN CONGREGATIONAL SUNDAY-SCHOOL DURING PAST YEAR.

Attendance of Pupils and Increase in Finances Are the Evidences of Prosperity —Officers Elected For Ensuing Year.

The past year has been a successful one for the Sunday-school of the Congregational church, according to the reports rendered at the annual business meeting held yesterday afternoon at the close of the regular Sunday-school session.

Joseph A. Robinson, superintendent of the school, presided. The reading of the secretary's report was the first item of business, and the secretary, Stacy Raynolds, reported the affairs of the school to be in a very encouraging condition. The Sunday-school roll has been enlarged, and the average attendance and the average collection have increased. The largest attendance during the year was on Rally Day, and the smallest on a very rainy Sunday in July.

The treasurer's report was now read by J. A. Powlison, showing the total receipts for the year to have been $369.39, and the disbursements $363.06, leaving a balance on hand of $6.33. The receipts included the regular collections, and smaller amounts from the Cent-a-Day Club, the home department, and special collections; the disbursements included, besides the regular expenses of the school, amounts given to the American Board for work in Africa, to a colored school in Georgia, to the missionary department of the Congregational Sunday-school and Publication Society, for educational work in the south, for visiting committee benevolences, and to the Plainfield Children's Home.

The report of the visiting committee was submitted by A. C. LaBoyteaux. The home department work, which is under the charge of this committee, had been vigorously carried on, a large number of calls had been made, and food and clothing given to needy ones.

The library committee, George E. Fuller, chairman, reported new books bought, and the library is now in excellent order. The circulation had also increased during the year.

The election of officers for the ensuing year followed the reports of committees. The report of the nominating committee was given by A. C. LaBoyteaux, and the following were elected: Superintendent, J. A. Robinson; assistant superintendent, L. B. Morgan; secretary, Stacy Raynolds; assistant secretary, John W. Kirkner; treasurer, J. A. Powlison; librarian, Charles E. Steiner; assistant chairman, George E. Fuller; musicial director, Mrs. M. E. Dwight.

At the close of the meeting, the superintendent announced that on the following Sunday morning a "recognition service" would be held, in which the newly-elected officers and the teachers of the school would be formally recognized by the church.

GIRL ATHLETES ACTIVE.

Enthusiastic Over Their Organization and Will Soon Begin Practice.

The Girls Athletic Association, which was recently organized at the Plainfield High School, is in great favor at present with the fair students of that institution of learning. All are very enthusiastic over the association and they are impatient for the time when the basket ball games shall begin. It is first necessary to put wire gratings in front of all the windows in the hall on the second floor of the Whittier building where the game is to be played, but that work will soon be done and the girls hope to begin practice inside of two weeks. Walter L. Long, who was a member last year of the Y. M. C. A. basket ball team, is spoken of as coach and instructor in the game. It has not yet been decided whether there is to be a regulation costume adopted, but there seems to be a strong sentiment against it. The senior class is already planning to organize a class team and the other classes will probably soon follow.

O'er Land on a Triplet.

Louis Hummer and Chauncey Stout, of the Daily Press office, and Raymond Carroll rode to Princeton on a triplet Saturday. They spent the day there and returned to Plainfield in the evening. Yesterday Hummer, Stout and Claude Fisher, of Bound Brook, went on the triplet to Flemington. They had a very exciting ride, returning last night.

Third Regiment's Field Day.

The Third Regiment, National Guard, of this State, consisting of about 900 men, will hold their annual field day muster at Somerville, Thursday, October 21st. Governor Griggs and staff and General Sewell and staff will be present.

ANOTHER $2,500 PLUM.

Morgan Turton and Wife Get a Verdict in Chancery Court Against Young Estate.

Morgan Turton and Mrs. Turton, who as legatees of the late Catharine Craig, won the famous contest over her will and secured all of the estate, have just won another important case in Chancery against the executor of John A. Young, the defeated party in the will case. Young's executor is ordered to account for and pay over to Catharine Craig's administrator about $2,500 which Young claimed had been given to him during the last fifteen years of her life.

Craig A. Marsh, counsel for the Turtons, filed the bill in Chancery to have it declared that these moneys were held by Young in trust, or if given to him, were obtained by undue influence. The other side was ably represented by Charles A. Hartshorne, of Jersey City.

A TALK TO ODD FELLOWS.

A Y. M. C. A. Service Especially Applicable to the Members of the Order.

A number of Odd Fellows gathered at the Y. M. C. A. gospel service yesterday afternoon, to hear Fred H. Martin talk. Mr. Martin is an Odd Fellow, and his remarks were of peculiar interest to the lodge members.

The service was opened with prayer by G. D. Morrison, after which Mrs. J. Manley, accompanied by William E. MacClymont on the piano rendered an effective vocal solo. This was followed with a violin solo by William McKillop, accompanied on the piano by Bert Harold. Mr. Martin read for the Scripture lesson the tenth chapter of St. Luke, which tells of the Good Samaritan, and from that he gave a soul-stirring talk. Mr. Martin impressed strongly the point that an Odd Fellow could be a Christian, and that a Christian could be an Odd Fellow. After the talk Mrs. Manley gave another pleasing solo, and the rest of the time was devoted to short talks and testimonies from those in the audience.

A feature of the service at the close was a vocal selection, rendered by Mrs. Manley, who stood on the platform, and the response by Miss Elizabeth Dunn and H. J. Martin, who were located in the gallery. The effect was impressive. The benediction was pronounced by Rev. Mr. Moffett.

DEATH OF MRS. MULFORD.

After an Illness of Several Months She Dies in the Prime of Life.

Irsaella Moores Mulford, wife of Armstrong Mulford, died at 3 o'clock this morning at her home, 425 East Fifth street, after an illness of several months.

Mrs. Mulford was thirty-two years of age, and until her last illness was in perfect health. She is survived by her husband and four children, the youngest of whom is one year old and eldest ten years. She was a member of the Crescent Avenue church, and during the eleven years of her married life, which were spent in this city, she endeared herself to everyone with whom she came in contact, by her winning ways and gentle, Christian spirit. The members of her bereaved family have the sympathy of a large circle of friends.

The funeral will take place at the house at 3:30 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon, Rev. W. R. Richards, D. D., officiating.

Sacrament Administered.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered to the Trinity Reformed church congregation yesterday morning by the pastor, Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph.D. There was a large attendance of members and, beside the spiritual refreshing that always prevails at the communion season, the hearts of pastor and people were made glad by the addition of two persons as members of the church on confession of their needs of a Saviour.

Their First Concert

On the evening of Tuesday, October 26th, the Plainfield Mandolin and Guitar Club, composed of young men of this city, will give a concert in Monroe Avenue church. They will be assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Weitz, pianists, and Miss Marion Short, elocutionist, of New York. As this will be the first concert given by these enterprising young men, no doubt a large number of people will attend. An exceedingly fine programme will be presented.

Councilman Frost to Read a Paper.

Last evening Councilman G. H. Frost left for Nashville, Tenn., to attend a convention in the interest of municipal government and improvements. He will read a paper Wednesday morning on "Sewage Disposal." Mr. Frost will be absent from Plainfield about one week.

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WRECKED AND ROBBED.

MALICIOUS BRAND OF THIEVES OPERATED IN THE CITY HOTEL.

Opened a Cash Register and When They Found it Only Contained 200 Pennies They Broke it With a Stone.

It was a peculiarly malicious brand of thieves who operated in the City Hotel cafe some time between 11 o'clock Saturday night and 7 o'clock yesterday morning. The fact that 200 pennies was all the booty that the depredators were able to secure, is probably what rankled them, and even though the damage they did resulted in no benefit to themselves financially, they no doubt departed more satisfied after venting their spite.

Mr. Beerbower has recently had his barroom refitted in an elaborate manner, and among the improvements was the institution of a new cash register, making two of these machines in the barroom. When Mr. Beerbower entered the barroom yesterday morning he was surprised to notice that only one of the machines graced the back bar. A hurried investigation told the tale of plunder that had been enacted since the closing-up time the night previous.

With the aid of a heavy chisel the burglars had succeeded in prying open a window in the toilet room to the rear of the bar-room, and through the aperture they made their entrance from the yard at the side of the house. In the darkness the burglars—for evidently there were more than one—had passed by the new register that had just been purchased at a cost of $200, and went to the other end of the bar and laid hold of the one valued at $175.

Then the bolt was slipped on a rear door and the thieves and booty made their exit to the rear yard and from there to the wagon shed adjoining the kitchen annex. A slight pressure on one of the keys opened the drawer, and then, much to the disappointment of the burglars, thay found only two hundred pennies. Probably angered at the thought of the risk they had taken and the slight reward that the pennies conveyed, a heavy stone was picked up outside the door and the handsome nickle-plated register battered in a damaging manner. It was left in a promiscuous heap in the wagon shed. There it was found by an attache of the hotel.

Mr. Beerbower has no idea who the thieves were, but the case has been put in the hands of the police.

NEW LEGAL ALLIANCE.

W. R. Codington and S. S. Swackhamer Form a Partnership.

This morning there was a dissolution in the law firm of Swackhamer & Williams, Mr. Swackhamer immediately afterward associating himself with W. R. Codington under the firm name of Codington & Swackhamer.

Mr. Codington is now having an entrance made from his building to the Martin house, now occupied by the Crescent Wheelmen, and an office will be fitted up in the latter building to make more room for the increased practice of the new alliance.

Mr. Codington is one of the oldest and most prosperous of the legal profession in this city, and though Mr Swackhamer is comparatively a new comer his success as a practitioner is well established. It will be a strong firm.

Walter Williams, for the present at least, will continue the practice of law alone.

QUARREL CAME TO A FOCUS.

Blows Brought Blood and Then an Arrest Followed.

There has long been a quarrel smouldering between Stephen Murphy and John Scott and Friday night it blazed out. Murphy struck Scott twice in the face and the blood flowed in consequence. Murphy and Thomas Muldowney went into the saloon of the Rising Sun Brewing Company, and then Scott and John Newman came in. Murphy and his friends say that Scott has been trying to annoy him for a long time and has done all he could to provoke a quarrel.

Friday night Scott continued his actions, whereupon Murphy drew off and struck him twice. Murphy was arrested and came before City Judge DeMeza this morning for trial. Then the facts came out. The Judge reserved his decision for one week.

Woman to Assist at a Fair.

A meeting of the Woman's Relief Corps was held Friday evening at which time a committee, of which Mrs. I. L. McVoy is the chairman, was appointed to assist the Son's of Veterans in their fair to be held the first week in November. The corps also initiated one candidate, and accepted an invitation to attend a campfire to be given by Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., a week from next Tuesday night.

GAMBLING NOW DOOMED

LATE RETURNS OF THE ELECTION REVERSE THE RESULT.

Anti-Gambling Amendment Carried by a Small Majority—Woman's Suffrage Was Overwhelmingly Defeated at the Polls.

It is now settled beyond doubt that two of the three Constitutional amendments, voted on last Tuesday, were adopted. They are the amendments which will prohibit any form of gambling legislation and compel the Governor to respect the Senate when it refuses to consent to an unpopular or ill-advised appointment. The majority for the anti gambling amendment is 612. The woman suffrage amendment is overwhelmingly defeated.

The error in the previous statements came from estimates based on the vote cast in the race-track counties, but the figures now presented are nearly accurate, because the county clerks, under the law, are obliged to prepare the tables for the Board of Canvassers that meets tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock.

There are 965 precincts in the State, and no preparations were made to gather returns from those in the country districts. The figures here presented have in nearly every instance been secured from officials, but in some instances may be slightly changed tomorrow by the official canvassers.

The vote was light. In the general election of 1896, 271,127 votes were cast, but in the special election last Tuesday the number of votes cast on the anti-gambling amendment was 139,762, about one-half. The number cast for the ad interim amendment was 139,512 and for the woman's suffrage 139,863. The majority for the ad interim amendment was 7,006 and against the woman's suffrage 10,295.

Only seven counties gave a majority against the anti gambling amendment. Hudson leads with 9,218; Passaic is next with 1,683; Union, 1,221; Mercer, 1,150; Monmouth, 796; Atlantic, 197, and Essex, 124. Four of these are race-track counties.

Cumberland gives the largest majority for the amendment, 2,371; then came Morris, 2,193; Hunterdon, 1,568; Warren, 1,331; Burlington, 1,159; Somerset, 1,152; Gloucester, 1,142; Salem, 1,134; Bergen, 729; Sussex, 598; Cape May, 582; Middlesex, 477; Ocean, 241 and Camden, 102.

In only one or two counties does the vote on the different amendments tally. The variation can only be accounted for by an error in the count or an error in the tally.

The race-track men are quoted as intending to contest the election on the ground that the tickets were printed in a form that made them entirely affirmative, and that voters were not given a fair chance to express themselves. The Werts law makes no provision for contests in special elections, and neither does the special act, which regulated this election, so there is no appeal for the race-track people.

BOYS' CLUB OFFICERS.

Chosen at the Annual Meeting —Treasurer's Report Shows a Balance.

The annual meeting of the Boys' Club Association, that organization which has so successfully managed the club for the mental and physical improvement of the Plainfield boys, was held Saturday evening at the home of Dexter O. Tiffany, of 125 Crescent avenue. In the absence of the president, W. B. Wadsworth, H. M. Maxson was elected chairman of the meeting.

The principal business of the meeting was the election of officers which resulted as follows: President, W. B Wadsworth; vice-presidents, Charles J. Fisk, Edward F. Milliken and Augustus D. Shepard; secretary and treasurer, Dexter O. Tiffany; executive committee, A. W. Duxbury, Dr. W. H. Murray and Edward F. Milliken.

The ladies auxilliary of the club was elected the same as last year, Miss Kate Erskine, Mrs. D. W. Pond, Mrs. George H. Frost, Mrs. J. L. Sleven, Mrs. Isaac L. Miller, Miss Florence Tweedy and Mrs. John Doull Miller.

The reports of the treasurer and superintendent were read and listened to with much interest. The treasurer's report showed a small balance on hand for the beginning of the new year after all the bills had been paid.

After the reports the remainder of the meeting was spent in talking over plans for the work during the coming year.

Feeney Discharged From the Hospital.

James Feeney, the moulder employed at the Potter Press Works, who was so severely burned last week, was discharged from the hospital today. He will not be able to go to work for several days.

ESCAPES THE GALLOWS.

Chaldea, the Bound Brook Murderer, Sentenced to 20 Years in State Prison.

Joseph Chaldea, the Italian who murdered his wife in Bound Brook during a quarrel last spring, was arraigned in Supreme Court at Somerville this morning and through his counsel, John A. Frech, pleaded non vult to the charge of murder. He was immediately brought before the bar and Judge Magee sentenced him to State prison for a term of twenty years. He was taken back to jail and locked in a cell, where he raised considerable disturbance for some time by his loud and prayerful appeals for mercy and forgiveness.

Chaldea was tried and convicted of murder in the first degree last June and sentenced to be hung in the Somerset county jail in September. His counsel, John H. Frech, secured a new trial for him and his case was set down for this term of court.

Chaldea always maintained that his wife stabbed herself while trying to use a knife with fatal effect on himself.

PERHAPS ONE OF THE MURDERERS.

Louise Rossel Owned Revolver and Coat Found Near the Scene of the Crime.

Louis Rossel was arrested Saturday at Willow Grove, Port Richmond, by Detective Kelly, of Summit, on suspicion of complicity in the murder of James C. Pitts, at Stony Hill, on September 10, and in the assault upon Mary Davis, the colored housekeeper for Pitts, on the same night.

A coat and revolver were found three days ago, hidden under a shed near the Pitts house, and were recognized as the property of Rossel, who was employed by A. G. Woodruff, a neighbor of Pitts, about six months ago. After leaving Woodruff at that time Rossel was employed in New York and Rhode Island, but in the former place under the assumed name of Peter Schmidt.

When arrested Rossel admitted that he owned the revolver and coat found near the Pitts house, but declared they had been stolen from him some time ago.

Two days before the murder a man, whose name is unknown, visited Woodruff and applied for work. He was engaged to return two days later, but, after asking several questions concerning Pitts, his financial affairs and his methods of life, he went away and did not return to work. He informed Woodruff that he had been sent to Summit by Rossel. The man arrested today answers the description of one of the two men who purchased tickets at the Morris and Essex station for Summit, the punched tickets being found the day after the murder near the Pitts house.

FALSE PRETENCES CHARGED.

Frank Day Says He Rented a Rig to a Young Man Who Misrepresented Things.

Isidore De Castro Brittin was arrested September 25th on the charge of securing a horse and buggy from Frank Day, the West Sixth street liveryman, on false pretences. It is alleged in the complaint that he represented himself as being from the Hotel Hunterston, when he had already left the employ of that hostelry, and that he only wanted the carriage for an hour and kept it until the next day. He came before Justice Newcorn this morning for trial, but the case was adjourned until next Monday morning.

CUPID'S SECRET OUT.

Information of a Marriage Gleaned While on a Cycle Trip.

A crowd of Newark cyclists who stopped at McVey's restaurant, on North avenue, yesterday afternoon, amused themselves with Mr. and Mrs. George Peck, who were in their party. It appears that about three weeks ago Mr. and Mrs. Peck were married, and their friends did not find it out until yesterday. In consequence they gave them a genuine send off. Showers of rice and old shoes performed an important part in the proceedings, and for awhile the wedded couple were the object of much attention. They returned in safety with their friends.

Visiting Friends Make Her Happy.

Last Saturday afternoon Lewis Wyckoff, of 26 Howard street, gave his daughter, Miss May Wyckoff, a party in honor of the celebration of her tenth birthday. The guests indulged in playing all sorts of games and enjoyed themselves in a general social manner. During the afternoon the guests took a trolley ride to Netherwood and on the return supper was served to all. Those present included the Misses Emma Fritz, Maggie Fritz, Josie Fritz, Lottie Fritz, Maggie Wyckoff, Dottie Casey, Ethel Wyckoff, Eva Higgins, Edna Lewis Master Willie Higgins.

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NUPTIAL BOND SEVERED

"CAP" KIRKNER GRANTED A DIVORCE FROM HIS WIFE.

Suit Has Been Pending for Over Two Years in the Court of Chancery—The Decree Granted on "Statutory" Grounds.

Perhaps the most hotly-contested divorce case ever tried from this part of the State, with one exception, is the case decided Saturday last in which J. Caspar Kirkner, of West Eighth street, is declared to be entitled to a decree of absolute divorce from his wife, Frank P. Kirkner, on "statutory" grounds.

The Press has known of this case ever since it was begun over two years ago, but has refrained from making publication of the sensational details of the long drawn out contest out of regard for the wishes of the families interested, and also because of the well-known policy adopted by this newspaper in all such cases. Now, however, that Mr. Kirkner has been completely vindicated from the charges made against him, and has been held by the Court entitled to be forever free from the bonds of matrimony between him and his wife, it is proper the judgment of the Court should be made public.

The testimony was taken by Special Master Herbert W. Knight at Plainfield, Paterson and Newark, and made up over 1,000 pages when printed.

There were many arguments on the different questions arising during the taking of the testimony in which Mr. Kirkner was uniformly successful. The final oral arguments was supplemented by voluminous briefs on both sides, which the opinion refers to as "very full and exhaustive." The Vice Chancellor says that the complainant (the husband) has proved satisfactorily the case against his wife, and is entitled to a decree for divorce based upon this proof. As to the wife's suit against the husband, the Vice Chancellor says that none of the charges has been proved, and the crossbill is, therefore, dismissed.

Craig A. Marsh was counsel for the husband, and William Nelson, of Paterson, counsel for the wife.

WANTS $10,000 DAMAGES.

Walter G Runyon Claims That the Smiths Maliciously Persecuted Him.

Walter G. Runyon, of Elizabeth, has commenced suit through his attorneys Pope & Runyon, of this city, against C. A. Smith, C. E. Smith and Jesse Bendick, of the C. A. Smith Coal and Lumber Company, of Fanwood, for $10,000 damages for malicious prosecution. In January of this year the Smith Company had Runyon indicted for obtaining under false pretenses a quantity of building materials valued at $246.

The evidence brought out at the trial was to the effect that Runyon had paid the bill by giving the Smith company an order upon a third party which they had sold before securing an indictment against Runyon. At the trial the latter was acquitted, and now seeks reparation for what he considers a malicious use of the machinery of the law.

HURT IN A GYMNASIUM.

Young Myers Struck on His Head and Had to be Taken to the Hospital.

Charles Myers, aged 19 years, and a son of Charles Myers, Sr., the gymnastic instructor at the Saenger and Turner Hall, met with a serious accident yesterday forenoon, while he was turning in the hall on Somerset street. He had performed several feats successfully, but in turning a handspring he landed on his head with considerable force. The blow caused unconsciousness, and for a time young Myers lay in a comatose state. He was removed to the hospital. The examination developed the fact that no bones were broken. The back of the neck is badly bruised and very sore. Myers is unable to move his head to any extent. The physician in charge does not apprehend any serious results and thinks that Myers will be able to go out in a short time.

Caught Her Finger in the Wringer.

Jennie Kramer, aged seventeen months, of 500 West Third street, was taken to the hospital last evening about 6 o'clock suffering with a compound fracture of the finger next to the little finger on the right hand. She together with some other children were playing with a clothes-wringer when the little girl's finger became fastened between the rollers, causing the fracture.

Big Fire in Elizabeth.

The grain elevator and buildings of the Paul T. Norton Company, Third street and Broadway, Elizabeth, were destroyed by fire this morning at 4 o'clock, entailing a loss of $50,000. The fire started in the office. The Norton Company have a branch store on East Front street, this city. The fire will not interfere with the company's business.

STARVING AT DAWSON

Five Thousand Miners Have Food for a Few Weeks Only.

FLEEING FROM SURE DEATH

Some Have Dared the Perils of Snow-Bound Trails to Escape—Rescuers Going to Get the Others—Camp Seized by Pestilence.

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 4.—Hunger and death is the inevitable for the large number of miners at Dawson City. They have waited patiently for the big transportation companies to get food up the river, but by this time have learned that not another steamer can reach even Circle City on account of low water on the Yukon flats.

To make matters worse 300 miners, most of them having small fortunes in gold, are blockaded at Dawson. They cannot get down the river to St. Michael, and their only possible way of escape is to attempt the dangers of a Winter trip over Dalton trail, through terrific snow storms, and with the thermometer ranging from 20 to 25 degrees below zero. Dogs being scarce, very few can make this journey.

The steamer Farrallon arrived here Saturday from Skaguay with 110 returning prospectors, and the steamer North Fork touched here the same night, going to Tacoma with 28 returning prospectors.

Food Nearly Gone at Dawson.

One of the prospectors on the Farrallon is Louis Long, direct from Dawson City, which place he left Aug. 26, coming out on the Dalton trail. The Dalton trail is passable for a week or two yet. Here is what Long says of the conditions at Dawson:

"When I left Dawson the stores had stopped selling supplies, and restaurants had closed because they could get nothing to cook. Provisions will be scarce, although many of the miners are leaving. In my opinion, 200 or 300 will come out over the Dalton trail within the next few days, while a great many others are going down by St. Michael.

Fleeing from the Famished Place.

"It was a great mistake in trading companies to bring so much whisky up the river, instead of supplies. Before we left Dawson nine cattle had been driven in and four of them butchered. Choice cuts brought $1.50 per pound, while a soup bone was worth 50 cents. I paid $1 and $1.25 per pound for elk meat. We got out as quickly as possible.

"We crossed the Summit Sept. 21 in a snow storm, and had Indian guides to show us the way. We had to wade knee-deep in snow. We met the Sharp party twelve miles this side of Summit with their cattle, and it seemed to me doubtful whether they would get in."

FEVER STILL UNCHECKED.

Difficulty of Holding an Interstate Conference Over It.

New Orleans, La., Oct. 4.—The proposed health conference between the Texas and Louisiana health authorities as proposed by Gov. Foster to Gov. Culberson, of Texas, may take place either at Galveston or St. Louis. Dr. Oliphant, president of the local board, has not heard yet from Gov. Foster on the matter, but has expressed a willingness to meet Dr. Swearington, health officer of Texas, at any point agreed on. The decision, according to Gov. Culberson's telegram, will rest with Gov. Foster. Dr. Oliphant said he could take a tug and go to Galveston, undergo quarantine there, and confer with the Texas official.

The better plan, he seems to think, would be to meet Dr. Swearington in St. Louis, which is reached from here in twenty-six hours. Such a course would be free from the restraint of the general quarantine regulations throughout the fever-stricken region. Up to last night there were twenty-five new cases reported here, with two deaths, one an Italian and the other a man named John Dullivan, from Algiers.

No Reconciliation of the Booths.

Montclair, Oct. 4.—Mrs. Ballington Booth yesterday denied the truth of the report, sent from Detroit, that the Booths were reconciled and that the Volunteers of America would soon be amalgamated with the Salvation Army. "The dispatch is utterly without foundation. Commander Ballington Booth and his followers are not leaders of the Volunteers because of any personal grievance or petty differences of opinion between them and the Salvation Army, but on an entirely different issue, which involves an irreconcilable difference between democratic and autocratic government. The Volunteers were never stronger in their faith and more determined to push forward their work.

Had Yellow Jack on Board.

Lewes, Del., Oct. 4.—The Norwegian steamship John Wilson, from Bocas del Toro, United States of Colombia, for Philadelphia, with a cargo of bananas for the Quaker City Fruit Company, arrived off the national quarantine station at noon yesterday for medical assistance. Yellow fever was discovered on the vessel, and the chief engineer, John Petersen, died of it at sea on Friday last. His body was taken ashore and buried in lime in the Marine Hospital Cemetery. The chief officer of the vessel was attacked with yellow fever before the vessel cleared and was put ashore at Bocas del Toro.

Racing Amendment Adopted.

Trenton, Oct. 4.—Semi-official returns received from all of the counties show that the anti-gambling amendment to the Constitution was adopted by a majority of 612. The amendment forbidding the ad interim appointment by the Governor of persons whom the Senate has refused to confirm was adopted by a majority of 7,006. The amendment giving women the right to vote at school elections in municipalities where school boards are selected by popular vote was defeated by a majority of 10,295.

The Wreck Off Ocean City.

Atlantic City, Oct. 4.—Yesterday morning the crew of the schooner that capsized off Ocean City were rescued, after they had passed a night of terror. The vessel proves to be the Henry May of Portland, Me., a schooner of 179 tons net register. She was bound from the James River to Portland with a cargo of pilings.

SLANDER SUITS FOR $400,000.

Following the Breaking of a Marriage Engagement.

New York, Oct. 4.—Two slander suits for $100,000 damages each, brought by James T. Hatfield, of Hackensack, against Elias H. Sisson and his son, Elias H. Sisson, Jr., of Tenafly, N. J., will be filed in this city to-day.

The Sissons are wealthy, the father being a director of the Northern Railroad of New Jersey and the owner of a weekly publication of this city devoted to amateur athletics. Father and son are members of the Tenafly Club, an exclusive organization, are prominent in society circles, and are credited with being Democratic local leaders.

Hatfield met his employer's daughter, Miss Nancy May Sisson, and became enamored of her. Several months ago their engagement was announced. Society was looking forward to a June wedding when suddenly it learned that Miss Sisson had gone to Wisconsin and that the engagement was off.

Hatfield wants damages on the ground that the Sissons caused him to lose money in business, prestige in society, and a prospective bride. In addition to the suits to be filed in this city to-day, he has begun duplicate suits in New Jersey, so that the entire amount involved is $400,000. In New York his counsel will be Edward A. Sumner, and in New Jersey the firm of McEwen & McEwen.

NEBRASKA'S GREAT PROSPERITY.

Clearing House Figures for September Tell a Pleasing Story.

Omaha, Neb., Oct. 4.—The extraordinary business activity in Nebraska is indicated by the Clearing House report for September. The report shows Omaha figures: For September, 1895, $15,000,000; for September, 1896, $13,000,000; for September, 1897, $23,000,000. This shows an increase for the month of $10,000,000. The local bankers attribute the great improvement to the great quantity of money handled as a result of the movement of crops and the revival in stock trade and other commercial business.

The payment of an enormous amount of mortgages was noticed during the month. A great deal of money was also loaned on real estate in the interior of the State, with which to open up new farms. This great impetus given the money market is not confined to the local banks, the bankers of the city declare, but to the entire State, and to the States of Kansas, South Dakota and Iowa. It is the best showing ever made in the history of the local Clearing House.

The bankers declare that even a more pronounced improvement may be expected next month. Much more money is being borrowed throughout the State than was the case three months ago. The complaint then was that the farmers had all the cash they wanted and the banks could not lend their capital. Now the farmers are beginning to invest heavily in additional lands and stocks. The money is being loaned 2 per cent. cheaper than ever in the State's history, and securities are not being examined as carefully as previously.

POPE'S LIFE NEARING AN END.

The Pontiff's Condition Growing Steadily Weaker.

Rome, Oct. 4.—The condition of the Pope continues grave. He seems to be growing rapidly weaker, and often sinks into fainting spells, from which it is difficult to arouse him. For the past two years the Pope's health has been far from good. At times he has shown signs of weakness, but he has rallied under the great efforts of the Vatican physicians. The doctors have insisted on the Pope, who is 87 years old, leaving the bulk of his work to be done by secretaries, but this advice he has disregarded, believing that hard work, a careful diet, and as much exercise as he could stand were as beneficial as rest.

The Pope's death in the near future is now regarded as so near a probability that the Cardinals are already discussing his successor. Cardinal Satolli, who was a former delegate from the Pope to the Catholic Church in the United States, is being named as his possible successor.

UNKNOWN SHIP LOST.

Forty-five Sailors Perish in a Hurricane.

Halifax, N. S., Oct. 4.—The British barkentine St. Peter, before reported having been passed at sea and making for Halifax in distress, arrived here yesterday. She was partly dismasted in a hurricane that struck her on the night of Sept. 8, compelling her to put about for Halifax in order to repair the damage.

Capt. Skaling brings the report that the storm through which his vessel passed was the cause of sending to the bottom a four-masted iron sailing ship, which must have carried a crew of at least forty-five men.

New Ministry for Greece.

Athens, Oct. 4.—It is officially announced that a new Cabinet to replace that of M. Ralli, which resigned on Thursday, has been constituted as follows:

M. Zaimis, Prime Minister and Minister of Foreign Affairs.
M. Korpas, Minister of the Interior.
M. Streit, Minister of Finance.
M. Toman, Minister of Justice.
M. Panagiotopoulo, Minister of Public Instruction.
Gen. Smolenski, Minister of War.
M. Delyannis, formerly Prime Minister, threatens to overthrow the new Ministry in the Chamber, where his supporters comprise a majority, reiterating his declaration that no Ministry will be acceptable to him of which he himself is not the head.

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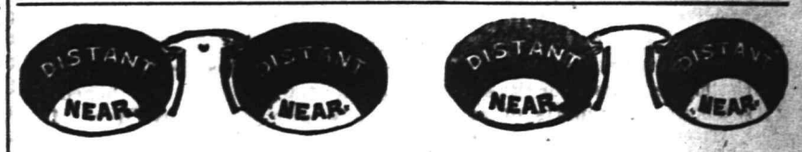

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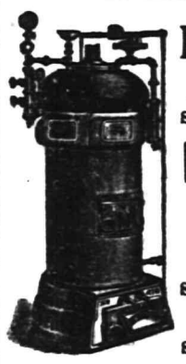

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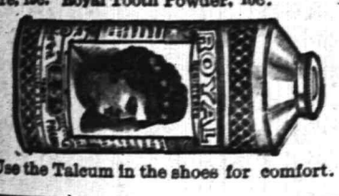

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Blue Flannel Shirts, double breasted, were	$2.25 now 98c
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A large number of red and gray undershirts and drawers at greatly reduced prices.

These goods are remnants of the Edsall stock, and must be cleaned out to make room for our new goods.

Goods are piled on counters, left front entrance. If interested, call early.

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—On Friday afternoon of this week the Young Ladies' Mission Society of the First Baptist church will hold a special sewing meeting to make clothes for the children in the Yerkes' chapel in India. A full attendance of the members is desired.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by L. W. Randolph.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. S. G. Smith, of Putnam avenue, has returned from Hartwick, N.Y.

Miss Olive Newell, of East Second street, returned from the Trenton Normal School to spend Saturday and Sunday at home.

Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption

This is the best medicine in the world for all forms of Coughs and Colds and for Consumption. Every bottle is guaranteed. It will cure and not disappoint. It has no equal for Whooping Cough, Asthma, Hay Fever, Pneumonia, Bronchitis, La-Grippe, Cold in the Head and for Consumption. It is safe for all ages, pleasant to take, and, above all, a sure cure. It is always well to take Dr. King's New Life Pills in connection with Dr. King's New Discovery, as they regulate and tone the stomach and bowels. We guarantee perfect satisfaction or return money. Free trial bottles at L. W. Randolph's drug store. Regular size 50 cents and $1.00.

Samuel Huntington and family, of Franklin place, have returned after summering at Westchester, N. Y.

A Valuable Prescription.

Editor Morrison, of Worthington, Ind., "Sun," writes: "You have a valuable prescription in Electric Bitters, and I can cheerfully recommend it for Constipation and Sick Headache and as a general system tonic it has no equal." Mrs. Annie Stehle, 2025 Cottage Grove Ave., Chicago, was all run down, could not eat nor digest food, had a back ache which never left her and felt tired and weary, but six bottles of Electric Bitters restored her health and renewed her strength. Prices 50c and $1. Get a bottle at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

Miss Young, of Trenton, is visiting her cousin, Miss Helen Boice, of East Front street.

A few weeks ago the editor was taken with a very severe cold that caused him to be in a most miserable condition. It was undoubtedly a bad case of la grippe and recognizing it as dangerous he took immediate steps to bring about a speedy cure. From the advertisement of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the many good recommendations included therein, we concluded to make a first trial of the medicine. To say that it was satisfactory in its results, is putting it very mildly, indeed. It acted like magic and the result was a speedy and permanent cure. We have no hesitancy in recommending this excellent Cough Remedy to anyone afflicted with a cough or cold in any form.—The Banner of Liberty, Libertytown, Maryland. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Mrs. Mattison and her daughter, Miss Nettie Mattison, of Church street, have gone to Ashville, where they will reside permanently.

Those who believe chronic diarrhœa to be incurable should read what Mr. P. E. Grisham, of Gaars Mills, La., has to say on the subject, viz.: "I have been a sufferer from chronic diarrhœa ever since the war and have tried all kinds of medicines for it. At last I found a remedy that effected a cure and that was Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy." This medicine can always be depended upon for colic, cholera morbus, dysentery and diarrhœa. It is pleasant to take and never fails to affect a cure. 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Worth, of Grove street, spent Sunday at Phœnixville.

A pain in the chest is nature's warning that pneumonia is threatened. Dampen a piece of flannel with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bind over the seat of pain, and another on the back between the shoulders, and prompt relief will follow. Sold by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Samuel H. Edwards and family, of Carthage, N. Y., will take possession of their residence on LaGrande avenue this week.

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IN EXTRA SESSION

Congress May Be Called for Next Month.

MUCH WORK TO BE DONE

Lawmakers Want Early Adjournment to Conduct Their Campaigns. The President Wants to Have the Currency Question Settled.

Washington, Oct. 4.—Gossip has it in political circles that a number of prominent members of the Senate and House have suggested to President McKinley that it would be a good idea to call Congress together in extra session on the ninth day of November. It is said that the President has not yet fully made up his mind. The argument is advanced that by so doing the legislators could get to work nearly a month earlier than if Congress met on the 6th of December, the regular time for assembling.

Just before the House adjourned in July Speaker Reed named the committees. Nearly all the Republicans agree that if their party is to be successful in the elections next year, it is absolutely necessary that the coming session should be brought to a close at the earliest possible moment. To have Congress remain in activity until July, August, or possibly September, of 1898, means that the average Republican, who is renominated, cannot get out in his district to run his campaign, and this is a most important matter to those who will have to run in districts that are close when party lines are tightly drawn.

The President, according to some of his political friends, wants to have the currency question settled. The belief is general that he will recommend to Congress that the recommendations of the Monetary Commission shall be adopted, and the chances are that the anti-gold standard Senators will fight that proposition to the last ditch. There will be the Cuban question to consider, unless the rebellion should end, and the Hawaiian annexation treaty is another momentous matter that will have to be considered.

Ordinarily the appropriation bills consume from six to seven months before they can be disposed of. Speaker Reed is known to favor an extra session, but it is not stated that he would personally request the President to call it. It is understood that he prefers to leave the whole matter to the President.

PLAN TO FREE CUBA.

Report that Our Government Would Guarantee $200,000,000 to Spain.

New York, Oct. 4.—A report has reached this city from Havana regarding a plan to free Cuba. It is generally believed in that city that in case the Spanish Government should accept the good offices of the United States to end the war in the island the American Government would try to reach an understanding with the foremost revolutionary leaders before offering to Spain any form of settlement.

This belief, it is said, is supported by trustworthy advices from Washington and Madrid. The plan most likely to be followed would take the form of an offer to Spain of $200,000,000 for her recognition of the independence of Cuba. This indemnity would be paid in cash, and to raise the money the republic would issue bonds, based on the customs receipts and guaranteed by the United States Government. The American Government would have the full management and administration of the custom houses of Cuba until the total debt should be paid by the shareholders of the loan.

It is said that this plan will be backed by a powerful syndicate of financial men of the United States and will be suggested to Spain in case of a favorable answer to Minister Woodford's friendly note.

It is estimated that under the honest management the custom houses of Cuba in normal times would yield a net annual revenue of $18,000,000. All the business men and landowners of the island would probably favor the plan. The greatest difficulty in its way would be to secure the consent of the Banco Hispano Colonial, of Barcelona, which represents the shareholders in the Spanish loans of 1886 and 1890.

CLEVELAND FOR JUDGE.

His Friends Approach Gov. Griggs, but Get Little Encouragement.

Trenton, N. J., Oct. 4.—The return of the family of ex-President Cleveland to Princeton has again started gossip as to the future of Mr. Cleveland. Within the past week it has been suggested by New Jersey Democrats that he might be chosen to succeed United States Senator Smith if the Democrats control the Legislature in 1899. With so many ambitious Jerseymen in line, however, the chances of the ex-President are not regarded as very promising, and some of his friends have started a movement to have him appointed judge of the New Jersey Court of Errors and Appeals to succeed the late William L. Dayton. Conspicuous alumni of Princeton are interested in the movement, and Gov. Griggs has been approached. The Governor is said to have been non-committal, but as he has declined to appoint several Republicans from this county on the ground that other counties should receive consideration, there is doubt expressed as to his willingness to appoint Mr. Cleveland.

Heads on the Block.

Washington, Oct. 4.—The Department of Agriculture is financially embarrassed, and, although it is not likely to be forced into the hands of a receiver, stringent retrenchment is the order of the day, and discharged employes are likely to be numerous. Yesterday twelve women clerks were laid off, and further reductions will follow every few days during October.

Inadequate appropriations are said to be the cause, but it is considered strange that this condition has only just been discovered, and that those selected for discharge should have been placed on the rolls during Sterling Morton's regime.

Arrested the Salvationists.

Trenton, N. J., Oct. 4.—Capt. Hurdman and five other members of the Salvation Army were arrested last evening while conducting services at Broad and Front streets, in the centre of the city. They were taken to the police station and locked up. One of them, who has a sick wife, accepted an offer of bail, but the other five refused.

NEW YORK'S BIG FIGHT

Voters Blinded to the True Issues of the Campaign.

SPOILS OF THE STRUGGLE

Power of an Empire at Stake—A Third of a Billion Dollars to Spend—Greatest Municipal Campaign in History.

New York, Oct. 4.—The fury of the factional fight of the politicians of Greater New York has blinded the voters to the true issues of the momentous campaign. What should be the grandest effort in the history of the municipalities of America for all that is honest in government has been resolved into a bitter, conscienceless struggle for the control of a third of a billion dollars to spend under each recurring administration. Behind the masks of some of the most prominent men in the metropolis who have been nominated for Mayor are aggregations inflated with all the professional politicians that the leaders could rake and scrape.

Here are the spoils of the struggle:

Cleaning and repairing of 1,300 miles of streets.

Maintenance of 700 miles of sewers.

Spending of $75,000,000 a year.

Places for 33,000 party workers.

Assessment of $2,500,000,000 of property.

Control of more than half of the government of the State.

Distribution of $33,000,000 to officeholders.

Control of 125 miles of wharfage.

The welding of a half a dozen cities into the Greater New York, that will be larger than most of our States, larger than nations of the world that boast a king—an empire in itself—is a master stroke of municipal government that will put its Mayor in a position second only in extent of power to that of the President of the United States. The famous convention of 1787 formulated a government for 3,000,000 persons; the political conventions of the present campaign in New York are formulating the government for 3,400,000 persons.

Big as a Nation.

Greater New York has a greater population than any State in the Union with the exception of New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio and Illinois, and the people of Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Rhode Island, Montana, North Dakota, Oregon, Utah and Nevada would hardly replace the people in the new metropolis in numbers, for it will have a population of three and a quarter millions. It has as many people as Algeria, as many as Saxony, as many as Wurtemberg and Alsace-Lorraine together; more than Bulgaria, half as many as Egypt, twice as many as in Cuba, nearly as many as Portugal, more than Norway, Chile, Peru, Switzerland, Greece or Denmark, and Hawaii would only make a good ward. Its population equals the size of 120 armies like the standing army of the United States, and if the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, the mammoth new steamship, were to transport the population to Europe it would take twelve years to do it.

In this new nation, the control of which Richard Croker has come from England to secure, there will be 1,040 miles of surface traction lines and 160 miles of elevated roads, so that it is not surprising that the street car companies are a power behind the throne. The area in square miles will be 306. New York will have 167,000 buildings, of which 130,000 are residences. Its people drink 10,200,000 gallons of beer annually, and 100,000 arrests are made each year for intoxication and disorderly conduct. There are 1,186 places of worship. The annual receipts of the theatres and music halls are $2,500,000. There are 125 miles of wharfage and 712 newspapers. The place will be 35 miles long.

FITZ MUST FIGHT CORBETT.

The American Champion Should Meet All Comers.

New York, Oct. 4.—Bob Fitzsimmons must fight Jim Corbett again. This is the opinion which every sporting man in this country has at the present time. Unless the auburn-haired Australian pugilist comes out of his hiding place very soon and accepts Corbett's challenge and agrees to give him another chance to regain his lost laurels, Bob will be looked upon by the sporting public as our champion coward.

Fitzsimmons is the first champion who ever had the nerve to refuse to defend the title against all comers.

This country could always feel proud of John L. Sullivan when he was our real champion, for John L. was a fighter who never refused to fight and defend the title whenever he was challenged by a foreigner; but this cannot be said of our present champion. Fitzsimmons has surprised every one in this country by the mean way in which he has flunked away from every challenge which has been thrown in his face.

If he expects to be looked upon as our champion, the best thing for him to do is to enter the ring and fight again. If he doesn't do something in regard to the challenges which have already been hurled at him by Corbett and Goddard and Sharkey, he will sink in sporting scales.

Postmaster Loftin to Quit.

Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 4.—The citizens of Hogansville, some of whom tried to assassinate their colored postmaster, J. H. Loftin, will soon be relieved of Mr. Loftin's presence. It is said that he has accepted a remunerative clerkship in Washington.

Loftin, after the shooting, volunteered to continue his duties at Hogansville, even though he felt certain that to do so was to court death. The Washington authorities, among them President McKinley, who has taken a special interest in this case, believed it wisest not to further inflame the prejudices of Hogansville people, and the resignation is the result.

$5,000 Burglary in Paterson.

Paterson, N. J., Oct. 4.—When Mrs. Elizabeth Voorhis, a widow, returned home last night from services at the Broadway Reformed Church, she found the lights burning brightly in the house. On entering she found that burglars had ransacked every room and scattered the contents of every bureau on about the floor. The door of the safe in one of the rooms had been left open; the burglars helped themselves to the money and jewelry. Mrs. Voorhis estimates that about five thousand dollars' worth of money and jewelry was stolen.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

(Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

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COMING EVENTS.

October 4—Opening of Physical Department Y. M. C. A.
October 4—Common Council meets.
October 5—Dr. Snodgrass' lecture at Monroe Avenue M. E. church.
October 5—Meeting of Basores Club, 829 Park avenue, 10 a. m.
October 5—Anniversary of Children's Home in Crescent Avenue church chapel.
October 5—Annual meeting Park Club.
October 6—Tenth anniversary of Franklin Council.
October 7—First ball of Arion Club in Cycle Academy.
October 7—Lecture on Klondyke at Grace P.E. parish house.
October 7th—Entertainment Bethel chapel.

GIRLS AND ATHLETICS.

The clever and pretty young women who attend Plainfield's High School are forming a Girls' Athletic Association. The upper part of the Whittier School building will be fitted up for their use. At first basket ball will be the principal diversion. The work will be inaugurated by the organization of class teams, which will contest with one another. Such an action on the part of the girls is to be highly commended. Young women, around whom even yet social customs form a prohibitory barrier in certain directions, are entitled to exercise the body as well as the mind. They will be only the better for good healthy exercise and as their brothers are doing, ensure their constitutions against the battle of life. The example set by Plainfield could well be followed in Trenton, particulary after we secure our new High School.—Trenton Times.

RIGHT AND MIGHT AT LAST

It is seldom that one can feel the pang of defeat and the elation of victory over one subject, but such is the curious condition of affairs that exists in relation to the fate of the anti-gambling Constitutional amendment. The gamblers and the Christians came in for a share of each, but the latter's portion as the real result became known suggests the quotation that "he who laughs last laughs best"—even though the fact that the matter is not a jesting one makes the aphorism slightly inapt. The final knowledge that the moralists have won their point and that New Jersey influences of race-track history are routed beyond resustication shows what right and might can do when linked together.

OPPOSITION TO A LEADER.

From what has been learned of the action of the Middlesex Republican county executive committee at its meeting on Saturday, it is believed there will be a move to supersede Robert Carson as leader in Middlesex. Benjamin F. Howell's name has been suggested by the opposition. This is due to the fact that the committee voted to place someone else on the committee to represent a ward in the city of Perth Amboy, formerly represented by Milton A. Edgar, a prominent Republican of Middlesex county.

The result of the special election shows that there is need for some radical changes in the manner of counting and reporting the vot s of New Jersey. Why a great State like New Jersey, set in the very heart of the most progressive and up to-date section of the United States, should tolerate a system that permits the result to remain shrouded in doubt for almost a whole week, is a mystery that should be solved at the very next session of the Legislature.

"All things come to him who waits." Peculiarly applicable, indeed, is this to the moral forces of New Jersey just at present.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Benjamin Schenck, of East Fifth street, spent yesterday in Somerville.

Mr. Huyler, of Orchard place, is very ill at his home with a facial cancer.

Mr. and Mrs. Nevius, of Elmwood place, spent Sunday out of town with relatives.

Miss Lotta Lowe, daughter of William E. Lowe, of Park avenue, is ill at her home.

Charles W. Burton, of Watchung avenue, has been confined to his home with illness.

William Jennings, of Watchung avenue, has returned after spending a week in Somerville.

Lester Waltom, of Craig place, has returned from the New York Military Academy for a few days.

George Randolph, of Park avenue, has resigned his position in New York which he held temporarily.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Newhall are now residing at the corner of Arlington avenue and West Ninth street.

Mrs. Harry Brokaw, of Philadelphia, has returned home after a visit with North Plainfield relatives.

R. F. R. Huntsman and family, of Westervelt avenue, have returned from Belmar where they spent the summer.

Owen Smith, of Watchung avenue, attended a dinner at Elizabeth last Friday evening given by the Junior Press Club of that place.

Frank Randolph, of West Front street, has returned from Westerly, R. I., where he attended the wedding of Frank Smith, of this city.

Wm. Flanders, of Scotch Plains, expects to go south in a short time, and he will probably take up his residence permanently in that section.

Bert Harold, Richard Randolph and Herbert Martin, of this city, will go to Metuchen this week to attend a musical in which Bert Harold will take part.

Mrs Edward A. Smith, of 104 Summit avenue, left for Binghamton, N. Y., on Saturday where she will join her husband who is on his way home from his western trip.

Mrs. Morgan S. Taylor and her daughter, Miss Edith Taylor, have returned to Plainfield, after an absence of two years, most of which time has been spent abroad.

Wilson W. Smith, formerly of Madison avenue, has rented the former residence of Henry B. Newhall, at 144 East Seventh street, and will take possession next week.

The marriage of Miss Minnie Zeisz, of Chatham street, and Charles Van-Middlesworth, of Brooklyn, will take place on Wednesday, Oct. 27th, at the home of the bride.

Miss Moss, superintendent at Muhlenberg Hospital, who has been enjoying a month's vacation at the Delaware Water Gap, will return to her duties at the hospital next Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jackson, of Crescent avenue, have returned to Plainfield after spending the summer at their summer home at the Thousand Islands.

At an early date Miss Grace Overton, of Washington Park, expects to enter the Emerson School of Oratory at Boston. Miss Overton has much talent as an elocutionist and she will no doubt gain a high point of success in her admirable work.

BUT ONE CADET COMPANY.

Borough Military Boys Join the Corps on This Side of the Brook.

This school year will see but one company of school cadets in this city and borough. Last year, there were two regularly organized companies, one in the Plainfield High School and one in the North Plainfield High School. Both were of fair size and were under the instruction of Captain George F. Edwards. Now, all the officers and larger boys who were in the North Plainfield cadet corps have left that school and the number of cadets is reduced to sixteen. The cadet company on this side of the brook numbers about thirty in all and many of the officers remain.

The Plainfield cadets were very much in favor of admitting the North Plainfield boys to their ranks and last Thursday a meeting of the borough cadet corps was held and the question of annexation put to vote. The borough company decided to unite with their comrades over the brook. The uniforms are the same except that the borough boys have N. P. H S. on their caps while the Plainfield boys have P. H. S. on theirs. The difference is small, however, and the cadets will form one company without regard to the extra letter on the caps of the annexed company. The new company will be known as the Plainfield High School Cadets.

—Additional locals on page 3.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Additional locals on page 3.

—The work on the Grant avenue culvert was completed last Saturday.

—Mr. Schaeffer, of Chatham street, is laying a stone walk in front of his residence.

—Gas pipes are being laid on Fairview avenue by the Plainfield Gas Company.

—Trinity Commandery, Knights Templar, will hold a regular meeting this evening.

—Mrs. B. T. Barnes has resumed her duties as organist of the Congregational church.

—A meeting of the Plainfield High School cadets will be held this week to organize for the fall and winter.

—The October meeting of the Plainfield Board of Education will be held this evening at the Stillman building.

—The firemen of Somerville have received an invitation to attend a firemen's parade at Morristown on October 20th.

—The Women's Association of the Congregational church will hold a meeting Thursday afternoon in the church parlors.

—Tomorrow evening the twentieth anniversary exercises of the Children's Home Association will be held in the Crescent Avenue church.

—A social will be held in the parlors of the Congregational church on Friday evening under the auspices of the Women's Association.

—The Junior Society of the Congregational church will hold its first regular meeting of the season on Friday afternoon in the church parlors.

—Tomorrow evening Rev. W. C. Snodgrass will deliver a lecture at Monroe Avenue church before the members of the Epworth League.

—The recognition services of the newly elected officers of the Sunday-school of the Congregational church will be held next Sunday morning.

—On Wednesday evening of this week Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., will celebrate its tenth anniversary with appropriate exercises.

—Yesterday morning at the First Baptist church two persons received the right hand of fellowship. The ordinance of communion was also observed.

—A meeting of the Woman's Foreign Mission Society of the First Baptist church will be held Wednesday afternoon in the parlors of the church.

—The quarterly meeting of the Woman's Home Mission Society of the First Baptist church will be held tomorrow afternoon in the church at 4 o'clock.

—Following the example of the Plainfield patrolmen the Elizabeth patrolmen have formed an organization similar to the one started in this city recently.

—The East Association of the Woman's Foreign Mission Society of the Baptist church will hold their annual meeting at Rahway this week. A number of people from this city will attend.

—Last week Chief Grant, Sergeant Kiely and Roundsmen Flynn and Frederickson went to Elizabeth to join an organization instituted for the officials of the police departments of the State.

—In the landlord and tenant case of McNamara against O'Halloran, which was tried in Justice Moffett's court Saturday morning, judgment was rendered for the plaintiff for the possession of the premises.

—Miss Richardson, of LaGrande avenue, lost a pocketbook containing $20 at the North Avenue station, Saturday morning. She left it on the window-sill while she went to the ticket window and when she returned a moment later it was gone.

—A meeting of the Sons of Veterans committee, together with the committee from the Woman's Relief Corps, will be held this evening in the Post, No. 73, G. A. R. rooms, for the purpose of arranging for the fair to be held by the Sons of Veterans during the first week in November.

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PASSING COMMENT.

There is a church in Little Silver, one of the small places on the Jersey coast, where there hangs on the walls of the edifice a sign that would be considered very strange indeed if seen in a Plainfield church. The sign reads: "Please do not expectorate on the floor." Why such a sign is necessary in such a place it does not say.

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The sight of fine strawberries growing at this season of the year out of doors, is one rarely witnessed in this section of the country. Christian Herlich, a Warrenville farmer, enjoys the distintion of having a fine bed of the fruit now ripe and ready for picking. A few days ago this favored fruit grower brought a quartr of his berries to this city and presented them to J. F. MacDonald, the East Front street grocer, who speaks highly of the flavor of the berries.

—Queen City Lodge, No 226, I. O. O. F., will hold a meeting this evening. Several candidates are expected to appear for initiation.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

W. H. Terry has returned from his visit with New York friends.

The regular meeting of the Borough Council will be held this evening.

Miss Virgie Tunison was the guest of Plainfield friends last Saturday.

Samuel Humpston was among the Plainfielders in the borough Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Swackham r spent Sunday with relatives at Somerville.

Mr. Stites, of Plainfield, has moved to the Conover place at West Dunellen.

An important meeting of the Jr. O. U. A. M. will be held tomorrow evening.

Miss Genevie LaTelle, who has been at the "Earl Villa," has gone to Jersey City for a visit.

Miss Bond and Miss Pruden, of Plainfield, were visitors in the borough on Saturday.

Oscar Runyon has accepted a position with Woodhull & Martin, the Plainfield dry goods merchants.

Today the price of coal advanced to $5.50 per ton in the borough. This is in accordance with the coal combine.

Tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock in the Whittier School will be held the regular October meeting of the Board of Education.

Edwain Jeitles has returned to his home in Philadelphia, after a visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Luckey.

Mrs. Clarence Oakely, of New Brunswick, who has been visiting relatives in the borough for sometime, has returned home.

At the meeting of the Foresters next Thursday evening reports of the recent State convention held at Morristown will be given by the delegates who attended.

The first series of the Building and Loan Association will expire in one year. This will make ten years in all that the series has run and is considered remarkably good. The next meeting of the association will be held October 18th.

SCOTCH PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

George E. Hall, of Fanwood, spent Sunday with friends out of town.

Mrs. John R. Haskard has added an extension to her home on Grand street.

Ernest Humes, of New York, spent yesterday with his father, Jacob Humes.

Irving Quereau, of New York, was the guest of George W. Randolph Sunday.

Frank Eller, of Westfield, has the contract for painting the old school building.

Mr. and Mrs. James Buckley, of Plainfield, visited relatives in town yesterday.

Miss Hoyt and Miss Wilcox spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Wilcox's mother.

Rev. J. S. Braker, of the Baptist church, preached at the union service in the M. E. church last evening.

George Shick, the barber, was called to Bordentown Saturday on account of the serious illness of his little boy.

Mrs. Savage, of Mountain avenue, has rented Mrs. Ross' cottage on Park avenue, and will shortly take possession.

On account of the union service in the Methodist church last evening there was no Christian Endeavor meeting in the Baptist church, the society meeting with the Epworth League Society.

Rev. James S. Braker, of the Baptist church, gave a short talk to the children yesterday morning before the regular sermon. Mr. Braker intends making the first Sunday in each month a children's Sunday.

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WESTFIELD HAPPENINGS SERVED UP TERSELY FOR THE PRESS.

Many People Go and Come in the Pretty Suburban Town—Items Interesting Because of Their Brevity

The Board of Education will hold a meeting tomorrow evening.

The A. O. V. enjoyed a bicycle run to Cranford and return Saturday afternoon.

Miss Loretta Darby is the guest of Mrs. Isaac H. Lambert of Summit avenue.

Mrs. George Condit, of Elm street, has returned from a visit with relatives in Brooklyn.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Ernst, of Mountain avenue, are entertaining friends from Brooklyn.

Clifford Gilbert leaves tomorrow for a month's business trip through the Southern States.

Communion service and reception of probationers was held in the Methodist church yesterday.

A praise service, with special singing by a full choir, was held in the Presbyterian church last evening.

The sale of Westfield property for taxes has been adjourned to Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the town rooms.

The case of A. M. Griffin against A. L. Jimmerson, on contract, will be tried in Justice Collins' court on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Christopher R. Hobson, of New York city, spent yesterday with Mrs. Hobson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilford B. Woodruff.

Frank Howe's football team defeated a team captained by Bert Harris by the score 24 to 4 on the Rahway avenue grounds Saturday morning.

J. Willis Pierson, of Bloomfield, returned home today after a visit of several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James T. Pierson, of North Broad street.

A meeting will be held in Gale's clubhouse, on Elm street, this evening for the purpose of organizing a second football team, which will be known as the Westfield Juniors.

The Junior Christian Endeavor Society of the Baptist church will meet in the church parlor tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. The pastor, Rev. G A. Francis, will be present.

The Bible class of the Presbyterian Sunday-school resumed its sessions yesterday, after the summer interruption. Rev. Rufus S. Green, D. D., will remain in charge of the class this winter.

The Westfield Township Committee will hold a meeting in the town rooms tonight for the purpose of fixing the dog tax rate, and awarding damages for mischief done by dogs in the township.

Miss Florence Miller, of Mountain avenue, fell while riding her bicycle through Cranford, on Saturday, and received a number of cuts and bruises about her face and hands. She was assisted home by friends and the wounds are now healing.

The Young Ladies' Mission Band of the Presbyterian church hold their regular monthly meeting in the lecture room this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. After the meeting a rehearsal will take place for the coming entertainment to be given by the Band.

An entertainment for the benefit of the Children's Country Home will be given in Westfield Club hall tonight. The programme will include renditions by Miss Helen Gomes, James S. Burdette, George W. Day and Fred Emerson Brooks. There will also be a large chorus and an orchestra, both composed of local talent.

The Westfield Junior football team played its first game of the season with the Dunellen Juniors on the North Broad street grounds, Saturday morning, defeating the visiting team by the score of 14 to 0. Features of the game were the fine playing of Edward Vought at fullback, and the two 30-yard runs around the ends, made by Edgar Foster.

The Westfield Club's football team went to Cranford Saturday afternoon and played its first game in the Journal League series with the Cranford Athletic Club's team. The game was won by Westfield by the score of 6 to 0. Cranford won the toss and chose the west goal. From the start Westfield showed itself the stronger team, and Cranford found it impossible to stop the opposing backs from making continual gains of five and ten yards each through their lines. Westfield's fullback made a twenty-five-yard run, scoring a goal within the first ten minutes. Cranford protested the score on the ground that the umpire had called time before the goal was made. Westfield conceded the point and then hammered Cranford's line for a touchdown and kicked a goal. Before any additional points were made time was called on the first half. Cranford then refused to play the second half, claiming that Westfield had made the touchdown on an offside play, and announcing their intention to protest the game before the league. The umpire accordingly awarded the game to Westfield. Next Saturday the Westfield Club's team will play its second game in the Journal League series with the Crescents, of Plainfield, on the North Broad street grounds.

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Some forty or fifty substantial men and women of the substantial town of Somerville came together last week to show their interest in the local Emergency Hospital and to learn something about the work and methods of hospitals in general. Hon. J. J. Bergen acted as chairman, and introduced Dr. Woodhull, of Washington, prominent in the surgical service of the United States. This gentleman gave a very instructive talk in relation to modern hospital work, and explained—with the help of black-board and chalk—how to secure the best results at the least cost in constituting hospitals suited to the needs of small towns.

The chairman then introduced H. P. Reynolds, a representative of Muhlenberg Hospital, of Plainfield, who began by saying that while the fifteen minutes alloted to him should suffice for all he knew about hospitals, it would require all night to tell what he did not know. He could not assume to advise the citizens of Somerville just what sort of hospital was needed in their town, or what it might cost. But he would, from memory and printed reports, give the audience a chapter from the experience of the Plainfield hospital which, organized in 1877, and opened in 1883, had become a popular, useful and well-established local institution. In a conversational manner Mr. Reynolds pointed out some of the difficulties likely to be met, some of the objections to be expected; and contrasted the standing of Muhlenberg in 1883 with its present standing. Mr. Reynolds told how the hospital was supported in Plainfield, and advised a system of annual subscriptions as the main reliance. He reminded his hearers of the successful Kermess of last year, and cordially invited them and all their friends to attend the grand Spiel-Karten Fest, (now in course of preparation) to be opened to the public November 8th to 13th, and intended to eclipse any show ever given in Plainfield.

On the suggestion of the chair, brief remarks were made by local physicians and clergymen favoring the proposed erection of a suitable "cottage hospital," after which the meeting adjourned.

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MULFORD—MOORES—On Monday, October 4, 1897, Isabella Moores, wife of Armstrong Mulford, at her residence 425 East Fifth street, Plainfield, N. J.

WEAVER—In this city, on Monday, October 4, 1897, Sarah L. F., widow of Hamilton Weaver, and daughter of the late Edw. F. Randolph. Funeral services at her late residence 321 West Second street, on Wednesday, October 6, at 2 p. m. Friends and relatives are invited. 10 4 2

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Our kid glove stock fully merits all the complimentary things said about it, although the increased tariff makes a difference of twenty-five per cent advance on kid gloves, we still sell our celebrated P. L. gloves for $1.00. We guarantee every pair—all colors, both button, clasp and hook.

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WEYLER MAY REFUSE TO QUIT.

Claims He Has a Two Years' Contract With Spain.

Madrid, Oct. 4.—It is perfectly understood in Madrid that Weyler is the cause of the Ministerial crisis. The Queen, as well as Azcarraga, objects to his continuation in Cuba; but a strong military party, mostly composed of officers who have obtained promotions and decorations from Weyler during previous military campaigns, support him in Madrid. Naturally, the Queen and Government were afraid of the Weyler clique and of the effect that demonstrations in which high officers of the army might take part would have on the discipline of the army in Cuba, as on the public mind here and in the United States.

Weyler is entirely capable of disobeying orders if recalled. As Captain-General of the Canary Islands on a previous occasion, he refused to obey orders of recall, and the Government had to resort to energetic measures to compel his obedience. Weyler now declares that he has a contract with the Spanish Government, and that by that contract he is given two years for ending the war in Cuba, and that the term has not expired.

The Queen was much annoyed at this state of affairs, and the first step she took on arriving at Madrid was to call to her Gen. Polavieja, in whom she has full confidence, who at one time was Captain-General of Cuba, and who recently put down an insurrection in the Philippine Islands, where he was sent at the Queen's express desire and against the will of Canovas, who feared his influence.

Polavieja promised the Queen that he would take the responsibility of bringing Weyler back from Cuba, and prevent any hostile demonstrations on the part of Weyler's friends.

Polavieja is a very energetic man, very popular in the army and entirely capable of fulfilling his promise. Although in bad health, he showed himself ready to accept any post, if the rebellious attitude of Weyler's friends makes it necessary. The Queen was thus reassured. She called Azcarraga and delicately hinted at the necessity of the Ministerial resignations.

She was alarmed, however, at Azcarraga's weakness in dealing with Weyler. Azcarraga's attitude towards Weyler is all the more extraordinary in that he has always been known as the personal enemy of the present Captain-General of Cuba, but he supported him from fear of his clique. The Queen was also offended at the idea which several papers suggested, that she was completely under the influence of Tetuan. She was much angered, besides, at the extraordinary precautions taken by the authorities on her arrival in Madrid on Tuesday night, which were so extreme that the Imparcial, although a Dynastical paper, declared that even Napoleon, when he entered the Spanish capital, had not taken such extraordinary measures to protect his life. The Queen being a very proud woman, these incidents resulted in completing her determination to change the Ministry.

Such is the true history of the crisis.

CITZENS TICKET FOR TO-NIGHT.

Committee of 289 Expected to Adopt It with Thanks.

New York, Oct. 4.—The Sun of this morning publishes the following:

For Mayor, Seth Low of Manhattan.

For Comptroller, Charles S. Fairchild or J. Harsen Rhoades of Manhattan.

For President of the Council, Major John D. Kieley of Brooklyn.

For President of the Borough of Manhattan, Robert J. Hoguet.

For County Clerk, Alderman Benjamin E. Hall.

For Sheriff, Edward F. McSweeney, Deputy Commissioner of Immigration.

For Register, John B. Pannes.

For District Attorney, William Travis Jerome or Wallace MacFarlane.

For Justices of the Supreme Court, Charles H. Van Brunt and George P. Andrews.

Such is the slate that will probably be presented to the Citizens' Committee on Organization to-night, when it meets in Hardman Hall to ratify the report of the Executive Committee in respect to nominations.

NEW BIG WIRE TRUST.

Capitalized at $50,000,000 and to Buy All the Mills.

Chicago, Oct. 4.—Ex-Judge Gary, one of the largest holders of stock in the Consolidated Wire Company, announces the launching of a trust to control the wire, barbed wire and wire nail interests of the country. The capital stock of the new combine will be at least $50,000,000, and possibly $80,000,000.

"It is true," admitted Judge Gary, "that we have a plan on foot to combine a number, or, rather, a majority, of the barbed wire and wire nail mills of the country into one concern. The new company will buy mills outright, giving in exchange either cash or stock.

"We have assurances of some of the largest moneyed men in New York that there will be no trouble in financing the new company. The capital will be at least $50,000,000."

Armor Contracts Completed.

Washington, Oct. 4.—The deliveries of armor for the battleships Kearsarge and Kentucky, under contracts made two years ago, have been completed, with the exception of some plates for the turrets, and within a month both of the big armor plants which have supplied the navy with all the armor for the sides of its war vessels will, for the first time in the history of the new navy, be unemployed. The present contract represented over 6,000 tons of all classes of armor, costing the Government on an average of $550 a ton, or $250 more than the department now offers the firms for furnishing plates to three more battleships authorized.

Swallowed a Dose of Chloral.

San Francisco, Oct. 4.—Theodore Porter, Minister of Finance for the Hawaiian Republic when it was first established in 1893, attempted suicide at Golden Gate Park last night by swallowing a dose of chloral and cutting veins in both his wrists. He was picked up by a policeman and taken to the receiving hospital, where his life was saved by the attending physicians. He now lies in a very precarious state at the home of a friend.

END OF A BOOM TOWN

EVERYBODY WHO INVESTED IN IT LOST MONEY.

Property of Florence, Alabama, which was Worth $3,000,000 Sold Under the Hammer for $60,000—What the Advertising Scheme of Sharks Accomplished.

All of the property of the Florence, Ala., Land, Mining and Manufacturing Company and the Florence educational Land and Development Company was recently sold at public auction. The property sold was at one time worth $3,000,000. It was bought at the sale for $60,000. This sale brought to a close one of the most remarkable real estate booms of recent times. There are few cities in the land that do not contain one or more men who were drawn into the wild speculation which attended the launching of the Florence boom nine years ago. It was the best advertised boom of that boom period.

The promoters of the boom boasted that Florence would become the Philadelphia of the South, and that so pleased Philadelphians that hundreds of thousands of good Philadelphia dollars were exchanged for corner lots in the promising city and for preferred stock in Florence enterprises. The sale of this promperty recalled to the citizens the memories of other days when town lots changed hands half a dozen times a day at exceedingly high prices, when the spirit of speculation was rife in the land and ministers of the gospel were not averse to investing some of their slender salaries in Florence dirt at so much a front foot. The fall of 1888 witnessed a most exciting time in the town of Florence. The Florence Land Company, which had been organized the previous year, began active work then. Thousands of dollars were spent in advertising the town. Speculators rushed in from every part of the country. The town grew in three months from a sleepy river village of twelve hundred souls to a bustling boom town of seven thousand speculative spirits, each striving to get rich in a day.

So great was the excitement at that time that two additional trains daily were put on by the Memphis and Charleston Railroad to accomodate the crowds that flocked to Florence. Property which a few months before was not considered worth $500 was held for $25,000, and sold readily at that figure. Lots out of the business part of the town sold for $150 a front foot. Land companies were organized upon a half hour's notice, and manufacturing enterprises jumped into existence in a night. Out of the boom grew many banks, and when the excitement began to subside, the banks began to subside also. There were three bank failures within as many weeks, and public confidence was so badly shaken that the old-fashioned yarn stocking again became popular as a savings institution.

The recent land sale severed the last tie that bound the Florence of to-day to the Florence of the boom period. Prices have become normal and the town has fully recovered from the disastrous effects of the boom.

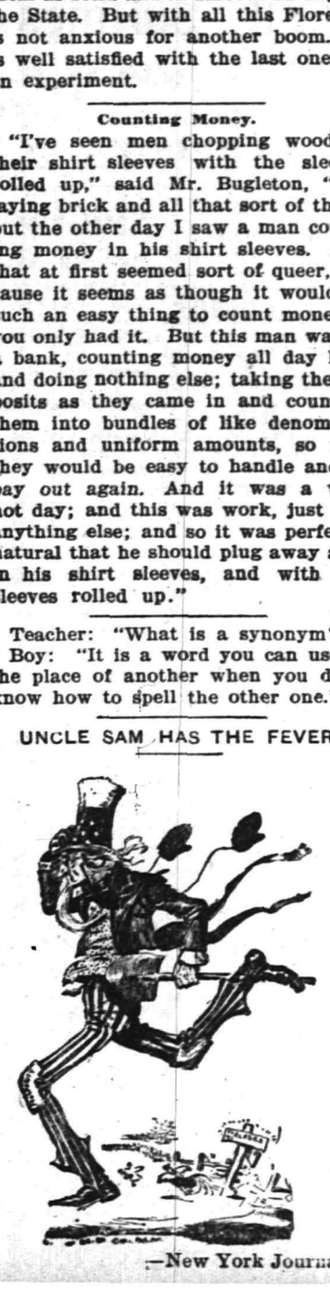
While nearly every one who speculated in Florence property lost money, the town itself was benefitted. It increased in population more than 500 per cent. in two years and its population to-day is more than 7,000. It has many handsome buildings and large manufacturing plants it would not otherwise have had. Its streets have been well graded and paved, making them as solid and as smooth as any in the State. But with all this Florence is not anxious for another boom. It is well satisfied with the last one, as an experiment.

Counting Money.

"I've seen men chopping wood in their shirt sleeves with the sleeves rolled up," said Mr. Bugleton, "and laying brick and all that sort of thing, but the other day I saw a man counting money in his shirt sleeves. And that at first seemed sort of queer, because it seems as though it would be such an easy thing to count money if you only had it. But this man was in a bank, counting money all day long and doing nothing else; taking the deposits as they came in and counting them into bundles of like denominations and uniform amounts, so that they would be easy to handle and to pay out again. And it was a very hot day; and this was work, just like anything else; and so it was perfectly natural that he should plug away at it in his shirt sleeves, and with the sleeves rolled up."

Teacher: "What is a synonym?"
Boy: "It is a word you can use in the place of another when you don't know how to spell the other one."

UNCLE SAM HAS THE FEVER.



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Leave New York, foot Liberty street, at 4 30, 6 00, 7 35, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00 a. m; 12 00 m., (12 45 and 1 00 Saturdays only) 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, (5 15 except Saturdays) 5 30, 6 45, (6 00 except Saturdays) 6 15, 6 50, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45 p. m.; 12 15, 1 00 night. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00, 9 00, 9 15 a. m.; 12 m.; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00 p. m.; 12 15 night; 1 00 a. m.

Leave New York from Whitehall street at 7 00, 7 35, 8 25, 8 55, 9 55, 11 55 a. m., (12 45 Saturdays only) 1 00, 1 25, 2 25, 3 25, 3 55, 4 25, 4 55, 5 25 (5 55 except Saturdays) 6 25, 6 55, 7 50, 8 25, 9 10, 9 55, 11 30 p. m., 12 10 night. Sundays—At 7 00, 8 55 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 2 30, 3 55, 5 25, 6 55, 7 25, 8 25, 9 50 p. m., 12 10 night.

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Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 50, 8 00, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 01, 52, 10 08, 11 16 a. m.; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 18, 7 55, 8 38, 9 03, 10 05 a. m.; 12 10, 1 15, 1 35, 2 35, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 6 28, 5 42, 6 15, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 05 p. m. Sunday, 7 15, 9 05, 9 30, 10 35 a. m.; 1 10, 1 38, 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 20, 10 20 p. m.

Passengers for Newark please change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a.m 1 01, (1 40, Saturdays only) 2 11, 2 32, 3 35, 4 36 5 03, 5 15, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 16, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p. m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 06, 9 55, a. m; 2 03, 3 39, 6 35, 8 30, 10 15, 11 14 p. m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35 45, 8 15, 9 02, 9 45, 11 45, a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05 3 25, 4 25, 5 28, 6 08, 6 40, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05 p. m Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a. m; 12 05, 1 20, 5 15 6 35, 7 53, 8 05, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a. m., 1 01, 2 11, 4 55, 5 15, 6 28, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 8 06 a. m; 2 03 6 35 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a. m; 12 32, 4 04, 7 00, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 52 a. m; 6 30 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield 9 54 a. m; 5 03, 5 15 p. m

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Mantioka, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, & c with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

1 01 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for station on D., L. & W. R. R.

2 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, MauchChunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

4 55 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Scranton, Wilkesbarre, Tamaqua, Shamokin, (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

5 03 and 5 15 p. m., way or Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 28 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 06 a. m. Sundays for Easton.

7 03 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 00 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 35 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, etc., and at Junction for D., L. & W. R. R.

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Leave Plainfield at 3 37, 8 13, 10 27 a. m.; 1 15, 3 51, 5 32, 5 54 p. m. Sundays, (except Ocean Grove,) 8 52 a. m.; 3 20 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 37, 8 13, 9 28, 10 27 a. m.; 1 15, 3 51, 5 32, 5 54. 7 03 p. m. Sundays, 8 52 a. m.; 3 20 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10 27 a. m.; 1 15, 3 51, 5 32 p. m.

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For Trenton, 5 17, 8 44, 9 46 a. m.; 1 01, 2 17, 4 29, 5 36*, 6 38* 8 21, 9 37* p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a. m.; 2 25, 4 55, 5 09, 6 35* p. m.; 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 8 44, 10 44 a. m.; 2 17, 5 36*, 6 45 p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 10 44 a. m.; 5 09*, 6 45 p. m.; 1 17 night.

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GEN. NEAL DOW.

Sketch of the "Father of Prohibition"—Many Good Deeds.

Portland, Me., Oct. 4.—Gen. Neal Dow, the "Father of Prohibition," who peacefully passed away on Saturday afternoon, had attained the great age of 93. Without education other than that to be obtained in preparatory schools and in judicious reading, he had lifted himself from obscurity to world-wide fame. On his ninetieth birthday he received messages from every quarter of the globe.

Mr. Dow was descended from early settlers of New England. His father was a prosperous banker. The son, upon his majority, was admitted to the firm of Josiah Dow & Co., and became prominent in the city as a director of various banks and other mercantile companies.

As a young man, Gen. Dow was fond of music and athletics. He was an expert oarsman, boxer, fencer and swimmer, and by his skill on the water he saved two lives. He became interested early in politics, made his first speech and cast his first vote for John Quincy Adams, was attracted by the anti-slavery and the temperance movements and gave his life up to their advancement. In 1880 he was the Presidential candidate of the Prohibition party.

He was elected Mayor of Portland in 1857 as a Whig, and in 1858 as a Republican. While serving his first term he brought about the enactment of "the Maine law," and won his title of "Father of Prohibition."

Gen. Dow represented Portland in the Legislature in 1859 and 1860. At the outbreak of the war he was active in supporting the efforts of Maine to send troops to the front. He raised a regiment of infantry and a battery of artillery, and as Colonel of the Thirteenth Maine Volunteers went to join Butler on the Gulf. He distinguished himself and won the praise of Butler for gallantry in a shipwreck. He became a Brigadier, was wounded twice in the first assault upon Port Hudson, and was praised by Gen. Sherman. While convalescing he was captured by the rebels, and afterward exchanged for Fitz Hugh Lee.

Gen. Dow resigned his commission and did effective service for the Union cause by writing in its defense in English newspapers, and in advocating the cause of emancipation. After the close of the war his pen and his oratory were devoted to the cause of temperance.

MILLENNIUM NOT YET.

Gen Miles Saw 3,000,000 Men Under Arms in Europe.

London, Oct. 4.—Gen. Nelson A. Miles, U. S. A., with Mrs. Miles and his Aide-de-Camp, Capt. Maus, sailed on Saturday for the United States on the American line steamer St. Louis.

The General had been in Europe since May on his tour of military observation, and had inspected everything of military interest from the armies of the great powers in field action down to "balloons and bicycles," as he remarked.

"I have seen all the great armies of Europe, except the Spanish army," said Gen. Miles, "and if Spain should declare war against the United States I may possibly have an opportunity of seeing that. Of something over 3,000,000 men under arms, I have seen nearly 400,000 in barracks and garrison and in field manoeuvres, besides nearly 100,000 men engaged in the construction of war material.

"What I have seen does not indicate that the millenium is at hand, when swords will be beaten into ploughshares.

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THE RUSH FOR OFFICE.

Place Hunters as Numerous as Before Commencement of Congress.

Washington, Oct. 4.—It is probable that President McKinley will be forced, for the sake of his physical welfare, to change the rules governing the reception of visitors at the White House. After Congress adjourned it was believed that the rush for office would end, and that the crowds which had infested the White oHuse since inauguration day would dwindle to a less embarrassing number. But the reverse proved to be true. Since Mr. McKinley's return from his vacation the callers have been almost as numerous as ever.

With the exception of Senators and Representatives, nearly all of those who call at the White House for the purpose of obtaining an audience with Mr. McKinley could transact their business with greater satisfaction with the Cabinet officers. All of his recent predecessors have adhered to the rule of seeing only those callers who came in relation to matters directly under the President. After Mr. McKinley has talked with some his Cabinet and with a score of Congressmen, he has little time left to attend to executive business, and is obliged to do the major part of his work at night.

To Aid Destitute Irish.

London, Oct. 4.—A memorial signed by sixty-four Irish members of the House of Commons has been published here requesting Mr. Balfour, First Lord of the Treasury and the Government leader in the House of Commons, to summon an immediate sitting of Parliament for the purpose of enacting legislation in behalf of the Irish tenants, in view of the failure of the potato crop.

The Government does not intend, however, to convene Parliament until the usual date in February.

Duty on Personal Baggage.

Washington, Oct. 4.—The Collector of Customs at New York has reported to the Treasury Department that the duties collected by him on personal baggage during the month of September under the new tariff law, which limits the free entry of personal effects purchased abroad to $100, amounted to $93,709, as compared with $19,050 collected during September, 1896.

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GOSSIP FROM GRIDIRON.

HAPPENINGS AMONG THE LOCAL FOOTBALL PLAYERS.

Games That are to be Played and Points About Teams and Individual Players That May Prove Interesting to Cranks.

The Plainfield Athletic Association will meet the well-known New York team, the Murray Hills, on Saturday afternoon on the gridiron at Martine common.

Charles Denise, formerly of this city and then quarterback for the E. A. C., is now at Lehigh and played quarterback for the Lehigh team against Princeton, Saturday.

Raymond A. McGee played right guard for Yale against Wesleyan Saturday afternoon, when Yale was victorious 30 to 0. McGee was noted by the Sun for doing specially good work.

Wesley Abbott, of this city, is candidate for the position of end on the Yale 'varsity eleven. While practicing last week he broke one of the tendons in his leg and had to stop. His physician says that he will be able to play in another week, however.

The Plainfield A. A. did not meet the Warwick Athletic Club, of New York, Saturday afternoon, as was expected. The Warwicks sent word at the last moment that they could not come as several of their players were injured in practice. Every effort was put forth by the management to get another game but the effort was in vain. The Elizabeth scrubs tried to come but they could not get their team together in time and finally sent word that they too could not come. The season will begin next Saturday, however, rain or shine.

The Plainfield Crescent Football Club played its first game for the Journal trophy, Saturday afternoon. The team went to Elizabeth and was defeated by the Y. M. C. A. team of that city by a score of 16 to 0. Last year the Elizabeth boys were the champions of the league and the Plainfield boys were well satisfied with the showing they made at the first of the season. Owing to the short notice they had to get the team ready, there was very little chance for practice, but as the season advances the Plainfield boys hope to do better

GOLF.

The monthly handicap golf tournament played last Saturday on the grounds of the Hillside Tennis and Golf Club resulted in N. Pendleton Rogers winning the loving cup offered as a prize. A goodly number entered the contest, which bids fair to be a spirited one before the cup reaches its final owner. The result of the play on Saturday is as follows:

	Gross.	Handicap.	Net.
N. P. Rogers	98	15	83
W. T. Kaufman	99	11	88
S. L. Schoonmaker	104	15	89
W. C. Baker	105	15	90
Willard Wadsworth	92	0	92
George Ryder	106	12	94
H. W. Beebe	106	11	95
F. W. Walz	105	9	96
Dr. Richards	97	0	97
J. H. P. Wharton	100	2	98
C. F. Schoonmaker	112	14	98
Evarts Tracy	109	11	98
W. L. Glenny	101	0	101

COMMITTEE OF ELEVEN.

Will Investigate and Report Upon the Widening of Westfield Avenue.

The following gentlemen have been appointed as a committee of eleven to investigate and report upon the matter of widening Westfield avenue to 100 feet and constructing a street railroad upon it by the county, to be leased for operation:

B. A. Vail, of Rahway; Albert B. Carlton, Louis Quien, Alex. Kerr, of Elizabeth; John B. Dumont, DeWitt C. Ivins, Plainfield; W. H. Coffey, Summit; George W. Doty, of Union; Jasper C. Hunt, of Cranford; James T. Pierson, of Westfield, and Frank W. Westcott, of Fanwood.

Dust or No Dust.

"To Klondyke! to Klondyke!" the cry still ascends.
And thither the seeker of fortune now tends.
Ambition his motor, in pluck is his trust,
And the motto he beareth--"I'm out for the dust!"
But if "no dust in mine" be the cry of your soul,
Of Stevens & Co. you should order your coal.

—Locals on third page.

—Rev. Geo. C. Needham's subject this evening before the Union Bible Class will be, "Lesson to Workers," Nehemiah 3, in Y. M. C A. Hall at 7:45. All welcome.

THE BOROUGH DELINQUENTS.

Tax Collector Spencer Has the Amounts Correct, Says the Report.

The following is the report of the borough councilmanic committees who investigated the delinquent taxes in North Plainfield:

To the Honorable Mayor and Council of the Borough of North Plainfield, N. J.

Gentlemen:—In compliance with a resolution passed by this Council some time since relative to ascertaining the amount of unpaid taxes and names of delinquents in the township duplicates, we would report that the instructions therein have been complied with to the best of our ability, and we herewith submit a list of delinquents and amounts due the borough for arrears of taxes.

In the year 1895, when the borough was set off from the township, a sum of about $8,000 uncollected taxes was allotted the borough as an asset.

Since that time about $4,000 has been collected, thus reducing the amount now due the borough on said account to be about $4,200, divided as follows:

Poll tax and dogs	$1,600
Personal	$1,200
Real estate	$1,400

We would call your special attention to the small amount uncollected on real estate, which includes properties that have been sold from year to year as required by law to maintain our lien upon said premises.

The total amount of the township duplicates from 1885 to 1894 inclusive amounts to $283,000; thus we find that less than 1½ per cent. of the total duplicates of ten (10) years remains uncollected at this time.

Your committee has exceeded the authority granted by the resolution and entered into the work with an earnest and persistent endeavor to ascertain the true condition existing relative to the accounts and methods of the collector, and feel that they can report that although the system in vogue is antiquated, yet the accounts are undoubtedly correct.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

[Signed] W. A. Schutt,
T. J. Carey,
John G. McLaughlin,
Auditing and finance committee.
Murray Burtis,
George T. Rogers,
Sub committee.

Her Seventy-second Birthday.

Miss Mary Randolph, of Greenbrook, celebrated the anniversary of her seventy-second birthday last Saturday, and during the afternoon and evening she was given a surprise when a large number of her relatives and friends gathered at her home in honor of the event. There were guests from Plainfield, Brooklyn, New York and Canada. The programme that made the occasion a happy one included vocal and instrumental music, and games, and at the close a delightful supper was served in abundance.

To Go to Klondyke.

Fred Disborough, the treasurer of the Somerset Baseball Club, of Somerville, whose plan of doing away with the time-honored precedent of allowing the girls to come to the games free of charge finally compelled the club to give in for lack of financial support, is reported as being one of the prospective Klondykers. He expects to start for that golden region in the spring and return to Somerville after several years with all his treasure.

Result of a Fire.

The New York warehouse of L. H. Michan & Co., of Paris, who are one of the oldest and best known importers of fine goods, was recently damaged by fire. All of the dress goods that were not damaged were sold at auction, and Edward White secured a large and attractive assortment at one half the real value of the goods. They show no evidence of having been in a fire and are guaranteed to be absolutely perfect.

Now Her Left Arm Is Broken.

Annie Eimer, the two-and a-half-year-old daughter of Henry Eimer, of Harmony street, fell from a chair yesterday and broke her left arm. Last February she met with an accident in which her right arm was broken.

—Neuman Bros., the Watchung avenue grocers, will receive an extra large shipment of fine table and canning peaches, tomorrow, and will sell the stock at rock-bottom prices. A choice selection of sycle and bartlett pears also in stock.

GREAT BARGAINS.

in BICYCLE and GOLF SUITS. We have 40 Suits that we will sell BELOW COST to close them out.

Plainfield Cycle and Sporting Goods Co.,
147-149 NORTH AVENUE.

We have this famous make in all the new Fall and Winter shapes; we have the sole agency for Plainfield.

A. Willet & Son,
No. 107 Park Avenue.

Death of Mrs. Fitz Weaver.

Mrs. Sarah L. Fitz Weaver died at the home of L. W. Randolph, 321 West Second street, last night at midnight. She was in her sixty fifth year. Mrs. Weaver was born in this city, but lived in New York and Brooklyn after her marriage until her husband's death eleven years ago. She was an aunt of Mrs. L. W. Randolph, and leaves a brother, Sylvester F. Randolph, of West Eighth street, and a sister, Miss Mary Randolph, of West Second street. She has been ill for the past two years from kidney trouble, but a sudden attack was the immediate cause of her death.

Driver Thrown Out.

A horse belonging to E. L. Finch, of Park avenue, with a two seated phaeton attached, ran away on Park avenue late yesterday afternoon. Rufus Finch was driving at the time and was thrown out. The horse ran into a tree and smashed up the carriage. The horse was caught by a policeman at 2 o'clock this morning on Park avenue. None of the occupants of the carriage were seriously injured.

A Chimney on Fire.

A chimney in the residence of E. J. Richards, corner of Liberty and West Fourth streets, was discovered to be on fire at 7 o'clock last evening. The heat from the fire was so intense that it scorched the mantlepieces and set fire to a picture that hung in the dining room. Mr. Richarns with the aid of a visitor, succeeded in extinguishing the fire, and it was not found necessary to turn in an alarm.

Didn't Know He Was in the City Limits.

A. M. Line appeared before City Judge DeMeza, this morning, on the charge of riding his wheel without a light. He pleaded extenuating circumstances. He was going to walk when he reached the city limits, but crossed them without knowing it. Sentence was suspended

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Walling, and son Ritner, a bright little fellow of nine years, of Germantown, Pa., a surburb of Philadelphia, spent Saturday night and part of Sunday with friends in the borough, and Sunday afternoon at the home of Miss Eva Ralpelyea, of Westfield. Mr. Walling holds a lucrative position in the coal and freight department of the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company at Philadelphia.

GAIL BORDEN EAGLE BRAND CONDENSED MILK

HAS NO EQUAL AS AN INFANT FOOD.

"INFANT HEALTH" SENT FREE. N.Y. CONDENSED MILK CO. NEW YORK

Bought at a Sheriff Sale

$15,000 worth of the finest

FALL AND WINTER -CLOTHING- -: FOR :- MEN, BOYS AND CHILDREN.

One of the leading wholesale manufacturers in New York has failed and their entire stock was sent to us to be sold at less than forty cents on the dollar they cost to manufacture. The house was noted in New York, and only the very best and choicest lines were handled by them. Re ollect these will be sac ifice prices and will last but three weeks. A great opportunity for money-saving clothing buyers.

The very finest tailor-made clothing in the world will be sold at retail for less than half the prices that other stores ask for inferior goods. As this is such a rare occurrence, we respectfully invite all intending purchasers of clothing to give their personal attention and call early, as the choicest goods will most naturally go first. The sheriff must be paid in cash and this elegant stock of fine clothing will consequently be sacrificed at an enormous loss. We will sell you fine fall and winter suits, fall and winter overcoats, ulsters, heavy-weight trousers, coats and vests, handsomely and elegantly made, equal to the best merchant tailor's work, for less than the actual cost of the labor in making these fine garments. Here is your opportunity to purchase a suit or overcoat for what the lining would cost at any tailoring establishment in the city. A few prices will tell the whole facts. Means a saving of 60 per cent. on every dollar spent. We deal only in reliable clothing, and will not undertake to sell one dollar's worth of clothing unless we know that what we sell will give the buyers as good wear as if he paid us what the garment was worth. Men's winter all-wool suits, sizes from 33 to 44, that are sold all over Plainfield at $7.50 and $8.00, are sold here at $3.75; if not satisfied with this suit in any way, bring it back and get your money. Men's fine clay-diagonal heavy-weight suits, silk-lined, worth $22.00, at $7.50. Men's satin lined dress suits in cutaway, worth $22.75, at $8.50. We offer 600 dark colored good suits in mixed cheviots and cassimers at $3 50, $4 50, $5.00 and $5.25, worth easily from $8.00 to $12 00. All wool men's pants at 85c. Heavy cheviots and cassimere pants at 95c, $1 10, $1.25 and $1 50, worth double. Fine double breasted heavy black cheviot suit handsomely made, at $5.25, that other stores ask $15 00 for. Elegant Prince Albert dress suits, very fine imported cloth, wholesale price $18 00 to $25.00, sale price $9.50. Extra fine dress pants, over one hundred styles in stripes and silk mixtures, neat checks and cords, $1.25, $1.50, $1 65, $1 90 and $2.25, worth from $3.75 to $5.50.

Bring this with you and if not shown everything here as advertised we will pay your car fare. Boys' neat double-breasted suits, all wool warranted, with double knee and double seat, $1,00, 1 25, 1.50, 1.75 and 2.24, worth three times as much. Men's fine covert cloth fall overcoats, in light and dark shades, silk-lined, worth $16.00, at $5.00, latest styles. Men's heavy diagonal fall overcoat, fine finish, worth 12.00 to 15.00, at $5.50. Men's fine black melton overcoat, blue or black, elegantly made, at $6 50, worth 12.00. Men's imported kersey overcoats silk lined, French facing, worth 22.00, at $8.25. Men's dress overcoats at $3 25, worth 10.00. Buy your overcoat now and you will save sixty cents on every dollar. Men's ulsters, dark blue, all wool, waterproof cloth, worth 18 00, at $6.50. Very fine ulsters at $5.50 and $6.50, worth double. A good ulster for drivers at $2 50 and $3.00, worth from 6 00 to 8.00. Extra fine dress suit for young men and boys, long pants actually valued at 12 00 to 15 00, sale price at $4 50. Young men's single or double-breasted blue or black cheviot suit at $3 50, regular price 10.00 A good youth's suit at $2.50, worth 7 50. Bring anything back within fifteen days, that is not entirely satisfactory. Men's extra fine brown plaid suits at $3 50, $4 50 and $5.00, worth from $9.00 to 15 00. Men's winter bicycle suits at $2 00, $2.50 and $3, worth from 5.00 to 12.00. Remember, no other store in Plainfield can sell you such fine clothing for any less than three times these prices. We have over three thousand suits to choose from. All wool clay diagonal sack suit at $5.90, worth from 12 00 to 15.00. Over one thousand woolen knee pants from 15c to 60c. Everybody living within tweny-five miles of Plainfield should visit this great sheriff sale.

SALE BEGINS SATURDAY, OCTOBER 2, at 7:30 A. M.

New York Clothing Co.,

Next door to Music Hall, Plainfield, N. J.

M. WEINBERGER, Manager. Car fare paid to all out of town buyers. Don't miss this sale, it will pay you to come at once. Sale takes place rain or shine. Don't forget the place; it is 214 West Front Street, next door to Music Hall. Look for New York Clothing Co.

GREAT SACRIFICE SALE.

CLOTHING. **FURNISHING GOODS.** **CLOTHING.**

The Entire Stock of Clothing, Men's Furnishing Goods and Hats of

HARRY M. JAQUETT, 129 EAST FRONT STREET,

has been assigned to me, and must be sold at once to close the business. These goods will be sold at prices one-half their value. Come and be convinced. This sale will commence THURSDAY MORNING, SEPTEMBER 30.

SAMUEL T. JAQUETT.
129 EAST FRONT STREET.

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DETERMINE SENTIMENT.

A REMARKABLE PROPOSITION SUBMITTED TO CITY FATHERS.

Its Purpose is to Allow Voters to Record a Vote For or Against Liquor License Without the Result Becoming Binding.

The October meeting of the Common Council last night was marked by one of the most radical and remarkable propositions ever before submitted to the City Fathers. Councilman Runyon, of the Second ward, was the originator of it. The proposition is to permit the voters to express an opinion at the polls on the question of license or no license without the result becoming binding on the Council who have invested in them the power to decide. The proposition is simply this: That at the city election in December two special ballots be printed and given to the voters. On one of these will be printed words to the effect that the citizen voting it believes in a continuation of the liquor business in Plainfield under the present system. On the other one will be printed words to the effect that the voter is opposed to the granting of liquor licenses at all. Corporation Counsel Marsh has expressed an opinion that it will be legal for such ballots to be deposited and counted at the city election, but that the result will not be binding upon the Councilmen to follow, unless so inclined. The ostensible purpose of the proposition is to determine the exact sentiment of the voters in reference to the liquor license question, and if the affirmative proposition is carried it is thought that it will relieve the Council of the sting of criticism to which they are subjected each year by certain elements. The resolution was adopted by the Common Council last night with but one dissenting vote—that of Mr. Westphal.

A communication was received from residents of West Fourth street in the vicinity of Lee place, asking for a crosswalk at that point. Residents of LaGrande avenue asked for two crosswalks, one to be located on Richmond street and the other on Scott place. A communication was received from President J. B. Probasco, of the Board of Education, asking the Council for the privilege of having the fire-alarm whistle blown once on one session days at the public schools in the city. The hour selected was 11:15 a. m., as the time when the alarm shall be sounded. Residents of the Fourth ward asked for three crosswalks at the intersection of Grant avenue and South Second street. The freight carters of the city asked the Council to have Richmond street, between East Second street and North avenue, repaired, as the road is in bad condition. Communications were received from the Plainfield Electric Light Company and the Plainfield Water Supply Company, stating that the lights and hydrants had been located as directed by the Council. In a communication, Mayor Fisk appointed Special Patrolman Andrew Saffron as a regular patrolman, and D. Taynor, Charles Clarkson and C. Flynn as special policemen. The appointments were confirmed by the Council.

From Mrs. Malli, president of the Town Improvement Association, was received a communication asking the Council to give the association the proper authority to improve the City Park, also to appoint W. H. Forester, the superintendent of the proposed work, a special policeman.

Building Inspector T. O. Doane reported that twenty five permits were granted during the past month, and during the same time twenty permits were granted according to Street Commissioner Gavett's report. This makes 1,015 sewer permits to date.

City Judge DeMeza's report for the month showed that 213 prisoners had appeared before His Honor, of which number 53 were fined, on 35 sentence was suspended and 25 were discharged. $287 had been received from fines, and $75 30 expended. To Chief Grant $25 was paid as half fine in an illegal liquor case, and $3 to Roundsman Flynn in another similar case. There are unpaid fines to the amount of $20, and the balance on hand is $211.70.

The monthly reports of the city treasurer and collector were received and filed.

Mr. Westphal reported back the contract between the city and the Plainfield Electric Light Company, in which is included the terms of agreement for the proposed eleven arc lights, and in accordance with a suggestion made by Mr. Barrows, the contract was referred back to the light and trees committee to be considered jointly by the fire and building committee, so that all precaution that is necessary be taken as regards

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BEYOND EARTH'S TRIALS

MISS A. KATE MARTINE DIED AT "CEDAR BROOK" TODAY.

Though She Had Been Ailing for Three Weeks Her Condition was Not Considered Dangerous Until a Day or Two Ago.

For several years there has been no woman in this city who has been more actively identified in charitable, church and social circles than Miss A. Kate Martine. It will, therefore, be a great shock to her associates to hear of her death, which occurred at "Cedar Brook" at 7:45 o'clock this morning, after an illness extending over a period of three weeks, but which, until just before her passing away, was not considered so serious but what she would recover from it.

Three weeks ago Miss Martine was attacked with the grip, but the illness was not thought to be more than a passing malady until last Friday when it culminated in heart trouble. Even then, though the affliction seemed to be severe, it was thought by both physician and relatives that she would revive and eventually regain the rugged health that had always been hers. Last night, however, her breathing was very labored and there was indications that unless a change came soon she could not survive. At mid night her condition became so serious that her brother, James E. Martine, hurried for Dr. Endicott, who came as soon as possible. He treated her and remained at her side for some time. He returned again at 3 o'clock and remained until after 6 o'clock. During this time she failed rapidly until the end came.

Miss Martine was born in New York city and was the daughter of Daniel and Anna M. Martine. Thirty years ago her parents removed to this city and bought what is known as "Cedar Brook" farm, but whose acres then spread over much that is now residential property. Ever since then she has resided in the quaint and roomy old house that sets at the head of the long lane leading from the the Watchung avenue entrance of the place—a home wherein her convival spirit always reflected the happy side of life.

Miss Martine was a member of the Crescent avenue Presbyterian church, the Monday Afternoon Club and the Woman's Town Improvement Association, in all of which societies she was an active factor. No function or undertaking of theirs was ever inaugurated but what her efforts were devoted to its success. In the successful Fete Champetre given last June she was one of the principal assistants of Mrs. Pierre Malli. Her indefatigable work for the success of the event is, in a measure, ascribed by her relatives as one of the causes for her sickness.

Her manner and disposition was always breezy and pleasant—a positive pleasure for a company of young people to have her mingle in their midst. She read much and remembered well, and these two things gave her an almost inexhaustible fund of anecdotes that always carried humor and laughter with them. Indeed, she was a companionable person, either in or out of the home circle. Her death will be received with feelings of sorrow and regret by all who knew her.

She leaves two brothers—James E. and D. W.; and three sisters—Ella, Mary and Mrs. Harriet Myers.

The funeral arrangements have not yet been made.

PRIMARY MAY BE REMOVED.

Thought to be the Only Way to Relieve Overcrowding in Borough School.

A special meeting of the North Plainfield Board of Education was held last evening for the purpose of hearing a report of the committee who has in charge the relief of the overcrowded condition of the school. The committee stated that they were unable to secure suitable quarters for the kindergarten department outside of the school, and at their suggestion it was decided to hold two sessions of this department in the same class room. One session will be held in the morning and the other in the afternoon.

Regarding the Primary department, it was decided to secure quarters outside, if possible. There are between forty-five and fifty scholars in this department ready to go into other quarters as soon as the accommodations are secured. The committee was given full power and as soon as the quarters are obtained the department will be moved, which will probably be this week.

New Jersey Team Won.

The contest for the auxiliary whist trophy was played for on Saturday evening, at the rooms of the Brooklyn Whist Club. The New Jersey team defeated the New York team by 27 points. The Park Club four played on the New Jersey team.

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DIALECT DRAMA FOR DABBLERS IN POLITICS.

Being, in Effect, a Moral to Prove to Some Women How Inferior They Are to Certain Voters.

The following little skit was written by a prominent Plainfielder, and is based on an actual scene and conversation that he unintentionally saw and heard a week ago yesterday. But let the story be told in the author's own way, which is a very interesting and apt one. It follows:

THE LATE ELECTION.

A Dialect Drama Dedicated to Down-hearted Dabblers in the Poisonous Pool of Partisan Politics; to Woman Suffrgists, White Ribboners and S. S. Politicians of all Sexes, Ages and Conditions; with Suggestive Sidelights upon the local Leadership of the G. O P.

TIME—Day before election.

PLACE—Office of Republican official and politician.

DRAMATIS PERSONNAE:

1—American citizen of African descent.
2—Son of the aforesaid official.
3—Low-down Mugwump (in background.)

ACT I: SCENE I.

(Enter, American Citizen of African Decent): —Mornin, gemmuns: Whar de boss? He home dis mornin?

(Son of Republican Official):—Aint home just now: Want to see HIM?

(Am. Cit.):—Dat what I want ter see; come to see 'bout dish yer 'lecshun wha dey's talkin 'bout; who all is runnin fer it, an wha fer it is?

(Son of R. O.):—Well, they're goin to vote for —now—'mendments to the—now—const'ution of the United States, to allow women to vote, see. You aint goin' in for that,—say!

(Am. Cit.):—'Low wimmens to vote! Wha wimmens know 'bout vetin! Dey caint vote, wimmens caint. Cease I'm agin it. Dat all dish yer 'lecshun 'bout?

(Son, etc.):—Well, there's another—now—'mendment against horses; to stop horse racing. They want to stop the races, see: Think that's a good thing,—stoppin' the races?

(Am. Cit.):—Say, now; stop de races! Wha fer dey wan do that? Hoss races aint never hurt nobody. I go agin dat, sarten. An' dey wimmins votin,—dat beats me—dey wimmins!

(Son, etc):—Well say now, you want to get your vote in, see!

(Am. Cit.):—Yass, my vote's all right. But who's goin to pay fer my time? When I quits work dey dock half a day off'u my pay.

(Son, etc.);—I don't know anything about that. Your poll tax, is that paid?

(Am. Cit.):—Poll tax! Wha dat you say? That jess the thing de poll tax and getdin docked, see! Dat are jess wha fer I wan' see de boss 'bout. Dey say he fix dat all right.

(Son, etc.):—I don't know about that. There aint nothing in it for him, see!

(Am. Cit.):—Well, I aint got no money fer pay poll tax, an' I gwine wait over to 'nuther 'lecshun. Dat poll tax git paid den, sure. Mebbe de boss he wan my vote nex time, see! Wen you say he come? * * * Wimmins votin'! Wimmins yere, an' wimmins dere. Wha dey know 'bout votin? Who goin pay poll tax?

(Exit Am. Cit. in inquiring frame of mind.)

(Exit Son, etc., whistling tune of ———.)

(Curtain falls on Magwump, sneering Satanically.) Shakespere's Plays.

NOT GOOD FARMING.

CITY SELLS POTATOES FOR 35 CENTS AND PAYS $1.15 A BUSHEL.

A Sad Commentary on the Theoretical Farming Which This Town is Indulging in—Products Sold Below Market Price.

The city of Plainfield has turned its hand to farming since that tract of land, near Dunellen, known as Mountain View Farm, was purchased and the sewer beds located there. Corn, potatoes and cabbages have been raised on the sewage disposal beds and on the fields adjoining. The products of the city farm have been sold at prices that have quite astonished the farmers in that vicinity. Meanwhile, those in charge of the Industrial Home have been buying farm products from Plainfield grocers at market prices.

Early in the summer, one of the fields adjacent to the sewer beds was planted with potatoes. They were cared for by the city's men who are employed at the beds under the direction of Superintendent Slape. Six weeks ago the potatoes were ripe and they were sold to Patrick Keeley at 35 cents a bushel as they lay in the ground. The cost of gathering is about 7 cents a bushel. There were 190 bushels of potatoes raised on the city's farm. The market price at that time was 80 cents a bushel. Superintendent Slape wanted some and so did Overseer of the Poor Marx, but Keely came so quickly that neither secured what they wanted.

Today the market price of potatoes is $1.15 a bushel. The alms committee is now forced to pay that price for the potatoes to feed the city's charges at the Industrial Home. There are not very many there, it is true, and so the amount of potatoes needed is not very large. There are but two occupants of the Home at present.

The corn was sold to a neighboring farmer for 6 cents a shock. The market price is reported by the farmers in the neighborhood to be 12 cents. They wonder greatly at the low price at which the product of the city farm was disposed of, for the corn was of excellent quality.

Police Looking for Herman.

The latter part of last week Fred Hand, young son of Frank Hand, the Somerset street blacksmith, was run into by Chas. Herman, of the borough, who was on a wheel. Herman was angry that the boy was in his way, and it is said he gave the youth a trouncing. The boy told his father the circumstances, and the latter with a horse and wagon gave chase and caught Herman. The latter told Mr. Hand that if he touched him he would have him arrested. Mr. Hand then went away to have a warrant issued for the arrest of Herman. In the meantime Herman slipped away and his whereabouts is not known. He will be arrested, however, as soon as he returns, if he decides to come back.

Druggist Hall to Marry.

Charles H. Hall, of this city, and Miss Elizabeth P. Tice, daughter of Hon. Geo. H. Tice, of Perth Amboy, will be married in the Presbyterian church at Perth Amboy on Wednesday, the 20th, at 6 o'clock p. m. The ceremony will be performed by Rev. George B. VanDyck, pastor of the church. After the ceremony a wedding reception will be held at the home of the bride's parents, 67 Market street.

Rev. H. J. Johnston and family, have moved from 19 Craig place to 332 East Front street.

CHILD A HUMAN TORCH

TWO-YEAR-OLD BOY BURNED TO DEATH IN MOTHER'S PRESENCE.

Was Playing With an Older Brother Who Had Secured Some Matches—Died Two Hours After Accident in Terrible Agony.

Charles Hanan, the two-year old son of James Hanan, of Elmer street, Westfield, was burned to death last evening as the result of an accident. The two Hanan children were playing alone upon the lawn some distance from the house at about 6 o'clock, when the older boy, five years old, found some matches, and the two began playing with them. Suddenly there was a scream from the children.

The clothing of the younger child began to blaze and in another instant it was enveloped in flames. Mrs. Hanan was in the house at the time and, hearing the cries of the children, started out of doors to their assistance. She got no further than the piazza, however, for when she reached that point and caught sight of her child enveloped in flames, she fell in a faint.

The cries of the children attracted the attention of neighbors who ran to the rescue of the child. Its clothes were entirely burned from its body, and the flesh was a crisp.

Drs. Cooper and Sinclair were summoned and did all that was possible to relieve the child's suffering. It died at 8 o'clock in great agony. The mother is in a serious condition resulting from the shock of the terrible experience. It is not known how the children secured possession of the matches, as care was taken not to leave them lying about the house where the children could get them.

THE MEDAL PRESENTED.

Daily Press Emblem Now Worn by the High School Champion.

This morning, the Daily Press medal, a handsome design of solid silver, was awarded to its winner, Carroll L. Runyon. Last Friday afternoon, the annual closed games of the Plainfield High School were held at the Crescent Oval. The Press medal and the all-round championship of the High School were contested for and Carroll L. Runyon won after a very close contest with Rhey T. Snodgrass, while a dozen other scholastic athletes made the events close and exciting.

White and blue ribbons were offered by the Athletic Association for the first and second places in the different events. This morning, after the usual devotional exercises that open the session of the High School, Principal Ira W. Travell called Runyon forward and with a few appropriate remarks presented The Daily Press medal. Then the winners in the different events were called up and given their prizes. The presentation of the medal and the other prizes was made quite an impressive ceremony.

Klondyke Lecture.

Very Rev. Archdeacon Kirkby, who is to lecture in Grace church parish house, on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, is well fitted for the task which he has undertaken. He resided for some years in the vicinity of the now famous gold mining districts, and can therefore speak of what he saw and heard. In addition to the lecture, W. W. Moore will exhibit some of the wonders of the graphophone.

Miss Kittie Ransom, of East Fifth street, has returned from a visit with friends in New York.

THE OLD HORSE KICKED

A BOYISH FREAK MAY END IN THE LOSS OF AN EYE.

Edward Marcellis, Jr., Mounted the Apparently Docile Animal, But When He Got Off the Steed Kicked Him Spitefully.

Edward Marcellis, Jr., aged eight years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Marcellis, of West Fourth street, was so severely kicked by a horse yesterday afternoon that he will probably lose his left eye.

With a number of other boys he was playing on Brown's dumping grounds on Watchung avenue. In the party was an old horse owned by Mr. Parsons, of Cottage place. The boys were daring each other to get on the back of the animal and ride him, whereupon young Marcellis said that he was not afraid to do so.

He accomplished his purpose and the old horse did not appear to mind his load very much until the boy tried to reach the ground. The boy had no sooner planted his feet on terra firma when the hind feet of the animal were raised and with much force struck Marcellis in the face. The lad was thrown fully six feet, and for a few minutes he was stunned.

His companions ran to his assistance and found the boy in a serious condition. His left eye was almost thrown out of its socket and a large bruise was found on the face. Acting wisely the injured boy's companions ran for Dr. Carman The latter gave his assistance and temporarily fixed him until he could be taken to the hospital for further treatment.

At the hospital it was discovered that the eye was in a very critical condition and that the boy may be obliged to lose that member. The bruises on the face, while painful, are not of a serious nature. Today young Marcellis seems to be doing very well. It will be a day or two before it can be determined hs to whether the eye will be lost.

Came to Visit and Was Hurt.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Marshall, of Brooklyn, started from their home yesterday to ride on their bicycles to vsiit Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Titsworth, of Madison avenue. They reached Netherwood and Mr. Marshall, who was ahead, collided with a coal wagon and was thrown from his wheel. His wife was close behind and before she could stop she ran into him. Mrs Marshall was thrown to the ground with much force, and sustained a severe injury to one of her knees. She was taken to a neighboring house and Dr. B. Van D. Hedges called. The injury was dressed and Mrs. Marshall was so anxious to get home that she left on the 3:52 train. Mr. and Mrs. Titsworth were afterwards notified of the accident.

Christian Endeavor Officers.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of Trinity Reformed church met last evening and elected officers for the coming year as follows: President, Horace J. Martin; first vice-president, Harry W. Marshall; second vice president, Mrs. F. C. Adams; recording secretary, Miss E. F. Gillem; corresponding secretary, Miss Mabel A. Woodruff; treasurer, Charles M. Dolliver. There was not the slightest opposition to the above-named officers and the election was made unanimous.

Patrolman Mattox Elected a Delegate.

The Patrolmen's Benevolent Association, of Plainfield, held a meeting yesterday afternoon in their rooms on Park avenue, at which time President W. R. Mattox was elected a delegate to go to Trenton today to attend the annual State convention of patrolmen. The association will meet on the first and third Wednesdays in every month. No other business of importance was transacted at the meeting.

Lights Went Out, But Singing Went On.

Last Sunday evening at Grace P. E. church while the choir and congregation were singing a hymn the electric lights suddenly disappeared. The effect was blinding, but it did not interfere with the music in the slightest degree. It so happened that the hymn was a familiar one and everyone was able to go on with it, accompanied by Mrs. Freeman on the organ.

Narrowly Escaped Injury.

A colored man employed by C. Frank French, narrowly escaped a serious accident this morning. He was riding on top of a load of baled hay on Somerset stteet when he slipped and fell almost under the wheels of the vehicle. He was somewhat stunned by the fall but escaped injury.

Miss Lizzie Haddow, formerly of Plainfield, who has been visiting friends in Glasgow during the past eighteen months, returned to this country on the City of Rome yesterday, and was cordially received in this city by her friends, Mr. and Mrs. John Morton, of West Front street.

THE SCHOOL FINANCES.

ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS.

The Receipts Were $67,490.73—Cost of Lincoln School Building was $27,125.95—Other Matters Transacted by the Board.

The reading of the annual financial statement of the Board was the most interesting feature of the regular October meeting of the Plainfield Board of Education, held last evening at the Stillman building.

The report of Tax Collector Bird was read and showed that taxes to the amount of $703.35 had been collected together with $107.93 interest, making a total of $811.28 which had been deposited in the City National Bank.

A communication was read from Charles Burdette Morse, chairman of the committee in charge of the last High School alumni reception, extending a vote of thanks to the Board for furnishing the music on that occasion and for their support of the committee.

Mr. Lounsbury said that Woolston & Buckle estimated that it would cost $97 to paper and paint the upper floor of the Washington School and put it in good condition. There was a general discussion of what that floor was to be used for and Superintendent Maxson replied that he had given the cadets permission to drill there in the winter and that the girls wanted permission to play basket ball there. It was decided that it would be necessary to light the floor and screen the windows to it before the girls could play there. Mr. Lounsbury and Dr. Jenkins were not in favor of the extra expense, but Dr. Probasco thought that the Board should provide at least that for the physical exercise of the girls, and the other two members agreed with him. It was then decided to make those improvements and the matter was left in the hands of the building committee.

The estimates were received for removing the ashes during the current year from the nine schools. The Plainfield Sanitary Company offered to do it for $250 and Fernando Brown for $110. The Board awarded the contract to Brown.

The financial statement ending August 31st was read by Mr. Lounsbury and was as follows:

RECEIPTS.

Balance from Aug. 31st, 1897.		
General account	$3,610.49	
Building account	$ 64.22	
Library account	$ 20.80	
		$4,495.51
District tax	$41,581.53	
Interest	$ 717.39	
		$42,298.92
State tax		$18,943.46
Tuition, non residents		$ 1,645.20
Library account		$ 20.00
Sales of incidental-, fines, etc		$ 87.34
		$67,490.73

DISBURSEMENTS.

Salaries, teachers	$38,872.86	
Salaries, clerk	$ 400 00	
Salaries, janitors	$ 4,074.00	
Fuel	$ 1,914.72	
Gas and electric lights	$ 68.68	
		$45,330.26
Running school expenses		
Stationery supplies	$ 162.06	
Printing	$ 231.80	
Insurance	$ 130.50	
Census enumeration	$ 164.80	
Assessing and collecting school tax	$ 975.68	
Furniture	$1,246.18	
Incidentals	$1,879.05	
General supplies	$ 344.71	
Repairs	$3,227.31	
		$53,692.35
Building account		$ 864.22
Library account		$ 31 24
Discount, interest		$ 110.00
Interest on indebtedness	$3,000.00	
Bonds, payment on indebtness	$3,000.00	
		$6,000.00
Book and school supplies		$2,755.40
		$63,453.21
Balance in First National Bank	$638.83	
Balance in City National Bank	$898.69	
		$1,537.52
Balance of loan due from the Lincoln building account	$2,500.00	
Total balance		$4,037.52
		$67,490.73

LINCOLN SCHOOL BUILDING ACCOUNT.

RECEIPTS.

Loan on bond and mortgage from estate of Warren Ackerman	$25,000.00
Loan from general account	$ 2,500.00
Transfer building account of balance	$ 101.15
	$27,601.15

DISBURSEMENTS.

Carpentry, masonry, etc	$21,617.91
Heating, ventilating, etc	$ 1,784.90
Plumbing	$ 667.46
Electric wiring	$ 617.00
Grading, etc	$ 258-16
Fencing	$ 162.00
Blackboards	$ 173.51
Furniture	$ 22.03
Shades	$ 112 50
Incidentals	$ 27.50
Discount interest	$ 364 28
Architect's services	$ 1,121.60
	$27,125.95
Balance in City National Bank	$ 475 20
	$27,601 15

An auditing committee was then appointed to audit it. The committee consisted of Messrs. Lounsbury, Lovell and Abbott. The Board then went into executive session.

A Bicycle Thief.

The bicycle thief is still at large and continues his depredations. Saturday evening he took the Spalding wheel belonging to Lindley M. Hillman, of Sherman avenue, from in front of Moy's pharmacy, while the owner was inside the store. Hillman reported the theft to the police, but no trace of the wheel has yet been found.

—Additional locals on third page.

NACK AND THORN PLEAD

The Murderers of Guldensuppe Arraigned Yesterday.

CURIOUS FOLKS IN COURT

Thorn Very Restless and Nervous—Both Have a Worried Look—Indicted Jointly, but Will Probably Have Separate Trials.

New York, Oct. 5.—Augusta Nack and Martin Thorn were arraigned in Long Island City yesterday to plead to the indictment for the murder of William Guldensuppe.

Each professes to be joyful; they say they are going to get justice at last. But the worried look about their eyes doesn't bear out the smiles on their faces. A large number of curiosity-seekers were present with the hope of getting a glimpse of the prisoners.

District Attorney Youngs said Thorn and Mrs. Nack would probably not be arraigned until after the Grand Jury had been charged by the court and the civil calendar called.

Martin Thorn and Mrs. Nack were up bright and early, and after carefully preparing their toilets, were anxiously waiting in their cells to be summoned to the court room. According to Sheriff Doht, Mrs. Nack was calm and sat in her rocking chair chatting pleasantly with the two matrons, who have charge of her.

Thorn, however, the Sheriff said, seemed to be restless and nervous. The two prisoners have had an understanding with their lawyers as to the legal course to be pursued in their respective cases. Howe & Hummel will defend Thorn, and Friend & House will appear for Mrs. Nack. One of the assistants of District Attorney Olcott, of New York, will aid District Attorney Youngs in the prosecution.

Though they are jointly indicted for the killing of Guldensuppe, they will without doubt elect to have separate trials. District Attorney Youngs, it is believed, will place Thorn on trial first because the evidence is the strongest against him.

It is charged against the prisoners that the conspiracy to murder Guldensuppe was planned in New York City, that Mrs. Nack enticed Guldensuppe to the house in Woodside under the pretense she was going to hire the house, and that Thorne preceded them there, and while Guldensuppe was inspecting the rooms Thorn suddenly jumped from a closet and shot him in the head.

Then it is claimed Thorne carried the body of Guldensuppe to the bath tub, and there dismembered it and tied up the parts into separate bundles, depositing the bundles in the East River.

The motive is alleged to be Thorn's desire to get rid of Guldensuppe, so that he could live with Mrs. Knack.

Counselor Howe, who has had thirty years' experience as a criminal lawyer in New York City, and who has defended scores of notorious prisoners charged with murder, says he never entered into a case with more confidence of securing the discharge of his client than in the case of Thorn.

Lawyer Howe contends it will be a fishing expedition on the part of the District Attorney throughout the trial with the hope that something will develop to prove the guilt of the defendants.

On the other hand, District Attorney Youngs says he fully believes the prosecution will present such strong circumstantial evidence, with corroborative proof, as to leave no doubt of the guilt of both Thorn and Mrs Nack.

HALF A MILLION IN NUGGETS.

Rich Claims on Eldorado Creek in the Yukon Country.

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 5.—George Stanley, who is mining on El Dorado Creek, in the Yukon, writes to his father in this city that claims owned by his father and partner, Warden, on El Dorado Creek, will pan out half a million in gold nuggets this coming Winter. The letter predicts that claims on Bear Creek will turn out as rich as those on Bonanza and El Dorado creeks, pans averaging $5 each. Stanley also writes that the Canadian Government is exacting a royalty of 2½ cents per cord on wood to be used in thawing out the gravel this Winter. A similar charge is also made for logs used in building cabins for the miners. During the Summer forest fires have destroyed a large amount of cord wood. Owing to the scarcity of water but little sluicing has been done.

State Board of Dental Examiners.

Albany, Oct. 5.—The State Board of Dental Examiners has elected these officers for the ensuing year: President Dr. A. Southwick, of Buffalo; secretary Dr. Frank French, of Rochester; editor, Dr. William Carr, of New York City.

The board has withdrawn from membership in the National Association of Dental Faculties on account of the latter having reduced materially the preliminary requirements for entrance to the dental examinations under its jurisdiction. To make it possible for all dental students to take the same licensing examination a resolution has been adopted by the board requesting the State Board of Regents to suggest to the dental colleges that they hold their commencements on or near the same date as possible.

He Objects to "Amen."

Toronto, Oct. 5.—The new Presbyterian Book of Praise, adopted for the use of the church in Great Britain and Canada, does not meet with entire approval. In a church here a leading member resumed his seat before the congregation had sung the "Amen" at the end of a hymn. Later he arose and protested against singing the "Amen" on the ground that it savored strongly of Episcopalianism. After the service the session held a meeting and decided to omit the word in future.

Killed by a Falling Derrick.

Seneca Falls, N. Y., Oct. 5.—John McClue, proprietor of the Merchants' Canal Navigation Company, was instantly killed yesterday afternoon at Waterloo about three miles from this place, by a falling derrick. McClue was 51 years of age and had been in the canal-boating business for thirty-five years.

THE POPE'S HEALTH.

The Report Is False that He Is Seriously Ill—His Health Is Good.

(Cable Dispatch to the Sun.)

Paris, Oct. 5.—A dispatch from Rome to the Depeche Coloniale says the Pope has been seriously ill for three days, and that his physicians fear his illness will terminate fatally.

London, Oct. 5.—The Sun's correspondent in Rome telegraphs that the Pope is in excellent health. His Holiness takes daily walks in the Vatican gardens, and suspended them yesterday and to-day only because it was raining.

Rome, Oct. 5.—Dr. Lapponi, the Pope's body physician, confirms the statement cabled to the Sun that His Holiness is enjoying good health.

THE LOW TICKET COMPLETED.

Ex-Secretary Fairchild Named for Comptroller.

New York, Oct. 5.—The Executive Committee of the Citizens' Union last night completed their city and county ticket. The nominations are as follows:

For Mayor—Seth Low, Republican, of Manhattan.

For President of the Council—John N. Schuman, Worth Republican, of Brooklyn.

For Comptroller—Charles S. Fairchild, Cleveland Democrat, of Manhattan.

For District Attorney—Austen G. Fox, Cleveland Democrat.

For County Clerk—Benjamin E. Hall, Republican.

For Sheriff—Edward F. McSweeney, Cleveland Democrat.

For Register—Richard H. Adams, president of the Liederkranz.

For Justices of Supreme Court—Charles H. Van Brunt and George P. Andrews, Democrats.

For Justices of the City Court—Joseph Fettrech, Republican; S. Stanwood Menken, Democrat.

For President of the Borough of Manhattan—Robert J. Hogues, Democrat.

A resolution was adopted indorsing Mayor Strong's administration.

CONNECTICUT'S ELECTION.

Big Majority for the Educational Qualification of Voters.

Hartford, Ct., Oct. 5.—The election in this city yesterday was on the adoption of the constitutional amendment requiring electors to be able to read in the English language any article of the constitution or any section of the statutes of this State before being admitted. The voting here was very light and the amendment was approved by a practically unanimous vote—1,151 for and 51 against the measure. The voting all over the State is about in the same ratio.

Elections were held for town officers in every town in the State excepting Hartford, New Haven and Bridgeport. Mayors and full city governments were voted for in New London, Waterbury, South Norwalk and Norwalk.

The results have no particular bearing on the political situation. In Middletown much interest centred around the license question, which at last accounts had a majority of 700.

The Republicans elected nearly their entire ticket and they are also ahead in Meriden and New London. Some three hundred illegal ballots were cast in New Britain for the Republican school visitors, and the result will depend on their being accepted.

Filing Nominations at Albany.

Albany, Oct. 5.—Yesterday was the last day for filing with the Secretary of State certificates of regular party nominations. Independent nominations may be filed up to and including Oct. 8. The official ballot this year will contain party columns for the Republican, Democratic, Prohibition and Socialist Labor parties. The People's party seems to have abided by the decision of the Attorney-General that they were not entitled to a party column this year, as they cast less than ten thousand votes last Fall. The People's party has not filed any nomination for Judge of the Court of Appeals, as has been usual with them, and they will not be represented on the official ballot this year unless they nominate by petition. This is unlikely, owing to the great work necessary to secure the 6,000 names which are required before such a nomination can be recognized by the Secretary of State.

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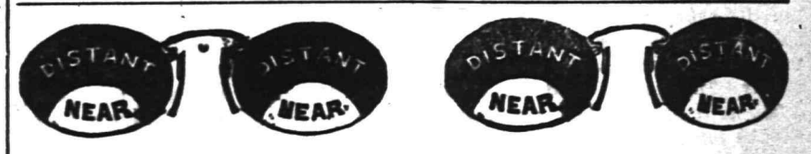

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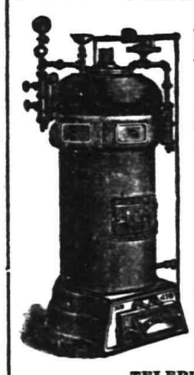

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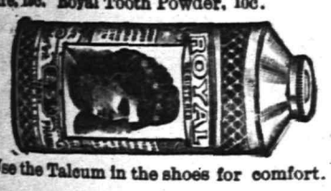

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Men's Metalic Calf Shoes, English back stay, tan or black, a shoe you're sure of.....price $3.00.
MORRIS C. VAN ARSDALE,
Repairing properly done by a first-class cobbler, one that understands his business. 127 E. FRONT STREET.
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We Give Premium Coupons.

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FALL UNDERWEAR.
Men's heavy scotch mixed shirts and drawers, fleece lined, extra weight, the 65c kind, at 50c. Men's natural wool half hose, in sizes from 9 to 11, at 15c. The dollar scarlet medicated shirts and drawers, at 85c. Ladies' fleece lined Swiss ribbed vests at 25c.
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Imported and domestic costumes, tailor made dresses, capes, coats, blouse and reefer jackets, the latest productions of the leading artists.
HOUSEFURNISHINGS.
Granite cuspidors, 10 and 15c. Granite drinking cups, 5c. Enameled Gem egg fryer, 7c. Sperm machine oil, 3c bottle. 4 quart granite tea and coffee pots, 22c. Coupon soap, with a ten cent coupon at 5c.
MILLINERY DEPARTMENT.
TRIMMED HATS AND BONNETS.
We are showing the choicest selection of dress, carriage and evening hats. Sale in Ostrich plumes, wings and ribbons.
ASK FOR EXCHANGE COUPONS.
BOEHM'S !
109, 111 and 113 WEST FRONT ST.

-:THE:-
Welsbach Light !
THE GREAT GAS SAVER.
JOS. W. GAVETT.

1,000 Men Wanted at Once !

Above are wanted to clean out a large number of odds and ends in working shirts and underwear at half their value, and in some cases less.

Blue Flannel Shirts, double breasted, were	$2.25	now 98c
" " " " " "	1.75	" 75c
" " " " " "	1.10	" 50c
Gray Wool Shirts - -	were 1.25-1.50,	now 50-60c
" " " - - -	were 69c	now 25c

WINTER UNDERWEAR.

A large number of red and gray undershirts and drawers at greatly reduced prices.
These goods are remnants of the Edsall stock, and must be cleaned out to make room for our new goods.
Goods are piled on counters, left front entrance. If interested, call early.

WOODHULL & MARTIN,
Babcock Building.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—An important meeting of the Sons of Veterans will be held this evening, and every member is especially urged to be present.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by L. W. Randolph.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Sadie Brown, of Westfield, visited friends in this city on Saturday.

Joseph Bogert and family, of East Second street, have moved to East Sixth street.

Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption

This is the best medicine in the world for all forms of Coughs and Colds and for Consumption. Every bottle is guaranteed. It will cure and not disappoint. It has no equal for Whooping Cough, Asthma, Hay Fever, Pneumonia, Bronchitis, La-Grippe, Cold in the Head and for Consumption. It is safe for all ages, pleasant to take, and, above all, a sure cure. It is always well to take Dr. King's New Life Pills in connection with Dr. King's New Discovery, as they regulate and tone the stomach and bowels. We guarantee perfect satisfaction or return money. Free trial bottles at L. W. Randolph's drug store. Regular size 50 cents and $1.00.

Willard Sutton and family, of East Third street, will move in a few days to the house owned by Mr. and Mrs. Ianson on the same street

A Valuable Prescription.

Editor Morrison, of Worthington, Ind., "Sun," writes: "You have a valuable prescription in Electric Bitters, and I can cheerfully recommend it for Constipation and Sick Headache and as a general system tonic it has no equal." Mrs. Annie Stehle, 2025 Cottage Grove Ave., Chicago, was all run down, could not eat nor digest food, had a back ache which never left her and felt tired and weary, but six bottles of Electric Bitters restored her health and renewed her strength. Prices 50c and $1. Get a bottle at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

Mrs. Eugenia LaForge, of New Brunswick, has been visiting Mrs. VanFleet, of East Third street.

A few weeks ago the editor was taken with a very severe cold that caused him to be in a most miserable condition. It was undoubtedly a bad case of la grippe and recognizing it as dangerous he took immediate steps to bring about a speedy cure. From the advertisement of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the many good recommendations included therein, we concluded to make a first trial of the medicine. To say that it was satisfactory in its results, is putting it very mildly, indeed. It acted like magic and the result was a speedy and permanent cure. We have no hesitancy in recommending this excellent Cough Remedy to anyone afflicted with a cough or cold in any form.—The Banner of Liberty, Libertytown, Maryland. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Ralph Tolles, of Westervelt avenue, entered the New Jersey Military Academy yesterday, and will take up a regular course of study.

Those who believe chronic diarrhœa to be incurable should read what Mr. P. E. Grisham, of Gaars Mills, La., has to say on the subject, viz.: "I have been a sufferer from chronic diarrhœa ever since the war and have tried all kinds of medicines for it. At last I found a remedy that effected a cure and that was Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy." This medicine can always be depended upon for colic, cholera morbus, dysentery and diarrhœa. It is pleasant to take and never fails to affect a cure. 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Mrs. James Leggett and daughter, of Skillman, who were the guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Leggett, of West Front street, have returned home.

A pain in the chest is nature's warning that pheumonia is threatened. Dampen a piece of flannel with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bind over the seat of pain, and another on the back between the shoulders, and prompt relief will follow. Sold by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Edward Loizeaux, of the borough, entered Columbia College yesterday morning for the purpose of taking up a course in medicine.

Croup Quickly Cured.

MOUNTAIN GLEN, Ark.—Our children were suffering with croup when we received a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It afforded almost instant relief.—F. A. Thornton. This celebrated remedy is for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

DEBS COLONISTS DISCOURAGED.

Worked Out the Theory All Right but the Scheme Did Not Succeed.

Reading, Pa., Oct. 5.—The six Reading men who belonged to the new labor colony on the Debs plan at Kepner, Schuylkill County, returned home yesterday, not at all pleased with the first season's experience. It is doubtful whether they will return. The farm is a good one of 312 acres, 125 being under cultivation. Forty men, women and children were on the farm all Summer The colony's plan to pay off $1,400 of the debt failed, as the installments promised were not forthcoming. The colony inn could not be completed Nearly every member of the colony has returned home for the Winter. A few remain to look after the property Many have time checks given for labor rendered which have not been redeemed. Many took potatoes for their checks. The men were to get 15 cents an hour for labor performed, but this could not be carried out.

The men say such a colony can be a success only if started without debt. This farm is in every way good, but the debt was a dead weight. A Jersey City man has promised substantial aid for next season. The colonists have several tons of hay stacked or housed. The colony idea is not very assuring to those who have most experience. They say there should be several industries on the farm to give employment to those who cannot find work in the fields.

LOW'S RESIGNATION HELD.

A Committee Will Report on it After Election.

New York, Oct. 5.—Seth Low is still president of Columbia University. This is the outcome of the meeting of the trustees of Columbia University, held yesterday afternoon at the office of John McL. Nash, treasurer of the institution, at 67 Wall street. In order to avoid taking decisive action they handed the resignation to a committee of five, appointed by William C. Schermerhorn, their chairman, to be considered and reported on at the next regular meeting on Nov. 15.

Mr. Low's resignation read as follows:

"As I have felt constrained by a sense of public duty to accept a nomination for Mayor of the City of New York at the hands of the Citizens' Union, I feel it to be my duty to the university to place in your hands, for such action as you may see fit to take, my resignation as president of the university. I need not say that nothing but a deep sense of the imperative nature of the call to public duty would have led me to accept the nomination. Respectfully, "SETH LOW."

The meeting at which this document was discussed was, of course, private. Cit John B. Pine, who is clerk of the board, said afterward there was very little discussion on the matter. The following resolution was unanimously adopted:

"Resolved, That the resignation of the president be referred to a select committee of five, to be appointed by the chair, of which the chairman shall be a member, to consider and report at the next meeting of the trustees as to what action should be taken in reference thereto, with their recommendations."

Ex-Senator McMillan Dead.

St. Paul, Minn., Oct. 5.—Samuel J. R McMillan, United States Senator from 1876 to 1888, who died at his home in this city late Sunday night, had been ill for nearly a year.

He was born in Brownsville, Pa. Feb. 22, 1826. He studied in the office of Edwin M. Stanton, afterward Secretary of War. After being Judge, he was appointed Associate Judge of the Supreme Court in 1864, and was re-elected in 1871, and in 1874 chosen Chief Justice.

In February, 1875, he was elected to the United States Senate as the result of one of the most noted deadlocks in the history of the State.

Dissipated a Fortune of $40,000.

Syracuse, Oct. 5.—E. H. Robinson who a few years ago left this city with an inheritance of $40,000, is now a fugitive from justice. He located in Middleport, near Niagara Falls, and engaged in business, but his money was rapidly dissipated by fast living In June last a confectionery store in the village was robbed of $77, which was taken from the till. The crime was traced to Robinson, who confessed. He was not punished, however, on account of his previous good character, and because the money was restored by his friends. Recently he was caught in the act of robbing the till in Holland Bros. store. A warrant was issued for him but he fled and his whereabouts are not known.

Y. P. S. C. E. State Convention.

Elmira, Oct. 5.—Last evening the annual State convention of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor opened here. One thousand delegates arrived yesterday, and 4,000 more are expected. The convention will conclude on Thursday. Among the prominent speakers will be President McKettrick of Buffalo; the Rev. G. M. Hemdel, of Albany; Mrs. Booth-Tucker, Mrs. C. C Linckey, of Brooklyn; Mrs. E. H Whittemore, of New York; the Rev John Elliott, of Rochester; the Rev H. H. Stebbins, of Rochester; the Rev Henry McEwen, of New York; Francis Clark, of Boston, and the Rev. George Pentecost, of Yonkers.

Swallowed a Dose of Chloral.

San Francisco, Oct. 5.—Theodore Porter, Minister of Finance for the Hawaiian Republic when it was first established in 1893, attempted suicide at Golden Gate Park last night by swallowing a dose of chloral and cutting veins in both his wrists. He was picked up by a policeman and taken to the receiving hospital, where his life was saved by the attending physicians He now lies in a very precarious state at the home of a friend.

Indian Outbreak Feared.

Washington, Oct. 5.—Secretary Bliss has requested Secretary Alger to order troops to proceed to Tuskohoma, I. T. to avert threatened trouble during the sessions of the Choctaw Council, which convenes to-day. Both Gov. McCurtain and Indian Agent Wisdom fear an outbreak between the political factions and urged that troops be sent to preserve the peace and prevent riots. It is probable that a troop of cavalry will be sent from Fort Gibson.

BEATEN BY BICYCLISTS

Yonkers Girl Rescued From the Hands of a Ruffian.

SISTER HAD GONE FOR AID

After Thrashing the Wretch the Cyclists Called the Police and Had Him Locked Up—Residents Greatly Excited.

Yonkers, Oct. 5.—James McGowan, the ruffian who attacked Miss Edith Bakeman on Sunday evening, was arraigned before Judge Kellogg yesterday and was remanded until last evening.

Miss Bakeman is a decidedly pretty 17-year-old girl and probably owes her life to two bicyclists. As the two men were speeding along Van Cortlandt Park avenue on their wheels at dusk last evening they heard a woman's cry for help in a clump of bushes by the roadside.

Without hesitation the wheelmen dismounted, and, laying their wheels down, hastened in the direction from whence the cry came. In the midst of the underbrush they discovered a middle-aged man of medium height, bent over the form of a young woman, and with his two hands clutched about her throat.

The fellow was cursing the young woman, who was vainly endeavoring to free herself from her assailant. In a much shorter time than it takes to describe it the two bicyclists dragged the man from his unfortunate victim, and while one held him the other assisted the girl to her feet.

Feeling assured that the young lady was not seriously injured or in need of immediate assistance, the two bicyclists set about to beat their prisoner, which they did with a vengeance.

At first the fellow showed fight, but the continued onslaught of his captors soon subdued him, and he begged for mercy. The men did not desist, however, until the fellow was unable to move.

They then turned their attention to the young lady, who told them that she was proceeding to church with her 13-year-old sister, when the fellow approached her. She tried to avoid him, but he pursued her and after catching her dragged her into the woods for the purpose of assaulting her.

She resisted him, and he beat, kicked and tried to choke her. Her little sister, she said, ran home for help. The men waited for no further explanation, and after assuring the young lady of their protection they persuaded her to accompany them. They then dragged the fellow to the nearest police signal-box, where the police were communicated with.

When the police arrived they found the man terribly beaten. He was taken to St. Joseph's Hospital, where his wounds were dressed. Both of his eyes were closed. At the police station he gave his name as James McGowan, age 45 years.

Miss Bateman resides at Lincoln Park and is much thought of by all who know her. She said:

"I feel that I would surely have been killed if those good men had not come to my assistance. The villain wanted money and tried to rob me of my honor."

The residents of Lincoln Park are greatly excited about the affair, and they all promise to be on hand at the trial.

Edith and her sister are attendants at St. John's Episcopal Church, and it was to that place she was going. The wheelmen who rescued her were Louis Page, of 18 Carroll street, and D. D. Alley, also a resident of Yonkers.

MURDER IN SCHAGTICOKE.

A Fiddler Plied with Liquor in a Saloon, Then Beaten to Death.

Troy, Oct. 5.—George Drake, of Schaghticoke, lies dead at the Troy Hospital, and his alleged murderers, Edward Guare and Thomas Hickey, are in the Troy jail. Drake was mentally weak, but his musical abilities were strong enough to please the people of Schaghticoke, where the tragedy occurred. On Saturday night Drake wandered into Mrs. Butler's saloon in Front street, with his violin under his arm. The crowd in the saloon was a boisterous one, and became still more so when Drake began to play. They filled the violinist with whisky, and when Drake became loud and abusive he was ejected by the bartender. But Drake would not stay out, and immediately re-entered the saloon.

Edward Guare and Thomas Hickey, both of whom were drunk, grabbed Drake and pushed him through the door into the street. They followed him across the street and beat him until he fell. Guare and Hickey became frightened at what they had done, picked him up and placed him on the sidewalk. Some of the men in the Butler saloon hurried over and carried Drake to Casey's Hotel, where his condition became so serious that he was removed to the Troy Hospital. Drake died in the hospital Sunday night. The autopsy showed that death had been caused by a fracture of the skull and laceration of the brain. Guare and Hickey were arrested in the woods near Schaghticoke and will be tried for murder. Drake was 50 years old and well known throughout the county.

Loss of a Jersey Schooner.

St. Augustine, Fla., Oct. 5.—Nothing has been heard of the crew of the schooner Priscilla Scribner, the wreckage of which has been floating ashore on Anastasia Island. It is believed that all her men have been lost at sea. A yawl came ashore on North Beach yesterday, and an effort had evidently been made to launch it, as the davits are attached to it, together with about two hundred feet of line. The bow of the yawl is stove in. Parts of the cabin have been picked up on South Beach.

Lands Purchased for the State Park.

Albany, Oct. 5.—The State Forest Preserve Board has purchased of W. W. Durant, of New York City, 23,872 acres of Adirondack land in township six, Hamilton County, which embraces a portion of Raquette Lake. This land is of the best timbered property in the woods and is considered a valuable addition to the State's holdings within the boundaries of the Adirondack State Park. The purchase price has not yet been made public, but it is understood to have been $7 an acre.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

(Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Fair Tonight; Probably Fair Wednesday; Warmer.

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 78 Degrees.

COMING EVENTS.

October 5—Dr. Snodgrass' lecture at Monroe Avenue M. E. church.
October 5—Meeting of Rasores Club, 829 Park avenue, 10 a. m.
October 5—Anniversary of Children's Home in Crescent Avenue church chapel.
October 5—Annual meeting Park Club.
October 6—Tenth anniversary of Franklin Council.
October 7—First ball of Arion Club in Cycle Academy.
October 7—Lecture on Klondyke at Grace P.E. parish house.
October 7th—Entertainment Bethel chapel.

PLAIN WORDS FROM THE PULPIT.

Morristown has a preacher who believes plain words and—realism. This divine's name is Rev. Samuel Zane Batten, and the sermon that he preached Sunday evening and the material things he had on hand to illustrate his points have set the aristocratic town agog. The subject was "The Liquor Traffic in Morristown." Many saloon-keepers and town officials were present to hear the discourse, the principal point of which was that the license laws were violated persistently and flagrantly. As evidence of the truth of his statement he had five whiskey bottles standing beside the Bible in front of him. They had, he said, been purchased in every case by rank violation of the laws—even one of them by a fourteen-year-old boy on that very Sunday. Rev. Mr. Batten said both Mayor and police disiaim responsibility under the present charter, but the minister's idea was that the police force was hopelessly incompetent or corrupt. The sermon caused a great sensation because, as a newspaer report states, "It is acknowledged that the preacher spoke the truth."

The girls of the Plainfield High School have organized an athletic association. The Mothers' Congress of the State of New York is in session at Syracuse. There is no sign of any falling off in the activity of the other sex.—Evening Sun.

Delegates Appointed.

The executive board of the Park avenue Baptist Sunday.school held its third quarterly business meeting, last evening at the home of the superintendent, Miss Alice Spangenberg, of Woodland avenue. Delegates were appointed to attend the annual convention of the New Jersey Baptist Sunday-school Association to be held at New Market on Tuesday, October 19th. The delegates appointed were Miss Emma V. Fish, Mrs. W. S. Lowry, Miss Myra Runyon, Miss Margaret Rand, Miss Alice Spangenberg, Miss May D. Thompson, Mrs. Delaney and Miss Adelia Runyon.

Councilman R. I. Tolles, of Westervelt avenue, is in Chicago on business.

Mrs. E. M. Ransom, of East Fifth street, has returned from Spring Valley, N. Y., where she has been the guest of friends for sometime past.

Mrs. Maggie Bittle has returned from Ohio, where she has been for the past four months. Her daughters from Dunellen and Raritan gave her a reception last evening at the home of her sister, Mrs. David Bush, of North avenue.

—At the regular meeting of the West End Hose Co. No. 2, last evening, the subject of uniforms was discussed, and samples were submitted to the company by the committee in charge.

—The handsome floral display at the Church of the Heavenly Rest used at the time of the funeral of the late Charles S. Lewis, which was held last week, has been photographed. The flowers were arranged by Mrs. Denton, of Prospect Hill.

The Eldridge Bicycle Company is not going to manufacture its own bicycles but they will be constructed by one of the large manufacturers especially for the Eldridge Company.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The fac simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Mrs. Flaag, of Hasbrouck Heights, is visiting Plainfield friends.

C. B. Brown expects to leave the city soon for his home in Minneapolis.

Miss Gertrude Tier, of Bank place, is entertaining company from out of town.

W. E. Lewis and family have gone to Hoboken to visit friends for a few weeks.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Krewson, of Pearl street, Sunday.

Ashton Horton, of Tarrytown, N. Y., is visiting former acquaintances in Plainfield.

Harold Chandor, of East Fifth street, spent Sunday with friends in Westfield.

William Hobby, of Watchung avenue, has returned from a short visit in Brooklyn.

Rev. D. M. Stearns has returned home, and will shortly resume his classes again.

Mrs. H. T. Smith, of Westervelt avenue, has returned after a visit at Glen Cove, L. I.

A. B. Gossman, of Long Island, spent Saturday and Sunday with Plainfield friends.

Miss Lulu Randolph, of West Eighth street, is slowly recovering from a recent illness.

Miss Loree, of West Second street, is enjoying a much needed rest with friends at Whitehouse.

S. P. Craig and family, of College place, have gone to Roseville to visit friends for a few weeks.

Mrs. Peter S. Hodge, of Plainfield avenue, has returned from a visit with relatives at Somerville.

Miss Mabelle Schenck, of Somerville, has returned home after a short visit with Plainfield relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Mansfield Hummer, of Annadale, are visiting L. A. Hummer, of Somerset street.

A. E. Bushnell, of No. 104 Park avenue, carries his arm in a sling, the result of a stab with an ice pick.

Mrs. Sharp, of Somerville, mother of Mrs. J. F. Garretson, of West Front street, has suffered a paralytic stroke.

William K. Dwight, of Rockview avenue, who is now attending Princeton University, spent Sunday at home.

Mrs. J. C. VanDyke, of East Front street, will leave the city today to spend a time with relatives at Liberty Corner.

The engagement is announced of Miss Alice Coard, of East Ninth street, to Harry Johnson, of LaGrande avenue.

Mrs. A. D. Pope, of Lincoln place, has been entertained by her sister, Mrs. Francis Clark, of High street, Newark.

Samuel Huntington and family, of Franklin place, are at home, after spending the heated season at the seashore.

R. W. Bowne, of Glen Cove, L. I., has been spending a few days with his daughter, Mrs. H. T. Smith, of Westervelt avenue.

J. E. Stewart and family, of West Seventh street, who have been stopping at the Claflin House, Becket, Mass., have returned home.

Miss Catherine Webster, of East Second street, has returned from her trip to California. This makes her sixth trip across the continent.

Mayor Fisk and family, of West Seventh street, have returned from Jefferson, N. H., where they have been enjoying life at The Waumbek.

Miss M. L. Hotchkiss, of Crescent avenue, has returned home after spending the summer at Alburg Springs, Vt., and Elizabethtown, N.Y.

Wesley Abbott, of Yale University, has been spending a few days at his home on Central avenue on account of an injury received while playing football.

George Lewis, of the borough, who met with a severe accident some time ago by falling from the top of a ladder, was able to be out on Saturday for the first.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they do is tenfold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by druggists, price 75c per bottle.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Additional locals on page 3.

—An entertainment will be given in Bethel chapel on Thursday evening.

—On October 14th the Somerville fire department will hold an inspection.

—A corn husking party wil be held in the Lawton barn, South Plainfield, this week.

—J. E. Beerbower, proprietor of the City Hotel, has arranged to have his opening on Thursday of this week.

—The white paint that is being applied to the residence of Jacob Long, on Craig place, is a great improvement to his property.

—Neuman Bros. have just received a shipment of 25 baskets of good table peaches, which will be disposed of today at low prices.

—A lecture will be given in Grace church parish house on Thursday evening. It will be about Alaska and the Klondyke region.

—Jerusalem Lodge, No. 26, F. and A. M., will hold a regular communication this evening, when the E. A. degree will be conferred.

—Will all those who have circulated the W. C. T. U. petitions for signers bring or send them to our room either Thursday afternoon or next Sunday afternoon at our meeting. Mrs. E. A. Parse.

—Ed Campbell, of Park avenue, has added two new specimens to his menagerie. He has now a small opossum, which he captured when it was only a week old. He also has a young woodchuck

—The little pony owned by Mayor Charles J. Fisk, which was taken to New Hampshire with the Mayor's family this summer, reached this city yesterday. The little animal was brought to New York by rail and was then driven to this city.

—The article in The News regarding Jefferson avenue, Friday, was incorrect as far as Charles J. McNabb was concerned, the latter wishes The Press to state. He was never employed by the township committee to look up the acceptance of Jefferson avenue.

ARM BROKEN IN PLAY.

Little Miss Gullenberg Fell Through the Floor Beams of an Unfinished House.

Ellen Gullenberg, aged 12 years, of Berckman street, met with a painful accident last evening about 6 o'clock while she was playing about one of Charles Hand's new houses on that street. With other children she was in the second story of the house, and in running about over the rafters young Miss Gullenberg lost her balance and fell through the floor to the ground. Her friends went to the home of the injured girl's parents and informed them of what had happened. Mrs. Gullenberg hastened to where her daughter was and found that she was suffering intensely with pain. With the mother's assistance the little girl was taken home and a physician was called. The latter discovered, after a thorough examination, that the girl's arm was fractured in two places, one near the wrist and the other near the elbow. The broken bones were set and the unfortunate girl is now doing as well as can be expected. Her age is in her favor and the bones are sure to knit more readily.

Rasores Club's First Meeting.

The Rasores Club held its first meeting of the season at the home of Mrs. M. Kimball, of 829 Park avenue, at 10 o'clock this morning. Mrs. Kimball, the president, was in the chair. The subject was "Vacation Experiences," each member telling in an informal way the pleasant experiences of their summer outings. In the absence of the regular secretary, Mrs. I. C. Pierson was elected temporary secretary. The club will hold its annual election of officers on next Tuesday morning.

Seven Want to Become Members.

A meeting of the Plainfield Catholic Club was held last evening in the clubhouse on West Sixth street. Seven applications were received. The entertainment committee reported that a smoker was being arranged for next month and that the date would be announced later. Routine business was then transacted.

Thirtieth Regiment's Reunion.

The Plainfield members of the Thirtieth Regiment, who will hold their reunion in Trenton on Thursday, will leave the North Avenue station at 8:44 a. m., and all who intend going should be there at that time. Other comrades of the regiment are also invited.

Died of Diphtheria.

The two year-old daughter of Herbert Schellinger, of 416 East Fourth street, died at noon yesterday, of diphtheria. The funeral was held from the house at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Interment was made in the Catholic cemetery.

—Additional locals on page 3.

Intelligent women would not use baking powder containing alum if they knew it, no matter how cheap it might be.

Cheap baking powders sell because people do not know what is in them.

Everything used in Cleveland's baking powder is plainly named on the label.

Guarantee.

Grocers are authorized to give back your money if you do not find Cleveland's the best baking powder you have ever used.

Cleveland Baking Powder Co., N.Y.

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Protesting Against an Appointment.

Washington, Oct. 5.—Several protests have been filed at the War Department protesting against the appointment of the Rev. David H. Shields of Shippensburg, Pa., who was recently appointed to the post of Chaplain in the Army by President McKinley. The Rev. Mr. Shields is a Methodist minister, and received some very strong indorsements, among the signers of his application being nine of the twelve bishops of the Methodist Church. There are names also of some very prominent men throughout the country signed to his application.

It is said that the resignation of the chaplain has been called for, but inquiry both at the White House and War Department fail to elicit anything to bear out the statement.

Fourth-Class Postmasters Appointed.

Washington, Oct. 5.—The following fourth-class postmasters were appointed yesterday:

New Jersey—Mountain View, Passaic County, G. G. Jeffries.

New York—Angola, Erie County, Charles N. Wood; Bliss, Wyoming County, D. S. Merville; North Sparta, Livingston County, James M. Ashman.

Pennsylvania — Harveys, Greene County, R. Lee Huffman; Jollytown, Greene County, Albert E. Clovis; Paisley, Greene County, Mrs. M. M. Areford, Prescottville, Jefferson County, Mrs. Agnes Handyside.

Sagasta's New Cabinet.

Madrid, Oct. 5.—Senor Sagasta has succeded in his undertaking of forming a new Cabinet.

Although the new Cabinet embraces respectable talent, it is less strong than it was expected it would be.

It is currently reported that the animosities and jealousies which are so conspicuous in Spanish politics thwarted Senor Sagasta's efforts, and that he was compelled to omit statesmen from his Cabinet who declined to share office with others whom the premier was pledged to appoint. All, however, are trusted friends of Senor Sagasta.

MUSIC HALL.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY EVENING, OCT. 8th and 9th. MATINEES FRIDAY and SATURDAY.

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During this month we're going to sell good Pianos at the previously unheard of price of $170 cash, or $190 on easy monthly payments.

We bought nearly a hundred from different makers during the summer. These are good pianos that we guarantee for five years.

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American Cotton Wire Cloth for stiffening	10c yd
Linen Canvas for facing	12c, 16c, 18c, 20c yd
Linen Collar Canvas, white, black, tan	19c yd
Fine Crinoline, white, black, slate	5c, 10c yd
Paper Muslin, yard wide, all colors	7c yd
Genuine Hair Cloth, black or gray	25c yd
Taffetta Skirt Lining, yard wide	10c, 15c yd
French Cambric Waist Lining	10c, 12c, 15c, 18c, 25c yd
Double Faced Waist Lining	13c, 15c, 18c, 25c yd
Double Skirt Belting, shaped ready for use	10c yd
Special lot Rustle Skirt Lining	7c yd
Patent Hump Hooks and Eyes, white or black	3c card
Best 100 yard Spool Silk, black and colors,	7c spool
Pure Rubber Lined Dress Shields	10c pair
Dress Stays, Japanned or silvered	5c doz
200 yard Machine Cotton, white or black	2c spool
Handsome new patterns of Fall Flanneletts	10c yd
Extra good quality of new Outing Flannel	7c yd
The best unlaundered Shirt in the State	50c each
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All Linen Dish Toweling	5c, 7c, 8c, 9c, 10c, 12c, 15c yd

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Mrs. John Huff is entertaining her father from Oyster Bay, L. I.

Postmaster C. A. Corriell spent yesterday with friends in Newark.

Mrs. Purcer, of Brooklyn, is visiting her sister, Mrs. F. A. Nelson.

Mrs. S. S. Prentise is visiting friends at Greenwich, Conn., for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. George V. T. Schenck returned last evening from their wedding trip.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Sampson and daughter visited friends in Elizabeth on Sunday.

Nothing of importance was transacted at the regular meeting of the Council last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Swackhamer have returned from a visit with relatives in Somerville.

Mrs. Kenney and Miss Ella Boice rode their wheels to New Brunswick yesterday and spent the day with friends.

The regular monthly meeting of the Epworth League will be held this evening at the home of Mrs. Kenney. Sociability will be a feature.

Samuel Merrill has just purchased a new three-horse truck to carry on his increasing business. It was made by William Plim, of Flemington.

Yesterday afternoon while J. B. Conover was driving one of W. H. Cole's horses on the scales in front of the coal office, two or three wooden planks gave way and allowed the hind legs of the animal to fall through. For a few minutes it was thought that the legs would be broken, but quick assistance on the part of neighbors saved the horse. A new plank floor will now be put down to take the place of the old one.

SCOTCH PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

John O'Neill, of Brooklyn, is visiting friends in this place.

Mrs. George Clark and Miss Emma Clark are spending the day in New York.

Miss Sadie Walpole spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Demarest, of Plainfield.

Twilight Council No. 7, Jr. O. U. A. M., will attend in a body the annual meeting of Franklin Council, No. 41, of Plainfield. A number of members will take their wives and lady friends to enjoy the occasion.

The Fanwood Township Committee held a meeting last evening to award damages for injuries inflicted upon domestic animals by dogs remaining at large. As no claims were presented, the Committee transacted some routine business and adjourned.

James Somers and Edward Palmer, of Brooklyn, were the guests on Sunday of Mrs. W. H. Turton. On their return they were accompanied safely to East Orange by Mr. Turton and Fred Hoagland, and were there shown the nearest route by rail to New York.

Hook and Ladder Company No. 1, of Scotch Plains, has awarded the contract for painting the truck house to Charles Messler, and for constructing the new roof, to Alexander MacCauley. When this work is completed, and the truck house is decked in its new light colors, it will add much to the appearance of the town.

THEATRICAL.

If you want to enjoy a good laugh, one that will act on you like a tonic and drive your cares away, just pay a visit to Music Hall Thursday, and see a production of the greatest of laughing successes, "Side Tracked." If all reports we hear of it are true the piece is better than ever this season.

The "Corbett Fitzsimmons" pictures of the fight at Carson City, March 17, 1897, illustrated by the "Veriscope," at Music Hall, Friday and Saturday, matinee and night.

Mothers Praise Hood's Sarsaparilla, because, by its great blood enriching qualities, it gives rosy cheeks and vigorous appetites to pale and puny children.

Hood's Pills are the favorite family cathartic and liver medicine. Price 25c.

WESTFIELD

FOR FRESH AIR CAUSE.

FINE ARRAY OF ARTISTS AT CHILDREN'S HOME ENTERTAINMENT.

Westfield Township Committee Met and Awarded Claim of John V. Pickell —Dog Tax Fixed—Junior Football.

A large audience gathered in the Westfield Club house auditorium last night when the annual entertainment for the benefit of the Children's Country Home was given. The orchestra, under the direction of Samuel Burhans, gave the overture and Alfred E. Pearsall sang "Jerusalem," a song which he has made familar to the music-loving people of Westfield. He was accompanied by Miss Marie Budworth; Miss Helen Gomes next made a hit in her recitation "The Swing"; James S Burdette, the humorist, gave a side-splitting selection entitled "The Ape," and was encored; a soprano solo, "Ava Maria," sung by Miss Annie M. Weed, received generous applause. One of the hits of the evening was a reading by Fred Emerson Brooks of one of his own pieces entitled "Pickett's Charge." The applause which greeted the Californian poet-reciter was deafening. He recited a short humorous piece as an encore. "The Sneezing Song," by Miss Budworth, was well received; it was followed by "The Lost Chord" sung by the chorus of twenty voices, with orchestral accompaniment. The second half of the programme was of an informal nature including selections of a light character from all the artists. George W. Day, the story teller was also introduced and made a hit with his humorous songs and stories.

The Westfield Township Committee met last night and awarded John V. Pickell $35 damages for a cow belonging to him which died from rabies resulting from the bite of an unknown dog. The dog tax for the current year was fixed at twenty-five cents a head. Bids were opened for the work of cleaning and straightening the Westfield brook from First street to the township line, and the contract was awarded to Felix Sterpone, for $72. A communication was received from J. C. Henry, giving suggestions for the widening and straightening of the Westfield brook so as to prevent a repetition of the disastrous floods of this summer. Applications to pay sewer assessments in three annual instalments were received from A. E. B. Bogert and Mary A. Marsh, and the Committee adjourned until Friday night when it wil give a public hearing in the Westfield Club Hall on the question of granting a franchise to the Elizabeth and Plainfield Railway company.

Rev. George A. Francis, J. Warren Brown and Charles E. Smith will attend the meeting of the Baptist examining council for the ordination of ministers, which will meet in Mt. Zion Baptist church, Newark, tomorrow afternoon.

Miss Blanche Buchanan, of Philadelphia, has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. A. Smith, of Elm street.

The case of A. M. Griffen against A. L. Jimmerson will be tried in Justice Collins' court tomorrow.

Fred Pierson, of Plainfield, spent yesterday visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Pierson, of Elm street.

Lloyd S. Thompson, of Clark street, will shortly enter the New York Law School.

PRIMARY TEACHERS' UNION.

Annual Meeting Held and Arrangements Made for Annual Institute.

The annual meeting of the Primary Teachers' Union was held yesterday afternoon in the Y. M. C. A. rooms. The devotional exercises were conducted by Mrs. Morse, of Westfield, and Mrs. Baker, also of Westfield, taught the lesson. The report of the secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Smalley, was read, and showed increased interest. The collections were reported to be much better.

It was decided to hold the annual institute in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue church on Monday, October 25th, and among those who will take part in the exercises are Miss Cushman, the celebrated kindergarten teacher of Newark; Rev. Mr. Ferguson, State secretary of the Union; Dr. Breaker, of Scotch Plains; Dr. Main, of this city; Mrs. T. H. Skillman and Mrs. J. N. Harris, of New Brunswick.

The election of officers for the ensuing term resulted as follows: President, Miss Nettie Beeching; first vice-president, Mrs. Powlison; second vice-president, Mrs. Baker; third vice-president, Mrs. Mosher; secretary, Mrs. Smalley; librarian, Miss Lambert.

Pushing the Church Alterations.

Trinity Reformed church will be lowered onto the foundation tomorrow and Contractor Wilson, the carpenter, will put a gang of men on the interior and the new front with a view of pushing it to completion as quickly as possible.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

A Liniment to Rely On.

No matter how careful you are, you can hardly hope to escape bruises, strains and bodily aches. If you elude them, some other member of the family will not, and so a liniment is needed in every home. There are three reasons why

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NOT A KNIGHT OF CHIVALRY ANYWAY.

Young Man Got Angry and Set Out to Pummel His Sister.

Mont Knight, an employe at the Pond Machine Tool Company's Works, was arraigned before Justice of Peace Mosher last evening to answer to a charge of assault and battery preferred by his sister, Mrs. George H. Rockafellow, of Manson place.

On Saturday afternoon Mrs. Rockafellow went to visit her parents who live on New street, and was asked to remain and take supper. Young Knight who lives at home returned shortly after 6 o'clock and all sat down to the table. During the meal some family matter was brought up and a wrangle ensued over it. Mrs. Rockafellow would not give up her views upon the matter, and finally young Knight, she alleges, got up in a rage and struck her a blow which felled her to the floor. He then roughly ejected her from the house.

Mrs. Rockafellow fainted several times from the effects of the assault, and was barely able to get to the house of a neighbor, where she was cared for.

After hearing the evidence Justice Mosher held Knight in $100 bail to appear before the Grand Jury. The young man's father furnished the bond and he was released.

Transfers and Contracts.

The following property transfers were recorded at County Clerk Howard's office, September 25th to October 1st, inclusive, as reported, in The New Jersey Contractor and Gazette:

Kneeland P. Ketcham, Freeport, N. Y., to Beulah P. Hatch, lot Eighth street, near Arlington avenue, $1. O. Leland et ux, to Abigail M Briant and Mary C. Harris, Plainfield, lot Fifth and Division streets, $1. Abigail M. Briant to O. Leland, lot westerly side Kensington avenue, 625 feet north Putnam avenue, $1. Neil D. Scott et ux, to Rising Sun Brewing Co., tract 106 feet from Spooner property, Plainfield, $2,000. Regina Hand et ux, to Chas. H. Hand, Plainfield, lot Third street, Plainfield, $1.

The following contracts were also recorded:

George H. Burgess with F. O. Smith, Plainfield, painter, house, Central avenue, Plainfield, $425. Same with C. William Krouse, heating, $2,152.11. Trinity Reformed church, Dutch, with Coriell & TenEyke, Plainfield, painting, $190.

A New Deputy for New Jersey.

Freemasons who are members of the Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite will be interested to learn that at the recent meeting of the Supreme Council, thirty-third degree of that rite, in Boston, Mass., Brother Robert A. Shirrefs, thirty-third degree, of Elizabeth, Commander-in-Chief of New Jersey Consistory, S. P. R. S., at Jersey City, was elected Deputy for the State of New Jersey, to succeed Illustrious Brother Andrew B. Frazee, thirty-third degree, of Camden, who declined a re-election. The exalted position he now occupies—one to which only that of Grand Master Masons is to be compared—was due to his eminent fitness for it, a recognition of the work he has done in building up the rite in New Jersey.

Just Escaped a Collision.

Mrs. DeLong, of Sandford avenue, narrowly escaped being run down this morning while riding her wheel. A man in a wagon driving a spirited horse at full speed turned from Front street into Sandford avenue and was about to run over Mrs. DeLong when, by her quick action she jumped out of the way just in time to save herself from severe injury.

Inspecting Properties.

The Martin Act Commissioners held a short meeting yesterday afternoon. They were driven over the city to see some of the properties that they have been considering at the meetings of the commissioners. The commissioners then adjourned until Thursday evening.

—Martha Washington Council, No 23, D. of A., meets this evening. All the members are earnestly requested to be present as business of importance is to be transacted.

RANDOLPH'S --DRUG STORE.--

A Pharmacy conducted in the interest of the People's Health. Nature's Wonderful gifts to alleviate the ills of life. Pharmacists having years of experience compound your needs. We solicit your continued confidence.

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—John H. Kitchen, of Somerset street, has staked out ground for two new houses on Third street.

—A shipment of 100 bushels of fine Early Rose potatoes of extra fine cooking quality just received at Neuman Bros., the Watchung avenue grocers.

NOTICE to Carpenters.

Bids are solicited for material and building a new school house at Washingtonville on present school lot.

Plans and specifications to be found at H. N. Spencer's store, Somerset street, North Plainfield. The Board of Education reserve the right to reject any and all bids, all bids to be sealed and presented to the Board on Friday, October 8, 1897, at Spencer's Hall, all bids will be opened and read at the same place, on Friday, October 8, 1897, at 8:30 o'clock p. m. Also bids for painting the same are solicited.

W. H. MORRIS, District Clerk,
Township of North Plainfield.
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Advertised Letters.

Plainfield, N. J., Oct. 4, '97.

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Bernard C "	Stamad Sarah Miss
Crossely Theo Mrs	Skense Mary "
Cundy J S "	Sullivan Nellie "
Eye E F Miss	Smith Lottie "
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DIED.

WEAVER—In this city, on Monday, October 4, 1897, Sarah L. F., widow of Hamilton Weaver, and daughter of the late Edw. F. Randolph. Funeral services at her late residence 321 West Second street, on Wednesday, October 6, at 2 p. m. Friends and relatives are invited. 10 4 2

MULFORD—MOORES—In this city, on Monday, October 4, 1897, Israella Moores, wife of Armstrong Mulford. Funeral service at her late residence, 425 East Fifth street, on Wednesday, October 6, 1897, at 3:45 p. m.

SHILLINGER—In this city, on Monday, October 4 1897, Mary, infant daughter of Herbert and Mary Shillinger, aged 2 years, 4 months and 20 days. Funeral private, on Tuesday, October 5, at 2 p. m.

MARTINE—A. Kate Martine, at her home, "Cedar Brook," Tuesday, October 5, 1897. Notice of funeral hereafter.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

FIRST-CLASS help and first class places at the Swedish intelligence office, 23 Somerset place. s 23 tf

SEPARATE storage rooms with plastered walls; also offices and single rooms in Stillman block. 9 27 12

RELIABLE boy wanted on farm, good reference required. Inquire at 152 Park avenue. 10 4 2

BABCOCK BLOCK — Offices, flats and large room for lodge or meetings. Elevator to all floors. 9 1 eod tf

FOR SALE—Lots corner Sixth and New streets. Enquire 520 Central avenue. 10 5 2

BOYS, LOOK!—Well-broken large goat, harness and cart for sale cheap, or exchange for laying hens. Lock box 750. 10 5 2

TO LET—Cheap. New six-room house, just completed, on Johnston avenue, near Scott's Works. Apply Intelligence Office, 407 Watchung avenue. 10 5 6

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A Bargain

BULLETIN. Items from different parts of the store. While the lots last we sell at the prices advertised.

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Fine Comfortables, white cotton filled.....98c
Chenille door mats.....49c
Cocoa mats.....39c each
Gloria Silk Umbrellas.....69c each
Turkish Towels.....7c each
All-linen Crash.....6c yard
Ladies' ribbed Pants and Vests.....25c each

Kid Gloves.

Our kid glove stock fully merits all the complimentary things said about it, although the increased tariff makes a difference of twenty-five per cent advance on kid gloves, we still sell our celebrated P. L. gloves for $1.00. We guarantee every pair—all colors, both button, clasp and hook.

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Just items and prices, they talk stronger than columns of chat. Worthy silks at these prices are not found everywhere.

36-in Lining Silk, all colors.....37c yard
Beautiful Waist Silk, all colors.....69c yard

Black Dress Goods.

We have put on sale our new Fall black goods, and a most satisfactory lot of merchandise it is.

54-in Ladies' cloth.....49c yd
50-in Granite cloth.....49c yd
50 in Boucle cloth.....69c yd
50-in extra fine Diagonal.....69c yd
40 in black Henrietta.....37c yd

Children's Underwear

PANTS AND VESTS.

A most fortunate purchase early in the season helps us to sell underwear of fine quality at very small prices. Natural wool vests and pants.

Size	16	18	20	22	24	26	28	30	32	34
Price	10	12	15	18	22	24	27	30	32	32cents

Best hot water bags.....49 cents
Fine toilet soaps.....15c dozen
Best prints.....5c yard
Heavy Canton Flannel.....6c yard
Heavy Dormet Flannel.....5c yard
Ladies' and Misses' Bicycle Hose.....35c pair

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Trousers to order, $5, $6 and $7.

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Hardwood Flooring, kiln dried and first-class. Tie-Posts. Line-Posts and Line-Props. Turning and Scroll-sawing.

FOR SALE—Grandfather's clock, perfect time-keeper, in perfect order; mahogany case. Moraller's, 207 Park avenue. 10 4 6

WANTED—A position as companion to a lady; salary no object. Addres A. B. C., care Press. 10 4 2

TWO fine lofts to let. Inquire P. M. French. 10 2 3

DESIRABLE house, low rental, improved. 235 East Sixth street. Call, 231. 9 10 tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework; sleep at home. Apply 612 Division street. 9 29 tf

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TO LET — 12 room house, No. 1031 Arlington avenue, improvements, rare opportunity. Chas. L. Moffett, corner Park and North avenues. 8 26 eod tf

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GEN. REEDER TO BE TRIED.

The Writs of Habeas Corpus Dismissed in the Wanamaker Case.

Easton, Pa., Oct. 5.—The cases of Gen. Frank Reeder, until recently Secretary of the Commonwealth; Assemblyman Weiss and M. C. Luckenbach, who are charged with conspiracy to defame the good name of John Wanamaker, of Philadelphia, by scheming to have a bribe offered to Weiss for a vote for Wanamaker for United States Senator, came before Judge Scott yesterday. It is alleged that a bribe was offered to Weiss last month, and an action in the matter is now pending against E. A. Van Valkenburg, one of Wanamaker's lieutenants. The District Attorney moved that the writs of habeas corpus be dismissed on the ground that the surrender of bail had been voluntary on the part of the defendants.

The counsel for the defence objected. W. C. Shipman, private counsel for the prosecution, said that his side was ready to proceed with the case. The court said that the motion was in conformity with the practice of the court, and unless the defendants could show good cause the motion of the District Attorney would be allowed.

ACCUSED OF BUYING DELEGATES.

State Senator Miller, of Pennsylvania, and His Friend Arrested.

Reading, Pa., Oct. 5.—Democratic State Senator W. Oscar Miller has been arrested, charged with assisting in buying up a bunch of delegates at the last Democratic county convention. The sworn allegations made before Alderman Brownwell is that Senator Miller, who was taking a hand in fixing up a slate for the county offices, bargained for a lot of votes in the convention to nominate a candidate for Recorder of Deeds. The alleged stipulation was $1,000 spot cash, or a clerkship in the Recorder's office. The delegates are said to have delivered, and Senator Miller's friend, Daniel W. Reeser, nominated. The alleged bargain was not carried out on the Senator's part, and hence the suit on the part of the person who says he delivered the men. A similar suit was begun against Reeser.

Senator Miller says the charge is absolutely untrue, and that it is simply an attempt at blackmail or intimidation. Each accused man gave bail of $1,000.

CORNELL FRESHMAN MISSING.

Mysterious Disappearance from Ithaca of a Brooklyn Boy.

Ithaca, Oct. 5.—Frank Powers Parkinson, of Seventy-eighth street, Bay Ridge, Brooklyn, a graduate of the Boys' High School and a freshman in Cornell University, on Sunday morning mysteriously disappeared from his temporary residence in Ithaca, 192 East State street, without giving his friends any knowledge whatever as to his intentions. He ate breakfast as usual at his boarding-house, 23 Heustis street, returned to his room, and his roommate, A. L. Wessels, being absent, packed his valise and departed, to go no one knows where. On Sunday night his immediate friends in Ithaca, S. H. Benton, W. E. Phelps, A. L. Wessels and R. L. Haskell, made a search for him, but without success. A telegram has been sent to his home in Brooklyn in order that his parents might be informed of the facts and a more careful search made. At the time of his disappearance he wore a light gray suit of clothes, a light brown overcoat, a dark brown Derby, eye-glasses and brown shoes.

IN THE BASE BALL FIELD.

Boston Wins the First Game in the Temple Cup Series.

Boston, Oct. 5.—The old champions went down in defeat before the new ones yesterday in the first game of the Temple Cup series. The game was loosely played, a curious medley of hits and errors, with an occasional brilliant bit of fielding by way of spice. Neither team played in anything like championship form.

The real feature was the crowd, which overran the field, and made necessary a ground rule that a ball hit into the crowd should be good for two bases only.

Nichols and Nops were pitted against each other, and, so far as base hits went, Nops had the better of the argument. Nops, however, was wild as a hawk, and of the seven Bostons he sent to first on balls no less than five scored. This was the deciding factor in Boston's victory, for not an Oriole got to first without hitting the ball. The score was as follows:

Boston	3	0	0	1	2	5	0	2	x	13
Baltimore	4	0	1	0	9	3	2	0	0	12

MRS. BALDWIN LOSES $25,000.

She Was the Bride Who Was Paid $45,000 by the New York Central.

Troy, Oct. 5.—Mrs. Homer Baldwin, formerly of Troy but now of Brooklyn, alleges that she has been defrauded of nearly $25,000 by a supposed friend, who led her to invest the money in Jefferson iron stock, which proved worthless. Mrs. Baldwin, while on her bridal tour a few years ago, was badly injured in a railroad wreck, and was otherwise frightfully disfigured. She recovered $45,000 from the New York Central Railroad Company, and she advanced the money to the supposed friend with the belief that she would have a fixed income. Mrs. Baldwin intends to bring action against her false friend, who is said to be one of the best-known business men in Eastern Pennsylvania.

Explosion of Acetylene Gas.

Rochester, Oct. 5.—While experimenting with acetylene gas in his machine shop in this city yesterday Valentine Long, his brother Frank Long and Jacob Fassett, an employe, were injured by an explosion of the tank used in making the experiment. Valentine Long's skull is fractured over his right eye, he lost the sight of both his eyes and it is said at the City Hospital that he will probably die. The other two men are not seriously injured.

The Vesuvius to Chase Filibusters.

Washington, Oct. 5.—Orders were issued by Secretary Long yesterday assigning the dynamite cruiser Vesuvius, now at Boston, to duty with the [illegible] bustering patrol off the Florida [illegible] She will relieve the gunboat Nash[illegible] which will come north for her [illegible] trip. The Vesuvius is a swift [illegible] and otherwise suited for chasing [illegible] busters. She has been out of commission since Spring.

A Promenade Costume.

This skirt and jacket are of green and white check woolen etmine. The trimming is of white moire antique and green woolen braid sewn on with white, having a distinguished appearance. Jacket is slashed front and back lined with green sarcenet or moirette, and added revers faced with

tailor's canvas and moire set on after neck-opening has been trimmed with braid, and stripe of etamine.

A Natty Matinee.

Looking through an elaborate trousseau I came upon a matinee which might be copied by natty fingers at quite a third of the price paid for it. It was made only of muslin, with lines of handsome insertion in the neighborhood of the neck. The fabric, though thin, was so entirely covered with a pattern in pansies that its

transparency is scarcely obvious, and therefore only lining in the region of the bodice was necessary. The same design was carried out for year in the autumn in striped mohair, with an underground of cherry pink. A floating silk flounce of the same color bobbed about in the region of the Japanese slippers, which were of rose-colored leather embroidered with gold.

The King of Siam's Armed Yacht.

Of the many things connected with the King of Siam in his tour of Europe, nothing has attracted so much attention as the royal yacht.

The King calls it his yacht but naval men who have inspected the vessel say that it would be no mean addition to any navy in the world. It has a ram shaped bow, and rapid fire guns of different calibre are as plentiful on board of her as in a first class battle ship. Moreover, there are fighting tops in her two masts and in an encounter with a vessel of her tonnage the royal yacht would doubtless make a good showing.

One of the features of this vesse. is the library which is abundantly stored with the writings of the best English and French authors. When at sea the King spends most of his time reading and that he has a wonderfully retentive mind is shown by his knowledge in a mulitiplicity of subjects ranging all the way from the best breed of bulldogs to the latest achievements in the electrical world.

"I have just had a note from Willie's teacher," said Mrs. Parvenu, "and she says that he is very deficient in spelling."

"What in thunder is he studying spelling for?" thundered Mr. Parvenu, angrily. "Does his teacher mean to insinuate that he won't be rich enough to hire a typewriter?"—Chicago Post.

Doesn't your wife's mother live with you?"

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A Good Riddance.

Night-Watchman A. B. Henry, at The Standard Flint Paper Co., of Newark, N. J., Ejects an Undesirable Tenant.

There is a great deal of truth in the tales told about evictions in Ireland and in the North of Scotland during the early and middle part of the century. It is a hardship for any family to be summarily dumped on a roadside, without friends or wealth, half famished and half clad, but such ejections or evictions are not by any means confined to the British Isles. Scarcely a day passes in free America without similar cases being recorded, and often in place of extending gratuitous sympathy across the Atlantic we could find abundant opportunities to lavish it at home. Night watchman A. B. Henry, of 43 William street, Newark, N.J., became involved in an eviction a short time ago. Some time the reader may be forced to adapt the same measures. Knowing how Mr. Henry proceeded will save a heap of trouble and many a dollar. He says: "It may or it may not have been kidney disease that I had, but I know the pain was located in the left kidney and was very troublesome and annoying, to say nothing of the suffering it at times caused me. I learned about Doan's Kidney Pills and procured them from a drug store. I had to be very careful in stooping or lifting in order to avoid the sharp pains which were sure to follow if I made any careless movement, and any strain on the back caused a sharp twinge to pass through my loins. I used Doan's Kidney Pills and was completely cured, and am now entirely free from it. My back is as strong as ever, and during the long hours I am on my feet it does not bother me or get tired and painful as it did formerly."

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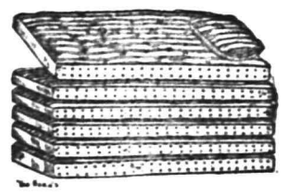

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Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 8 00, 7 58, 8 00, 8 30, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 9 15, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday, 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 10, 11 16 a. m.; 12 26, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 22 p. m.

Leave New York, foot Liberty street, at 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00 a. m; 12 00 m., (12 45 and 1 00 Saturdays only) 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, (5 15 except Saturdays) 5 30, 5 45, (6 00 except Saturdays) 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45 p. m.; 12 15, 1 00 night. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00, 9 00, 9 15 a. m.; 12 m.; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00 p. m.; 12 15 night; 1 00 a. m.

Leave New York from Whitehall street at 7 00, 7 55, 8 25, 8 55, 9 55, 11 55 a. m., (12 45 Saturdays only) 1 00, 1 25, 2 25, 3 25, 3 55, 4 25, 4 55, 5 25 (5 55 except Saturdays) 6 25, 6 55, 7 50, 8 25, 9 10, 9 55, 11 30 p. m., 12 10 night. Sundays—At 7 00, 8 55 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 2 30, 3 55, 5 25, 6 55, 7 25, 8 25, 9 50 p. m., 12 10 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 50, 8 00, 8 53, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 01, 52, 10 08, 11 16 a. m.; 12 26, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 18, 7 55, 8 38, 9 03, 10 05 a. m.; 12 10, 1 15, 1 35, 2 35, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 38, 5 42, 6 19, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 05 p. m. Sunday, 7 15, 9 05, 9 30, 10 35 a. m.; 1 10, 1 35, 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 20, 10 20 p. m.

Passengers for Newark please change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a.m (1 40, Saturdays only) 2 11, 2 32, 3 35, 4 36 5 03, 5 15, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 16, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p. m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 06, 9 05, a. m; 2 03, 3 39, 6 35, 8 30, 10 15, 11 14 p. m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35 8 05, 9 19, 9 02, 9 48, 11 45, a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05 3 25, 4 25, 5 28, 6 08, 6 40, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05 p. m Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a. m; 12 05, 1 20, 5 15, 6 25, 7 53, 8 05, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a. m., 1 01, 2 11, 4 55, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 9 03 a. m; 2 03 6 35 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a. m; 12 32, 4 04, 7 00, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 52 a. m; 6 30 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 9 54 a. m; 5 03, 5 15 p. m

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

9 10 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, & c with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

1 01 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for station on D., L. & W. R. R.

3 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, MauchChunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

4 55 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Scranton, Wilkesbarre, Tamaqua, Shamokin, (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

5 05 and 5 15 p. m., way or Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

9 03 a. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 09 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 35 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, etc., and at Junction for D., L. & W. R. R.

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For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 37, 8 13, 9 28, 10 27 a. m.; 1 15, 3 51, 5 22, 5 54, 7 03 p. m. Sundays, 8 52 a. m.; 3 20 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10 27 a. m.; 1 15. 3 51, 5 22 p. m.

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For Trenton, 5 17, 8 44, 9 46 a. m.; 1 01, 2 17, 4 20, 5 34*, 6 36* 8 21, 9 37* p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a. m.; 2 25, 4 55, 5 09, 6 35* p. m.; 1 17 night.

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SPAIN'S LATEST PLAN

To Grant the Island the Reforms Proposed by Campos.

CUBA MUST PAY THE DEBT

If the United States Is Not Satisfied with the Terms, Then Spain Is Prepared to Fight—A Striking Interview.

London, Eng., Oct. 5.—A special dispatch from Madrid gives the substance of an interview between a newspaper correspondent and an unnamed member of the new Spanish Cabinet, in which the latter is quoted as saying Premier Sagasta will carry out the Cuban reforms proposed by Marshal Martinez de Campos ten years ago, including granting autonomy to Cuba on condition Cuba takes over the Cuban debt, including the war debt, and accepts Spain's customs tariff.

The new Cabinet Minister is said to have remarked that Premier Sagasta will not consent to a customs union between the United States and Cuba, and he is said to have added that if the former is not satisfied Spain is prepared to fight, as the Spanish Navy is regarded as equal in strength with the navy of the United States. Further, if necessary, Spain, according to the Cabinet Minister interviewed, will have recourse to privateering.

In conclusion, the new Minister is alleged to have said it is improbable Spain will consent to recognize the insurgent debt; but Premier Sagasta will not prevent the new Cuban Government from dealing with it.

TRAIN LOAD OF GOLD.

Output of Colorado Mines to Be Sent East in One Consignment.

Colorado Springs, Col., Oct. 5.—A novel scheme for handling the gold output of the Cripple Creek mines will be put into use by the operators in that district.

The plan is to set aside the output for one month, take the bullion therefrom and ship it to the United States Mint at Philadelphia in one single consignment.

A special train will be secured for the purpose of transporting it, the bullion will be placed in the charge of some express companies which can guarantee its safety, and all necessary precautions taken to prevent accident or theft while the consignment is in transit.

As the present output of Cripple Creek is over a million dollars per month, there will be one of the largest shipments of gold bullion that has ever crossed the continent.

JAPAN'S FIERCE STORMS.

Scores Killed and Thousands of Houses Destroyed.

Tacoma, Wash., Oct. 5.—The steamer Victoria brings news of a severe storm that prevailed over Japan last month and which was almost a typhoon.

The principal damage was at Tokio, where 376 houses were totally demolished, 7,726 partly damaged and 14,043 houses submerged. In Shiydoka there were 1,060 houses demolished and 4,000 rendered worthless. In this district thirty-seven persons were killed.

In the Saituma prefecture an embankment broke and fifteen villages were flooded. Yejer is practically in ruins. In Koiishikawa 1,500 houses were submerged, and in Ushigome 156 collapsed.

Hardly a house in the concession escaped damage; the Presbyterian Mission and the Baptist schools suffered the worst. At Toyama 1,500 houses were flooded.

SAY GEORGE WILL WIN.

British Opinion Is that Native American Vote Doesn't Count.

London, Oct. 5.—The newspapers here generally pay much attention to the New York political campaign, publishing long articles, dispatches and editorials on the subject.

The Globe says:

"Judging from the Times' dispatch Henry George will be the next Mayor. The Americans do not exceed a quarter of the whole population, and the European Anarchists, Socialists, Italians, Poles, Hungarians and Russians, all the very lowest of their race, will support the man whose childish economics and wild theories are derided in every capital of Europe. These being the people who sway public opinion, it is the height of absurdity to rave about blood being thicker than water."

The Pall Mall Gazette's article, written by an American, concludes with stating that Tammany will win.

Four Fishermen Drowned.

Long Branch, N. J., Oct. 5.—Four fishermen were drowned here yesterday morning, and three others in the capsized boat narrowly escaped.

The high surf threw the bow of the boat in the air and then twisted it over. The boat was only a hundred yards from the shore.

Fifty persons on the beach, stricken into stone, beheld the tragedy, saw them buffeted hither and thither by the great waves, saw them disappear, reappear on the crest of a billow and then suddenly slip out of sight for good and all.

The men were employes of Hennessy Bros., pound fishermen at North Long Branch.

The bodies of the drowned men have not been recovered, and there is a possibility that they never will be, for a very high sea is running.

Yellow Fever Spreading.

New Orleans, Oct. 5.—It is generally admitted in New Orleans that the yellow fever is spreading, and that the disease will have a very depressing effect on commerce. Dr. Joseph Holt, formerly president of the Board of Health, says the scourge will mean a loss of $25,000,000 to the city.

Britain to Aid Spain.

London, Oct. 5.—It is reported that the British Ambassador to Spain has been instructed to offer the good offices of Great Britain with the United States in the event of a stable government being formed at Madrid. Long dispatches have been passing between London and Madrid.

DETERMINE SENTIMENT.

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the stretching of additional wires.

Mr. Runyon made a report concerning the compilation of the city ordinances, and it is now being considered whether certain ordinances should be published. Later it was ordered that the Law and Ordinance Committee be authorized to ask for bids for the printing of the ordinances, and that there be at least four bids. Regarding the redistricting of the wards of the city, Mr. Runyon asked that the Laws and Ordinance Committee be instructed to take proper steps to have an ordinance drafted so that it will conform to the present condition of affairs. It will be introduced at the November meeting.

Mr. Serrell offered a resolution that due notice be given property owners to settle their sewer assessments by November 1st, and if the same is not paid by that time the collector be authorized to give the proper thirty days' notice. If the assessment is not paid within the thirty days a list of all delinquents will be published and the collector will at once proceed according to law to sell the property for the several amounts.

In accordance with a resolution offered by Mr. Barrows all those who petitioned for crosswalks had their petition granted by the Council. Another resolution was offered by Mr. Barrows that the property owners of Westervelt avenue be given due notice that the Council intends to use their land in the widening of the avenue, that is the necessary portion of it, and that November 1st be set as the time when the property owners can meet the Council to offer any objections to the action proposed. Still another resolution by Mr. Barrows provided for the securing of the necessary specifications and plans to place sewers in Stelle avenue, Plainfield avenue, Somerset street, Hillside avenue, Berkeley street and Orange place. Mr. Barrows stated that residents in most of the above named streets had petitioned for sewers and they were needed badly.

Mr. Barrows called up the ordinance relative to the placing of telephone wires under ground, and the ordinance was adopted on its second reading, ordered engrossed and advertised. Manager Charles W. Runyon, of the local telephone office, was present and told the members of the Council how the company proposed to do the work. He said that the wires would be placed in a cement bottom, brick side and iron top conduit, with man-holes at convenient distances. In Jersey City and Newark the system is working satisfactorily, said Mr. Runyon It is the intention to place the telephone, fire-alarm and police wires in the one conduit.

The ordinance which provides for the grading of Central avenue, from Randolph road to Elizabeth street, was adopted on a third reading, and another ordinance providing for the location of railroad tracks near Berckman street for the use of the Cornwell Press Works, was adopted on first and second readings.

Mr. Barrows presented a communication which he asked be sent to Mrs. Malli, president of the Town Improvement Association. The letter states that the Council has no objections to the association making improvements about the city park, although it has no knowledge as to what the improvements are to consist of. Mr. Newman raised a point of inquiry as to whether the park would always remain as such and whether the Council would be expected to expend any money on the park. Mr. Barrows replied in the negative, and informed him that he had been given to understand that so long as the city park was an open thoroughfare it could not be used for any other purpose than a park, although there are a number of persons who claim ownership in the tract of land. This finished the business of the evening and the Council adjourned.

Miss Mabelle Darling, of Prospect avenue, is entertaining company from Westfield.

Mrs. W. L. Smalley, Jr., of Somerset street, has returned from a visit with relatives in Brooklyn.

Councilman Stebbins, of Grant avenue and Eighth street, returned today from Pittsfield, Mass., where he has been enjoying a much needed rest.

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—The first and second year classes in mathematics at the Y. M. C. A. will hold their first meeting of the season this evening. The instructors are George F. Scull and Dr. A. D. Warde.

—The Ladies' Christian Work Society of Trinity Reformed church met yesterday afternoon in regular session at the home of Mrs. G. Q Dolliver, of Manning avenue. Nothing but routine business was considered, but the social part of the meeting was a feature.

Peter B. Matthews of Grove street, still stands ahead in the mileage contest in the New York Athletic Club. He has now ridden 5,825 miles.

SPORTS

Sun Rises: 5: 1 a. m.
Sun Sets: 5 36 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be lighted at 6:36 p. m.

VARIOUS SPORTS.

A four year-old colt, sired by Athol, and sold from F. P. Olcott's Round-Top stock farm, Bernardsville, to Mr. Harriman, of Orange county, New York, recently won a race in three straight in 2:25 and better. Mr. Olcott has a sale of thoroughbreds at his stock farm on the 16th of the present month.

A meeting of the executive committee of the New Jersey Interscholastic Athletic Association was held at Pingry's School, Elizabeth, Friday afternoon. George Proctor Smith was present from the Plainfield High School. The applications of the New Jersey Military Academy, of Plainfield, and the Princeton Preparatory School were received and those schools were elected to membership. There are now nine schools in the association. A special meeting will be held in November to arrange a hockey schedule. A banner will be offered this year for the football championship. Plainfield will not be in the latter this year.

CYCLING COMMENT.

Last year Plainfield set an example for other places in this part of New Jersey by holding a bicycle carnival. Last month New Brunswick fell in line, as did Asbury Park. Now Somerville winds up the list and announces a bicycle carnival for some night the latter part of this month. It will be held in the evening and only those wheels which have at least four lanterns attached will be allowed in line.

The latest idea of Sig. Marconi, the young Italian inventor, of a system of wireless telegraphy, is to place all the watches in a city in accord with a central electric chronometer, and then to keep the time of all uniform by sending out electric waves. This can be done, it is said, as far as eight miles in every direction from the regulator.

If Czar Nicholas should decree universal compulsory education in Russia, as is foreshadowed, he will inaugurate a much greater revolution in the life of that country than did his grandfather when he emancipated the serfs. The effect will not be felt, probably, in his day, for it will take at least a generation to develop it, but in the not distant future the result will be a constitutional government, if not the free and independent republic of Russia.

Electricity now supplies the power for ringing the chimes in Grace church New York, and the curfew hymn is played by an automatic arrangement breaking the current to huge magnets connected with ten bells, the largest weighing 3,000 pounds. Music produced by mechanical means is becoming more popular in this country, and orchestrions and self-playing pianos and harps, to say nothing of phonographs, are multiplying.

The Atlanta Journal is raging mad at the president for visiting the tomb of John Brown, whom that paper calls a "desperate villain" and a "depraved law-breaker." This is hather violent language to apply to the hero of Harper's Ferry nearly forty years after his execution. In the turmoil of politics John Brown had been forgotten in the north in recent years, but in Georgia, at least his soul seems to be marching on.

By the ruling of the postoffice department, any man can make a card of his own, of any size he pleases, print it and send it through the mails at postal card rates, but he cannot cut down a postal card to suit his purpose and send it through the mails without paying double postage on it. The wisdom of this ruling requires demonstration; it is not self-evident.

The substitution of bicycle matches for horse racing at the Bridgeton, N. J., fair, was a sign of the times that means a great deal. If the "agricultural horse race" is to be no longer the leading feature of the county fair, that gathering will, perhaps, be more reputable in future; for though the horse is the noblest and most useful animal given to man, its associations on the country race track are almost always of a bad character. All the swindling games and disreputable characters that infest the farmers' annual gatherings seem to be attracted to the race course ways attached an evil reputation to what should be an enjoyable and useful trial of speed and strength. The introduction of bicycle contests in place of horse races will clear away much of this bad element.

Information.

"Bring me," said the gentleman with the Clan-na-Gael countenance, as he pointed to the lobster in the show window, "bring we one av thim informers."

"Why do you call them informers, Casey?" asked his companion.

"Bedad, they wear th' green to begin wid, and put on the red coat as soon as they get into hot water."—

1,000,000 PENSIONERS

THIRTY-TWO YEARS AFTER THE WAR THE LIST IS GROWING.

Last Year Showed an Increase of 12,850, Ten Years After the Cessation of Hostilities the Number Was Only 234,821 and Rapidly Decreasing—A Boom Since '79.

A statement drawn up at the Pension Office shows that the number of pensioners on the roll for June 30, the end of the last fiscal years, was 983,528. This prodigious total breaks all records, the surprising fact being that now, thirty-two years after the close of the civil war, the number of pensioners is larger than at any preceding time, although the ravages of death among the survivors of the war are now becoming so great. In other words, the influx to the list still exceeds the increasing outflow.

In 1865, the last year of hostilities, the number of pensioners on June 30 was set down at 85,986. A year later it got into six figures, with 126,722. The increase thenceforward was steady, yet moderate, until 207,495 was reached in 1871. Two years later, in 1873, what then appeared to be its maximum was attained, June 30 showing 238,411; for the following year it fell to 236,241, this being the first decrease in a dozen years. The next June there was a falling off to 234,821; the next, to 232,137; the next, to 232,104; the next, to 223,998.

But then, just as a continuing ebb, with these five successive years, seemed assured, the tide turned. The Arrears and other pension acts made a vase difference. In 1879, the record for June 30 rose to 242,755, and each succeeding June from that time has shown an increase, larger or smaller, up to the one just past. In 1883 the number had grown to 303,658; in 1887, to 406,007, while in 1890 it passed the half-million mark, June 30 of that year showing 537,944.

Thereafter it took prodigious bounds, influenced largely by the Disability Pension act. The first year's jump was nearly 140,000, to 676,160 in 1891; while even that was outdone by an increase of nearly 200,000 in the following twelve months, to 876,068. A third increase brought the number to 966,012 on June 30, 1893.

Just there, however, when there was a general expectation of reaching the million mark the following June, since fewer than 34,000 net additions were required to do it, the annual gain dwindled to a few thousand, the number reached being 969,544. The next year the gain was smaller yet, not quite a thousand, the total being 970,524. When, therefore, last year, the gain fell off to only 154, the total being 970,678, it seemed an easy prediction that this year there would be an actual loss, and that the ebb would again set in.

But, on the contrary, the gain is the striking one of 12,850, or the biggest in four years; and with only 16,472 more to be made up, the million mark may soon be reached.

Thirty-two years after the end of the civil war, the number of pensioners on account of that war exceeds by about a quarter of a million the number of soldiers actually engaged in service in all the armies of the Government at any time between the firing upon Sumter and the surrender of Lee at Appomattox. The army of pensioners after a third of a century is between thirty and forty per cent. larger than the fighting army at any one time during the war

Since the end of the war more than two billion dollars, that is to say, more than two thousand million dollars, has been paid out in pensions.

This is two-thirds of what the civil war in its entirety cost the government.

It was in 1872 that James A. Garfield, whose patriotism and liberal disposition toward his fellow veterans no one will deny, declared that the pension list was then "swollen beyond all account." "I am the last man," he exclaimed in the House of Representatives, "to say a word against voting pensions to all persons who deserve them. But I wish to say to the House that more frauds are being perpetrated on the Government by claim agents in different parts of the country than from almost any other single source." In that same year, 1872, Gen. Garfield, as Chairman of the Committee on Appropriations, expressed the opinion, which we have frequently quoted, that "we may reasonably expect that the expenditures for pensions will hereafter steadily decrease, unless our legislation should be unwarrantably extravagant."

And since that patriotic and prophetic warning of Garfield's the number of pensioners has quadrupled, the annual expenditure has increased fivefold, and the total outlay of the Government has reached two billion dollars!

Mertie—Was he nervous when he asked you to marry him?

Marie—Well, I thought at the time that he was rather nervy.—New York Journal.

DIVIDED AFFECTION.

Bell—And so they were happily married?

Nell—Yes; each of them married sombody else.

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Corporation Notice

Notice is hereby given that the following Ordinance has been introduced before the Common Council, read the second time and ordered engrossed preparatory to its third reading, and that it is the intention of the Council to adopt the same.

J. T. MacMURRAY,
City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., Oct 4th, 1897.

AN ORDINANCE

granting permission to the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company, its successors and assigns, to lay and maintain underground conduits cables, wires and manholes for electrical conductors in the city of Plainfield, New Jersey, to be used for telephone and telegraph purposes.

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company, its successors and assigns be and it hereby is authorized and empowered to construct and maintain for the uses and purposes of its business aforesaid, a system of subways and underground conduits, including the necessary manholes and street openings, and lateral connections to property lines beneath the surface of the streets, avenues and other highways in the City of Plainfield, and to place, maintain and operate in said system of subways or underground conduits the wires, cables or other electrical conductors necessary for its said business; also to construct, maintain and operate for such purposes a system of electrical conductors in connection with the necessary poles for distribution from the electrical conductors to be placed in the subways or underground conduits herein before mentioned.

Section 2. And be it further ordained that the following streets, avenues and highways and parts thereof are hereby designated for the constrction of the underground conduits of said Company to be opened only after the adoption of a resolution granting permission in each street:

Front street from the Eastern to the Western limits of the City.

Somerset street from the Nothern limits of the City to Front street

Park avenue from Front street to Randolph road.

North avenue from Park avenue to Watchung avenue.

Watchung avenue from Front street to Kensington avenue.

East Fifth street, South avenue from Watchung avenue to Leland avenue.

Eighth street from Park avenue to Plainfield avenue.

Sixth street from Watchung avenue to Plainfield avenue.

Central avenue from Front street to Randolph road.

Fourth street from Watchung avenue to Plainfield avenue.

Liberty street from Front street to Eighth street.

Washington avenue from Front street to the Northern limits of the City;

and all other streets, avenues and highways of said City as may be necessary and from time to time designated in permits to be issued by the Street Committee for the construction of such conduits; said Company may on the same streets, avenues and parts thereof erect the necessary poles fixtures and supports for distributing its electrical conductors along, across and above the surface of the streets in connection with said subways; said poles shall be placed inside and within eighteen (18) inches of and adjacent to the curb line; said cables shall in all cases be placed under the carriage-way and within five (5) feet of the curb line, unless construction make it necessary to go further from the curb line, and then only after written permission has been given by the Committee on streets and sewers, and shall be placed at least eighteen (18) inches below the surface of the street.

Section 3. And be it further ordained that the said manholes shall be located beneath the surface of the streets at such points along the line of the subways or underground conduits as may be necessary or convenient for placing and operating the electrical conductors which the said Company may from time to time place in said subways or underground conduits, and shall be so constructed as not to interfere with the passage of the public over and along the said streets; and the said Company shall restore any street or avenue which may be disturbed in the construction or maintenance of said subways or conduits and manholes to the condition in which it was at the commencement of the work thereon and free from any cost or expense whatever to the City of Plainfield. And the said Company and its servants and employes in the laying of any wires or conduits, in excavating or replacing the earth in any street, alley or public place, and of the pavement thereon, shall be under the supervision of the Street Commissioner, and shall promptly comply with any order of said Commissioner in reference thereto.

The earth removed in making any excavation shall be restored, and the pavement taken up shall be relaid by the said company in as good condition as before the making of such excavation or taking up of such pavement, and thereafter shall be maintained in as good condition as the surrounding pavement, until such street, avenue or highway in each case shall be repaved by the City. No street, avenue, alley or public place shall be incumbered for a longer period than shall be necessary to execute the work for which the excavation is made. The cost of restoring the earth or otherwise, arising from such excavations, and the laying of pavements and repairs thereto, caused by the opening of any such avenue, street, alley or public place, shall be paid by said Company, and said work shall be done under the supervision of the Street Commissioner.

In case the company shall fail to restore, relay or repair any pavement or street surface within 48 hours after receiving notice from the Street Commissioner that such work is required, said Street Commissioner shall have the right to cause such work to be done, and the cost thereof shall be paid by the Company.

Section 4. And be it further ordained that said Company shall indemnify the Common Council of the City of Plainfield against and assume all liability and damages which may at any time arise, come or occur to said City from any injury to persons or property from the doing of any work herein mentioned, or from the neglect of the Company or its employes to comply with the provisions of any ordinance of the City relative to the use of streets or other public places, especially as to the putting up of lights or barriers at or around excavations; and the acceptance by the Company of this ordinance shall be an agreement by it to pay to the Common Council of Plainfield any sum of money for which the City may become liable from or by reason of such injury and damage.

Section 5. And be it further ordained that said Company shall file with the Mayor or City Clerk its acceptance of this ordinance within twenty (20) days from the date when such ordinance shall take effect, and shall also file with the City Treasurer a satisfactory bond with sureties approved by the Mayor in the sum of Three Thousand Dollars ($3000,) that it will faithfully comply with and perform all of the terms and conditions of this ordinance.

Section 6. And be it further ordained that the said The New York and New Jersey Telephone Company shall provide sufficient space in said subways or underground conduits to accommodate the telegraph or telephone wires or conductors operated from time to time by the Police, Fire and other Departments of the City of Plainfield.

Section 7. And be it further ordained that said Company shall pay into the City Treasury all advertising and printing fees incurred by the City under this ordinance, and that this ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Walks on Her Knees to Keep a Vow.

Mrs. Louisa Williams, of San Leandro, Cal., walks for a quarter of a mile over a stony road on her bare knees once a year to keep a vow. Recently she accomplished the feat for the seventeenth time. Seventeen years ago she prayed that her husband's sight might be restored. She vowed that if her prayer was answered she would walk on her bared knees from her house to the church once a year. Her husband regained his sight and the woman kept her vow.—New York Journal.

Bought at a Sheriff Sale

$15,000 worth of the finest

FALL AND WINTER -CLOTHING-

-: FOR :-

MEN, BOYS AND CHILDREN.

One of the leading wholesale manufacturers in New York has failed and their entire stock was sent to us to be sold at less than forty cents on the dollar they cost to manufacture. The house was noted in New York, and only the very best and choicest lines were handled by them. Recollect these will be sacrifice prices and will last but three weeks. A great opportunity for money-saving clothing buyers.

The very finest tailor-made clothing in the world will be sold at retail for less than half the prices that other stores ask for inferior goods. As this is such a rare occurrence, we respectfully invite all intending purchasers of clothing to give their personal attention and call early, as the choicest goods will most naturally go first. The sheriff must be paid in cash and this elegant stock of fine clothing will consequently be sacrificed at an enormous loss. We will sell you fine fall and winter suits, fall and winter overcoats, ulsters, heavy-weight trousers, coats and vests, handsomely and elegantly made, equal to the best merchant tailor's work, for less than the actual cost of the labor in making these fine garments Here is your opportunity to purchase a suit or overcoat for what the lining would cost at any tailoring establishment in the city. A few prices will tell the whole facts. Means a saving of 60 per cent. on every dollar spent. We deal only in reliable clothing, and will not undertake to sell one dollar's worth of clothing unless we know that what we sell will give the buyers as good wear as if he paid us what the garment was worth. Men's winter all wool suits, sizes from 33 to 44, that are sold all over Plainfield at $7.50 and $8 00, are sold here at $3.75; if not satisfied with this suit in any way, bring it back and get your money. Men's fine clay-diagonal heavy weight suits, silk-lined, worth $22 00, at $7 50. Men's satin lined dress suits in cutaway, worth $22.75, at $8 50 We offer 600 dark colored good suits in mixed cheviots and cassimers at $3 50, $4 50, $5 00 and $5.25, worth easily from $8.00 to $12 00. All wool men's pants at 85c. Heavy cheviots and cassimere pants at 95c, $1 10, $1.25 and $1 50, worth double. Fine double breasted heavy black cheviot suit handsomely made, at $5.25, that other stores ask $15 00 for. Elegant Prince Albert dress suits, very fine imported cloth, wholesale price $18 00 to $25.00, sale price $9.50, Extra fine dress pants, over one hundred styles in stripes and silk mixtures, neat checks and cords, $1.25, $1.50, $1 65, $1 90 and $2.25, worth from $3 75 to $5.50.

Bring this with you and if not shown everything here as advertised we will pay your car fare. Boys' neat double breasted suits, all wool warranted, with double knee and double seat, $1,00, 1 25, 1.50, 1 75 and 2.24, worth three times as much. Men's fine covert cloth fall overcoats, in light and dark shades, silk-lined, worth $16 00, at $5 00, latest styles Men's heavy diagonal fall overcoat, fine finish, worth 12 00 to 15.00, at $5 50. Men's fine black melton overcoat, blue or black, elegantly made, at $6 50, worth 12.00. Men's imported kersey overcoats silk lined, French facing, worth 22.00, at $8 25. Men's dress overcoats at $3 25, worth 10 00. Buy your overcoat now and you will save sixty cents on every dollar. Men's ulsters, dark blue, all wool, waterproof cloth, worth 18 00, at $6.50 Very fine ulsters at $5.00 and $6 50, worth double. A good ulster for drivers at $2 50 and $3 00, worth from 6 00 to 8.00. Extra fine dress suit for young men and boys, long pants actually valued at 12 00 to 15 00, sale price at $4 50. Young men's single or double-breasted blue or black cheviot suit at $3 50, regular price 10 00 A good youth's suit at $2 50, worth 7 50. Bring anything back within fifteen days, that is not entirely satisfactory. Men's extra fine brown plaid suits at $3 50, $4 50 and $5.00, worth from $9.00 to 15 00. Men's winter bicycle suits at $2 00, $2 50 and $3, worth from 5 00 to 12.00. Remember, no other store in Plainfield can sell you such fine clothing for any less than three times these prices. We have over three thousand suits to choose from. All wool clay diagonal sack suit at $5 90, worth from 12 00 to 15 00. Over one thousand woolen knee pants from 15c to 60c. Everybody living within tweny-five miles of Plainfield should visit this great sheriff sale.

SALE BEGINS SATURDAY, OCTOBER 2, at 7:30 A. M.

New York Clothing Co.,

Next door to Music Hall, Plainfield, N. J.

M. WEINBERGER, Manager, Car fare paid to all out of town buyers. Don't miss this sale, it will pay you to come at once. Sale takes place rain or shine. Don't forget the place; it is 214 West Front Street, next door to Music Hall. Look for New York Clothing Co.

SACRIFICE SALE

— OF —

CLOTHING and FURNISHING GOODS

JAQUETT, 129 E. Front St.

Borough Notice.

Watchung Avenue Assessment.

To whom it may concern:

Take notice that the report of the Commissioners appointed to make the benefit assessment of the cost and expenses of the improvement of laying out, opening, grading, macadamizing, &c., of Watchung avenue in the said Borough under an ordinance entitled "An ordinance for the laying out and opening of Watchung avenue from the centre line of Green brook to the southeasterly side line of Jackson avenue," approved Sept. 6, 1895, together with all objections filed thereto in writing, has been duly brought before the Mayor and Council of the said Borough and

Take further notice, that said Mayor and Council has fixed Thursday, October 14th, 1897, at 8 P. M. at the Council Chambers as the time and place for the examination and confirmation of said report, when and where any parties interested can be heard by said Mayor and Council, if any such desire to be heard or to object to said report or assessment in any way.

After such hearing said Mayor and Council will proceed as required by law to examine the matter and correct said report and assessment and ratify the same.

Dated October 1st, 1897

By order of the Mayor and Council
James K. Arnold, Borough Clerk. 10 2 3 stt

CHILDS & STANLEY,
Florists and Decorators. 142 North avenue.
Greenhouses at Netherwood and Westfield. A large stock of choice cut flowers, smilax, asparagus, etc., always on hand. Palms, rubbers ferns, begonias, dracenias and a great variety of other plants at low prices. Floral designs, baskets and boquets made up with fresh flowers at short notice. Best work at lowest prices. Garden and greenhouse work attended to by contract or otherwise.

We have this famous make in all the new Fall and Winter shapes; we have the sole agency for Plainfield.

A Willet & Son,
No. 107 Park Avenue.

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FOR LITTLE ORPHANS.

ANNIVERSARY OF THE CHILDREN'S HOME CELEBRATED.

The Exercises Attended by the Present Members of the Home—Report of the President—An Address by Jacob Riis.

The hearts of Christian people in happy homes go out in love and compassion toward homeless and friendless little children, and it is not remarkable that the Children's Home is probably the most popular charity in Plainfield. A deeply interested audience gathered in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church last night to celebrate the twentieth anniversary of the institution. Henry B. Newhall presided, and the front seats were occupied by the neatly-dressed little folk from the Home. The room was tastefully decorated with roses, cannas and other flowers.

The exercises were opened with a song, "As Pants the Hart," by a quartette composed of Mrs. D. E. Titsworth, Miss Randolph, Elmer E. Runyon and D. E. Titsworth, after which came Scripture reading and prayer by Rev. Mr. Nickerson. The treasurer's report, submitted by Miss Ella W. Serrell, was read by L. W. Serrell.

This report showed total receipts during the past year, from members, subscriptions, the board, for clothing, from donations, lectures, legacies, etc., of $4 217 97. Total expenditures, including cash paid for services, provisions, clothing, fuel, stationery, etc., have been $2,197.37. The balance on hand May 1, 1897, was $2,020 60, of which there is for endowment fund, $1,191.77, and for current expenses, $828,83.

Charles L. Lewis now sang a very touching and beautiful solo, after which the report of the president, Mrs. Horace Kimball, was read by Rev. Floyd Appleton:

Ladies and gentlemen, friends of our Home, gathered with us tonight to celebrate its twentieth anniversary, we ask you for a few moments to turn your thoughts backward through the years to that first evening, when with three little orphan brothers as the nucleus of our family, we gathered in the small house on Grove street to receive the few friends who had confidence enough in us and in our plans to "lend a hand" and to bid us God-speed in the work, which has from that evening held a warm place in the hearts of the good people of Plainfield.

As we recall tonight nearly three hundred boys and girls whom we have been able to gather under our care, and one after another send them into other homes, where they have lived useful lives, and are loved and valued members, our hearts are filled with gratitude. Some of them now hold positions of honor and trust in other communities. Seven of the boys and girls have married and are now living in comfortable, happy homes. From several of these we have pleasant reports of the home-making and the daily lives. It is a great help as well as pleasure to learn that their first impulses towards anything good or noble in their present lives came to them through our Home. Only a few weeks since I received a letter from one of our children in the west, in which she says, "You were the first friend I ever had, and the Children's Home the only one I ever knew until I had one of my own."

While we rejoice in all that has been done we realize most fully that we have not by any means reached our own best ideals for our children, and we always welcome most heartily any helpful suggestions from any source. Of all the officers gathered on that first evening your president alone remains in active service. Tonight we remember gratefully and tenderly all the loved workers who have ceased from their labors and have joyously answered the summons, "Friend, come up higher."

Mr. Newhall now introduced Jacob A. Riis, of New York, who delivered a very absorbing and entertaining address. His subject was the typical city "tough," whom he called Tony. He told of the crowded blocks in New York, where people were packed in after the fashion of sardines. "Only," said he, "the sardine is dead, so he lies still, but the man is alive, and he kicks!" Of course, in such places there are no homes, and what moral stamina can you expect of a boy who has no home? And he has no place to play, and a child has got to play, or he is no child, and who can wonder that he grows up with the most depraved part of him most fully developed? He can't play in the poor little yard, for the landlord of the tenement won't let him, and in the street the policeman is after him. With the landlord and the policeman both sitting on his safety-valve, what will happen? By and by he explodes, and then off he goes to the station-house. Bad boy? Bosh! He is only normal; give him a chance to amuse himself in a natural way, and you won't see so much crime. Is it any wonder that Tony throws mud and stones? They say Tony has no moral sense. Is it remarkable, brought up as he is, and saloons on every corner around him? Good children are spoiled every day in these wretched surroundings. Machinery for rescuing these children has been set in motion. Providing a home must be the first business. The reason we are always fighting the slum is because there can't be a decent home there. After the home must

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REMODELED CITY HOTEL.

Proprietor Beerbower Now Has a Hostlery Up-to-Date in Every Detail.

A thorough renovating within and without and the addition of substantial improvements have transformed the City Hotel into an apparently new hostlery. The changes that have been made there have greatly improved the hotel and now make it an up-to-date establishment of which its proprietor, John E. Beerbower, can be justly proud.

To the passersby, the most noticeable improvements are the new stone side walk to take the place of the old areaway at the side of the hotel and the new entrance placed diagonally across the corner. Within, the owner and lessee have both done their share toward the general improvement of the house. The office has been entirely refitted. New paper and quartered oak trimmings give an air of luxury that has been lacking. The reading room is also equipped after the most modern fashion with handsome oak table and time-table rack. The finish of the stairway leading to the toilet rooms in the basement is brand-new, while the equipment there is of the latest sanitary pattern.

The ladies' entrance, the halls and dining room have all received a thorough cleaning and are resplendent with new carpets, paper and paint. Upstairs, the same changes have been made and the rooms are tasteful and neat in their appearance.

The barroom has been enlarged to four times its former size, and equipped after the latest methods. The ceiling is of metal, stamped with an artistic design, while the floor is composed of small blocks of stone set in a bed of concrete. The windows are of French plate glass and those in the main entrance have on them the monogram of the hotel.

Tomorrow night, Mr. Beerbower will keep open house to his friends whom he has invited to come and inspect the place. A large number of invitations have been issued and the guests will be cared for sumptuously by their genial host.

THE HEROISM OF YOUTH.

Rev. W. C. Snodgrass' Interesting Talk to Monroe Avenue Church Young People.

Last evening, in the Epworth House of Monroe Avenue church, a good-sized audience gathered to hear Rev. W. C. Snodgrass, pastor of the First M. E. church, deliver a lecture on the "Heroism of Youth."

At the start Mr. Snodgrass said that he had a growing regard for the Christian work being done in the western section of the city, and though his society was considered the "mother church," he could not be considered the father. He thought that he might be considered the step father, and as such he greeted his audience.

The speaker thought it was a perilous thing to be young, for all along the pathway of life there are great dangers. He said that the young people of this generation are hungry socially, physically, mentally and in many other ways. One of the worst things for a young person is solitary confinement. He thought it was unholy. On the other hand, there are great dangers to be met with too much company that is oftentimes apt to be bad. He spoke of moral and intellectual hunger which young people have, and cautioned all in letting that hunger be rightly directed. Mr. Snodgrass spoke in detail about the perils and benefits to be found in youth, and drew many pointed lessons which were helpful.

A vote of thanks was extended to the speaker at the close for his interesting address.

Borough Health Statistics.

The following is Rev. W. E. Honeyman's report, as registrar of vital statistics in the borough, for the past year: Births, 71; deaths, 65; marriages, 29; burial permits, 60; transit permits, 10; cases of contagious disease, 45, as follows: scarlet fever, 41; typhoid, 2; diphtheria, 1; measles, 1. There were two deaths from contagious diseases. Mr. Honeyman has been re-elected to the office for the ensuing year.

Fire-Alarm System in Good Shape.

Yesterday Chief Doane made a test of the whole fire-alarm system, including the new box, 76, at the corner of Park avenue and Arlington place. In making the test the whistle was shut off. Each box was found to be all right and the system in general in fine working order.

The Physicians Dined.

The regular quarterly meeting of the Plainfield Medical Association was held last evening at the Hotel Tuileries. The business session was held at which several resolutions were passed. The dinner was enjoyed by the members.

REV. JOHN A. WELLS' TRANSIT FROM PULPIT TO SANCTUM.

The Late Congressional Candidate Will Now Air His Views By Pen Rather Than Voice.

The decision of the Elizabeth Presbytery, in session at Metuchen, yesterday, paves the way for Rev. John A. Wells, who gained considerable publicity as a Free Silver Congressional candidate in the Third district last fall, to become an editor pure and simple.

Mr. Wells was the Bryanite candidate for Congress in the Third District last fall. He made an active canvass, leaving his church in the care of a supply, and returning to his ministerial duties at the end of the campaign. He was one of the principal speakers and workers for the cause of silver in this section of New Jersey, and some of the members of his church resented his activity. There was no open breach, but Mr. Wells felt that his usefulness was greatly impaired and he resigned his pastorate last spring.

His friends were in the majority, however, and they refused to accept the resignation. His arguments were of no avail and he appealed to the Presbytery for aid. It was his intention to enter the journalistic field with his son, and he did not wait for the severance of his pastoral relations, but went to work in the newspaper office while continuing to act as pastor in charge of the church.

There was fault found with that course, but the people still refused to reconsider their refusal and accept the resignation. Then Mr. Wells made a proposition that he receive half of the salary, which had been $600, and that he be allowed to devote three days of each week to his other pursuits.

John V. Hoos, an elder of the church at Liberty Corner, presented a report of the action of that meeting to the Presbytery.

There were thirty-one people present, and after a long discussion it was voted to accept the pastor's resignation. Nineteen people voted in the affirmative. This vote was discussed yesterday afternoon. Some of the members of the Presbytery favored refusing to sanction the action of the church, claiming that the differences between people and pastor could easily be adjusted.

Mr. Wells was present and he was asked if he thought that he should be relieved of his pastoral duties. He replied that he did, and said that he felt that he had not been properly treated and that some of the people had failed to appreciate the dignity of his position. Some of the minister's opponents claim that he himself failed to remember the dignity that should attach to the office of minister.

The Presbytery finally, by a unanimous vote, decided to accept the situation and a committee was appointed to inform the Liberty Corner Presbyterians that Mr. Wells is no longer their pastor. The released preacher announced that he would gladly act as a supply or assist any church of the Presbytery, whenever called upon. As soon as his case was settled Mr. Wells left for his home. He continues a member of the Presbytery.

PARK CLUB IS PROSPEROUS.

ANNUAL MEETING HELD LAST NIGHT.

Report of Treasurer Shows the Finances to be Flourishing—Senator Reed Chosen President.

The sixth annual meeting of the Park Club was held last evening at the clubhouse with President Charles A. Reed in the chair, and a good attendance of members present. The first item of interest was the presentation of the report of George P. Dupee, treasurer. It showed the total receipts for the year to be $5,826.22, and of that amount $2,197.92 was received as dues, $100 for initiation fees, and $1,675.21 from the sale of cigars, ice-cream, etc., For the last item $1,413 was expended, showing a profit of $261.50. On the side of disbursements, $238 47 was expended for the Fourth of July celebration. The assets and liabilities reported were $861.27. Under the head of real estate, etc., it was reported that the value of the house and lot is $8,972 8.; improvements, $1,285 27; furniture, $2,436 61; making a total of $12,694.71, and against that amount there are bonds out to the amount of $9,300, leaving a balance of $3,394.71. The report was received and the treasurer complimented.

Following the reading of the report the election of three members of the board of governors took place, and resulted in the re-election of George D. Halleck, Walter McGee and George P. Dupee, for a term of three years. The board of governers then met and selected the following officers who were unanimously elected: President, Chas. A. Reed; vice-president, Benjamin Day; treasurer, George P. Dupee; secretary, George D. Halleck.

An amendment to the constitution was made giving the board of governors the right to place into effect such regulations as they deem best for the use of the clubhouse by the junior members.

To Be Married in St. Mary's Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick J. Flanagan, of 522 West Fifth street, have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Miss Margaret Flanagan, and Michael J. Whelan, of this city. The wedding will be celebrated at St. Mary's R. C. church, Wednesday evening, October 20th, at 5 o'clock. A reception will take place at 6 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents.

Change in Bicycle Business.

A transfer is being made of the controlling interest in the Plainfield Cycle and Sporting Goods Company, whose store is on North avenue, opposite the Central Railway station. The details of the transaction are not completed, as yet, and no formal announcement has been made by the parties interested.

From Comedian to Host.

George Thatcher, the well-known minstrel man, has rented the roadhouse formerly conducted by John Benner, near Fanwood, and will open it as soon as he can procure a license from the Union County Court. At present Mr. Thatcher is playing "dates" in western cities.

—Additional locals on third page.

JOKE, OR DID THEY REPENT?

T. J. CAREY'S HORSE DISAPPEARS

While Hunting for Supposed Thieves the Steed, Flecked With Foam, Was Returned by Unknown Men.

T. J. Carey, the furniture man, was given a bad scare last evening when he was informed that some person or persons unknown had entered his stables, on West Front street, near Plainfield avenue, and had hitched one of his horses to a light business wagon that was kept in the barn and driven away with the rig to parts unknown. Mr. Carey's son Harry was preparing to drive a loaded furniture van to New York, and went to the barn at 7 o'clock to get the team, when he discovered the theft. He sent word to his father, and hitching up another horse started at once upon a search for the supposed thieves.

He drove to Dunellen and New Market, and to various points in the vicinity of this city, but returned about 10 o'clock without securing any clew.

As the searchers were returning to the barn they saw a wagon drive to the door and two men leap out of it and run swiftly away in the darkness. The horse and wagon were found to be those taken from the barn. The animal was flecked with foam, and showed signs of hard driving.

Mr. Carey caught a glimpse of the men as they ran off, and thinks he could identify them. He is inclined to think that the same thing has been done before, and will deal harshly with the guilty parties if they are captured.

THIEF GRABBED MONEY AND RAN.

A Hebrew Shoemaker the Victim, But He Doesn't Know the Robber.

A Hebrew shoemaker, named Gold, whose shop is at 615 West Third street, opposite the Muhlenberg Hospital, was robbed of nearly $9 in cash on Monday night. Gold was working in his shop until rather late that night when an unknown colored man entered the store and wanted a pair of shoes half-soled. Gold did the job that night while the colored man waited.

After the repairs to the shoes had been completed, Gold turned them over to the colored stranger who tried them on and pronounced them all right. Then the stranger handed Gold a bill. Gold took out his pocketbook, gave the necessary change to the man, and started to put away the pocketbook which contained nearly $9. Suddenly the man grabbed the pocketbook from Gold's hand and bolted out of the door before the astonished shoemaker could recover sufficiently from his surprise to make any attempt to stop him.

When Gold realized that he had been robbed he hurried to the street, but could get no glimpse of the fleeing thief and had no idea where he went.

The matter was reported to the police, but no trace has been found of the thief or the money.

—The Y. M. C. A. class in bookkeeping and commercial course will hold its first meeting at the association hall tonight.

$5,000 FOR RIGHT OF WAY.

Bound Brook Council Grants Trolley Franchise to the Brunswick Company.

The trolley question which has so long been before the Bound Brook Common Council now appears to be in a fair way to be finally settled, as that body last evening granted to the Brunswick Traction Company a franchise to construct, maintain and operate an electric road on Main street, between the eastern limits of the borough and Talmage avenue.

After the routine business had been disposed of, William A. Coddington who has lately been retained by the New York and Philadelphia Traction Company, presented an entirely new ordinance with accompanying maps, etc., and asked to have a time appointed for a public meeting for the hearing of objections. This was laid on the table by a vote of four to one and Councilman Hastings then moved that the ordinance of the Brunswick Traction Company receive its third reading and final passage.

The ordinance was then read and after a few minor changes was unanimously passed.

Another ordinance providing for a continuation of this route to the western limits of the borough over Talmage avenue will be presented at the next meeting of the Council, and the attorneys for the Brunswick Company say they will provide for the macadamizing of that avenue from curb to curb. Besides the improvements above mentioned, the borough will receive the sum of $5,000 for the franchise.

NEW CONSTITUTION ADOPTED.

High School A. A. Establish an Advisory Committee That Has Veto Power.

The adoption of a new constitution was the principal business that was considered at a meeting of the Plainfield High School Athletic Association, held in the High School building yesterday afternoon. The new constitution was the work of several months and embodies the original work of a committee composed of William A. Fisher, Elwood Davis and William H. Sebring, Jr., with the suggestions of a number of the other members.

The new constitution does away with the four vice-presidents and makes the managers of the different teams separate from the other officers. It provides for an advisory committee to be composed of two graduates of the High School and one member of the faculty. This committee has the veto power over all acts of the association relating to finances, audits the bills and exercises a general supervision over the other affairs of the association.

STILL ANOTHER CYCLE THEFT

George Rockfellow Left the Wheel in the Street—Gone When He Returned.

The mysterious bicycle thief still continues his work in Plainfield. Last week he took Lindley M. Hillman's wheel from in front of Moy's pharmacy at the corner of Park avenue and Fourth street. Last night the wheel belonging to George Rockfellow, son of George W. Rockfellow, the grocer, was taken from the corner diagonally opposite.

The wheel was left standing in front of the store at about 6 o'clock. The store was lighted up and there were customers constantly passing in and out. When Rockfellow came to look for his wheel it was gone and there was absolutely no trace as to the identity of the thief. The missing wheel is a Columbia, 1897 model, with blue rims.

SOUGHT HYMEN QUIETLY.

Alfred K. Willett and S Elizabeth Dunn Married by Rev. Mr. Schenck.

Alfred Kline Willett and Miss S Elizabeth Dunn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Dunn, of 210 West Fourth street, were marrried last evening by Rev. Cornelius Schenck at the parsonage, 904 West Front street.

The wedding was a very quiet and unostentatious one, there being only a few witnesses present. After the ceremony the bride and groom were driven to their own house at 319 East Second street, where they will live.

Both Mr. and Mrs Willett are members of Trinity Reformed church, and are active workers in the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor.

This morning the couple found that some friend of a joking disposition had hung a pair of old shoes on the front door of their home during the night.

Two Typhoid Cases.

One medical case was received at the hospital yesterday and one this morning. At present there are two typhoid cases at the hospital, but both are doing well. Edward Marcellis seems to be improving, although it has not yet been determined as to whether he will have to lose his eye.

'RAS STOLE THE BICYCLE.

DIMINUTIVE DARKEY CAUGHT WITH THE WHEEL IN HIS POSSESSION.

He Looks Innocent Enough, But Even His Mother Says He is a Bad Boy—Clever Capture By Officer Frederickson.

To Roundsman Frederickson belongs the credit for tracking down and capturing the first bicycle thief in this city. Wheels have been stolen here and the thief captured elsewhere, but this was the first occasion when the police have made the arrest within the limits of the city.

Last May, Shepard Dekay, whose home is on Carleton avenue, received a brand-new Crescent, model 2, of the 1897 style. The wheel was a small one and just suited to him. Shepard has ridden the wheel a great deal this summer, and lately it has been his custom to ride it to school. Yesterday Shepard rode the wheel to school and then brought it home and left it on the piazza.

The young daughter of E. H. Bogardus, who lives on Putnam avenue, remarked to her father, soon after 1 o'clock, that she had seen a little colored boy go up on Dekay's piazza and carry away Shepard's wheel. Mr. Bogardus hurried over to his neighbor's house, but the wheel was gone and there was no boy or wheel in sight. The theft was then reported to the police and Roundsman Frederickson started out to investigate.

Diligent inquiry in the neighborhood revealed the fact that a small colored boy had been seen riding a maroon enameled Crescent wheel. Further search discovered that Raspberry Harrison, a diminutive piece of dusky humanity, living in the East Sixth street row, had been riding a wheel of that description.

This little black Raspberry, or "Ras" as he is usually called, is alleged to have paid a visit to the new houses that Charles Hand is building on Berckman street and helped himself to the lunch belonging to the men working there. The men gave chase but the youthful raider eluded them.

The Roundsman went to see Mrs. Harrison, mother of the boy, and she told him that the last she had seen of 'Ras was at 3 o'clock. She told him that the men had been there and wanted to know what he had done with their lunch and that he must now stay home. She went down stairs and when she came back the lad was gone. She said that he was not an obedient child and that he was always into mischief despite her best efforts.

This morning early the Roundsman was out again looking for the lad and the wheel. He at last found them both in the alley leading to Battle Row. Another boy was riding the wheel while 'Ras was standing nearby. When the lad saw the blue coat and brass buttons of the bicycle cop flash round the corner the youngster took to his heels and headed for the nearest fence. The officer jumped off his wheel and followed. 'Ras tumbled over the fence but before he could roll away the hand of Roundsman Frederickson reached over the pickets and settled on the collar of the youthful rider. He squirmed a little as the officer lifted him over the fence but mounted his wheel quietly and rode to town peaceably in front of the Roundsman.

'Ras told the officer that his mother gave him the wheel. He also said that he spent the night at the home of a friend on West Fourth street. He was locked up in the fastness of one of the cells in the city jail where he looked extremely small and inoffensive as he huddled up against the wall.

Arlington Avenue Surprise.

A pleasant surprise was given to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Peterson, of Arlington avenue, last evening. The affair was complete in every detail and was arranged by Mr. and Mrs. Lewis The evening was passed in dancing and in having a good social time. Those present were: Mrs. Lewis Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Peterson, George Peterson, Walter Peterson, Mrs. Ellen Peterson, Mrs. Cade Wyett, Mr. and Mrs. Ashby, William Ashby, Miss Annie Patten, Miss Mary Jones, Miss Wilson, Fred Wood, Mrs. Catharine Hill, Charles Williams, Oscar Nelson, Miss Maggie Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis.

Battle of Liepsig to be Celebrated.

The anniversary of the battle of Liepsig, which occurs on the 18th inst., will be celebrated in an appropriate manner by the German citizens of Plainfield. At a meeting to be held on that date in Saengerbund Hall the German women of the city will present a handsome flag to the Independent Shooting Corps. The Saengerbund Society will furnish the programme for the occasion, and rehearsals are now being held for that purpose.

IS HE WILSON'S SLAYER

Man Surrenders as the Muderer of the Philadelphia Librarian.

IMPLICATES TWO OTHERS

Were Surprised at Their Work and Beat the Old Man to Death While He Stood—Police Are Very Reticent.

Philadelphia, Oct. 6.—The police are reticent, and will give out no information whatever regarding the man who gave himself up Monday night, stating that he was one of three men who murdered William C. Wilson, the aged librarian who was killed in his book store on the evening of Aug. 16.

It has been learned that he has informed the police authorities that he, with two other men, went into the book store for the purpose of robbery, and that when they unexpectedly met Wilson in the place, they beat him to death, and then made their escape.

The man's first name is Harry, but the police refuse to divulge his full name. They are investigating the story, and are endeavoring to locate the man's alleged companions in the crime.

The story told by the prisoner to the Philadelphia police tallies with the theories advanced at the time of the murder. It was supposed at the time of the murder that three men took part in the crime, as the interior of the store was all in disorder, and the killing of the aged librarian bore the evidence of more than one man.

William C. Wilson was found dead on the night of Aug. 16 last. His body was found in his store. It would have been possible for passing pedestrians to look through the glass door of Wilson's store, which was used as a circulating library, and witness the crime.

Wilson was known to all women of any social prominence or means in the Quaker City. He was the almost sole purveyor of fiction for the leisure classes of Philadelphia. After the discovery of the murder the Mayor offered $1,000 reward for the apprehension of the murderer.

The old man had been struck down where he was standing in the middle of the store. He fell near a bookcase, and then he was beaten into insensibility. The murderer or murderers, after the crime, had apparently dragged the body behind the bookcase. Imprints of fingers were found on the old man's neck, and a bloody towel was found near the body.

One of the intruders must have crept behind the old man, clasped his throat, and then wound the towel around his neck. Blows were then struck with a tack hammer until the old man was dead. Eleven distinct marks were found on Wilson's face, which seemingly were made by a hammer. The police thought that the mutilation of the old man was done, not because the murderer or murderers did not secure any money, but out of motives of revenge.

Four men were arrested, but discharged, as there was no evidence against them.

Mr. Wilson was small and spare. His whole life was devoted to his books. He rarely mingled with the outside world and lived alone on the third floor of his library, the two lower floors being filled with books. None of the rooms were carpeted, and he slept in a single bed. He was last seen alive on the night of Aug. 15, when he left a restaurant where he usually got his meals, to return to the store, at No. 1119 Walnut street. The murder was discovered by a policeman, who found a back gate open. Everything in the place was topsy turvy, the intruders searching evidently for the money Wilson was supposed to have.

The murder created a great sensation in Philadelphia at the time, and any number of theories were advanced for the motive of the crime.

MORE TESTIMONY AGAINST THORN.

Frank Clark, His Cellmate in the Tombs, Makes an Important Statement.

New York, Oct. 6.—Frank Clark, a prisoner in the Tombs, sent word to District Attorney Olcott yesterday that he desired to tell all he knew about Martin Thorn, the alleged murderer of William Guldensuppe. For six weeks District Attorney Olcott has been trying to get Clark to make a statement, as it was known that he was the only person aside from Barber Gotha of whom Thorn had made a confidant. Thorn and Clark were cellmates in the hospital ward of the Tombs, and Clark became intimately acquainted with Thorn. All sorts of jobs were put up on Clark to get him to make a statement, but he pretended that he knew nothing about Thorn or his conversation with visitors.

Assistant District Attorneys Mitchell and Rosolsky went over to the Tombs yesterday and questioned Clark. Clark told them a story that needed only the verification of some one at Woodside, L. I. Then a messenger was sent to Woodside, and certan statements made by Clark were backed up by proof. Later Clark made a long statement, which he swore to.

Clark is 42 years old. He is now under indictment for forgery. A few weeks ago, while in his cell in the Tombs, he raised a dollar note to a ten, and succeeded in passing it on the Tombs caterer, who discovered the forgery only when making a deposit of the bill in a savings bank.

Neal Dow Buried.

Portland, Me., Oct. 6.—Gen. Neal Dow was buried from the Second Paris Church yesterday afternoon. Three clergymen participated in the services: The Rev. Leary S. Bean, the Rev. D. B. Randall, who is 91 years old; the Rev. Asa Dalton, the Rev. A. H. Wright, the Rev. R. T. Hack. The pall bearers were Gov. Lellewyn Powers, ex-Gov. Dingley, ex-Gov. Perham, ex-Gov. Robie, ex-Gov. Cleaves, Mayor Randall, ex-Mayor Fessenden, ex-Mayor King, ex-Mayor Deering, W. L. Putnam, C. F. Libby, Gen. Selden Connor, W. G. Davis, Spencer Rogers. The interment was at Evergreen Cemetery.

Barnato Left £960,119.

London, Oct. 6.—The Globe says that the net value of the estate of Barney Barnato, the famous South African millionaire, who committed suicide last June by jumping overboard from the steamer Scot, while on his way from South Africa to England, is £960,119.

GEORGE SCORES CROKER.

Radical Bryan Ticket for Greater New York.

LAST NIGHT'S BIG MEETING

Greeting Sent to the "Gallant Leader of the Democratic Party," William J. Bryan—A Crowded House and Lots of Enthusiasm.

New York, Oct. 6.—With yells of defiance and denunciation for Tammany Hall, and with jeers and hoots for Richard Croker and the French ball ticket nominated at the Tammany convention, the acre of people who jammed themselves into Cooper Union last night, and acres more who couldn't get in, notified Henry George that he was their candidate for Mayor of the Greater New York, and told him that he was the only Democratic candidate. They were the simon-pure Democrats, the believers in the Chicago platform, the supporters to a man of William J. Bryan, and they yelled their approval of it and their candidate until they had no voices left to yell with.

Henry George was brought into the big hall after the platform had been read, and then followed a tumultuous time. Men, and women, too, leaped up and down, waving hats, coats, umbrellas and handkerchiefs, and yelled as if their lives depended upon it. There was no question of Mr. George's popularity, and there was no question about the character of their Democracy.

George received notification of his nomination by four separate organizations, the United Democracy, the Democratic Alliance, the People's party and the Manhattan Single Tax Club. He accepted the nominations in a speech entirely characteristic.

The Platform.

The platform of the George men is headed: "Declaration of Principles. Jeffersonian Democrats of New York." It says in part:

We, Democrats of Greater New York, in mass meeting assembled, do reaffirm our adherence to the creed of Democracy as set forth in the platform adopted by the National Convention of the Democratic party in Chicago, July 9, 1896; we declare our allegiance to the principles enunciated in that document, pronouncing them the formal expression of the spirit of true Democracy.

We send our greeting to the gallant leader of the Democratic party, William Jennings Bryan, and we applaud the earnestness of purpose, the indomitable courage and the fidelity to the principles of his party which have made him a beacon to which Democrats may turn with confidence for guidance and for light when leaders about them waver or desert.

We declare that the functions of street railway transportation, the lighting of the streets and homes of the people, whether by gas or electricity, the carriage of the people by ferries about the waterways of Greater New York the facilitation of the interchange of speech by telephones or telegraphs, are all purely municipal functions, things which can better be done by organized society than by individuals.

We are here to demonstrate that what Democrats shall or shall not think and speak of is not to be determined on English race tracks, nor in secret conclaves of self-constituted bosses. We are here to declare that only by wresting control of the Democratic party from the hands of the paid agents of monopolistic millionaires can the city control the corporations, and not the corporations the city.

George's Acceptance.

Mr. George was loudly cheered when he arose to respond to the notification of the committee. He said, in part:

"The City Convention has acted. It has registered the will of—whom? Of Mr. Croker (hisses and groans) from the English racetracks; a man whom you know (a voice, "a murderer and thief"); who has grown rich on what? He dictates the Democratic nomination. Is it the Democratic nomination? As a Democrat, I say 'No.' (A voice: "You are right.") The real Democracy—the Democracy of Thomas Jefferson—the regular Democracy (applause), as I hold it, tenders me the nomination to-day. I have sought by every means to have some one else come forward and take this place. I would gladly support him. It was not until it was shown to me that unless I took this nomination Mr. Croker's representative must poll the votes of the Democracy of the Greater New York that I consented.

"Now, I accept. (Great applause). Such power as I have, such strength as is left me, such ability as I well can yield, is for your cause—the greatest of causes. (Great applause).

"I am a Democrat. Not a silver Democrat or a gold Democrat, but a Democrat who believes in the cardinal principle of Jeffersonian Democracy (applause), to whom this great truth is self-evident, that all men are created equal. (Great applause.) On that principle I stand."

The moment Mr. George had finished the crowd on the stage gathered around him, and in a minute the police made way for him to get out of the hall. He was followed by Mrs. George and her daughters. When it was seen that the candidate was gone again and that the hour was still early, there were more calls for Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Lease. While they were still hot, Chairman O'Neill, who had been escorting Mr. George out, rushed back and up to the desk and announced: "Ladies and gentlemen, I do declare this meeting now adjourned." But the crowd was reluctant to go, and it was several minutes later, when the lights had already begun to go out, that the rush for the open air began.

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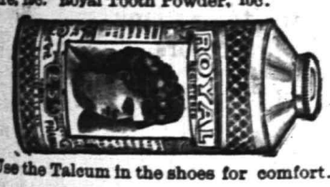

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A Valuable Prescription.

Editor Morrison, of Worthington, Ind., "Sun," writes: "You have a valuable prescription in Electric Bitters, and I can cheerfully recommend it for Constipation and Sick Headache and as a general system tonic it has no equal." Mrs. Annie Stehle, 2025 Cottage Grove Ave., Chicago, was all run down, could not eat nor digest food, had a back ache which never left her and felt tired and weary, but six bottles of Electric Bitters restored her health and renewed her strength. Prices 50c and $1. Get a bottle at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

Mrs. T. H. May arrived Monday evening at her home on Somerset street, after spending six weeks at the home of relatives at Plainview, N. Y.

A few weeks ago the editor was taken with a very severe cold that caused him to be in a most miserable condition. It was undoubtedly a bad case of la grippe and recognizing it as dangerous he took immediate steps to bring about a speedy cure. From the advertisement of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the many good recommendations included therein, we concluded to make a first trial of the medicine. To say that it was satisfactory in its results, is putting it very mildly, indeed. It acted like magic and the result was a speedy and permanent cure. We have no hesitancy in recommending this excellent Cough Remedy to anyone afflicted with a cough or cold in any form.—The Banner of Liberty, Libertytown, Maryland. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Miss E. Lawson, of New York city, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. C. MacClymont, of Washington avenue.

Those who believe chronic diarrhœa to be incurable should read what Mr. P. E. Grisham, of Gaars Mills, La., has to say on the subject, viz.: "I have been a sufferer from chronic diarrhœa ever since the war and have tried all kinds of medicines for it. At last I found a remedy that effected a cure and that was Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy." This medicine can always be depended upon for colic, cholera morbus, dysentery and diarrhœa. It is pleasant to take and never fails to affect a cure. 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Harry B. Williams, of West Seventh street, is now studying law with his brother, Walter Gordon Williams, of the Babcock building.

A pain in the chest is nature's warning that pheumonia is threatened. Dampen a piece of flannel with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bind over the seat of pain, and another on the back between the shoulders, and prompt relief will follow. Sold by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Walter G. Williams, of West Seventh street, spent Monday at Philadelphia and Woodbury.

Croup Quickly Cured.

MOUNTAIN GLEN, Ark.—Our children were suffering with croup when we received a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It afforded almost instant relief.—F. A. Thornton. This celebrated remedy is for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

MRS. MC ENROE GETS A DIVORCE.

Allowed to Resume Her Maiden Name by the Court.

New Haven, Conn., Oct. 6.—Mrs. Eleanor F. McEnroe, daughter of Capt. Fred J. Peck of this city and granddaughter of Commodore Richard Peck of the New Haven and New York steamboat line, is now free from her husband, Eugene F. McEnroe of New York. Judge Roraback of the Superior Court granted her a divorce in this city Tuesday afternoon. The divorce was obtained on the ground of intolerable cruelty, and Mrs. McEnroe was permitted to change to the name of Peck.

The defendant in the case, Eugene F. McEnroe, is a relative of Richard Croker. He is chief clerk to Register William Sohmer, of New York, and it is said that McEnroe procured the office through Croker. The divorce case was heard on an ex-parte hearing last Friday. McEnroe had entered a contest to his wife's complaint, but withdrew it after she had agreed to strike out infidelity as one of the causes and leave the sole cause of complaint as intolerable cruelty.

According to Mrs. McEnroe's statement her husband was insanely jealous of her and became enraged when another man would notice her. They were married in April, 1895, in St. Patrick's Cathedral, New York, by Archbishop Corrigan, a special dispensation for the ceremony having been obtained from the Pope. A wedding-supper at Delmonico's followed the marriage.

The McEnroes separated about a year ago, and since then Mrs. McEnroe has lived with Commodore Peck in this city.

ANNEXATION OF HAWAII.

Senators Proctor and Lodge Say that Union Is Assured Practically.

Boston, Oct. 6.—United States Senator Redfield Proctor, of Vermont, who was in this city yesterday, said that, in his opinion, Hawaii would be admitted to the United States at the next session of Congress.

"I think," he said, "that the great majority of Americans are in favor of acquiring control of the islands, if for nothing else but to keep them out of foreign hands. Annexation in some form is the only way of reaching that end."

Senator Lodge, of Massachusetts, is credited with saying that he looks upon the annexation of the Hawaiian Islands as practically accomplished.

"The treaty," he said, will be taken up at once, when Congress assembles in December, and I think that there is an easy two-thirds majority in the Senate in favor of its ratification. If it should appear probable that an opposition is developing, sufficient to defeat ratification, the remedy will be very simple. There is a joint resolution of annexation of the islands on the calendar, which does not require a two-thirds majority.

Sheehan and Croker Make Up.

New York, Oct. 6.—John C. Sheehan is still the ostensible leader of Tammany Hall. He did not resign his place yesterday, but he was successful in making it apparent that Richard Croker and not John C. Sheehan is to be responsible for the Tammany Hall ticket and the management of the campaign this year.

That is what Mr. Sheehan was striving for from the time that it became apparent that Mr. Croker had set his heart on the nomination of a ticket which Mr. Sheehan felt was unusually weak, and which was bitterly opposed by a majority of the members of the Executive Committee. He suggested to Mr. Croker that he did not care to be held responsible for the ticket, and that he had better resign the leadership. Mr. Croker opposed this, because he knew that the resignation of Leader Sheehan at this time would be proof positive to the rank and file that the stories of trouble among the leaders were true.

Albany Railway Plundered.

Albany, Oct. 6.—By a conspiracy among twelve employes the Albany Railway Company has lost more than $20,000. Three months ago Assistant General Manager Edgar S. Fassett began to suspect that the company was not receiving the revenue which travel on the Troy and Albany division should return. Chief of Police Willard employed several Pinkerton detectives to investigate the matter. Their efforts resulted last night in the arrest of James Bain, a clerk in the office of the railway company; Electrical Inspector Peter Brannigan and Conductors John Ryan, Cornelius Tierney, Thomas Noonan and Jacob Mullen.

Warrants are out for the arrest of five other conductors, and it is suspected that more are implicated, as the Pinkerton men have not completed their work. The operations of the employes were unique and escaped detection for over a year.

England and Silver.

(Special Cable Dispatch to the New York Sun.)

London, Oct. 6.—The Daily News, referring to the Government's impending reply to the American Bimetallic Commission, says it is confidently asserted in some city quarters that the Government will make concessions, including the holding of one-fifth of the Bank of England's note reserve in silver, raising the legal tender value of silver from £2 to £5, and reopening the Indian mints.

Correspondence on the latter question is actively progressing between the British and Indian Governments. Confidence is expressed that reservations will be made safeguarding the existing positions here and in the East.

Japan Appoints Delegates.

Washington, Oct. 6.—The State Department has been informed that Shiro Fujita, acting Chief of the Bureau of Marine Products in the Japanese Department of Agriculture, and Prof. Kakichi Mitsukure, of the Department of Science in the Imperial University, have been appointed delegates by Japan to the conference to consider means for the protection of seal life. The Japanese delegates are expected to reach San Francisco on the 7th.

Moved a Five-Story Tenement.

New York, Oct. 6.—A five-story brick tenement house, weighing 1,700 tons, was moved a distance of thirty feet yesterday without so much as disturbing a single brick in the entire building. The cost of the removal was $2,000.

M'KINLEY IN NEW YORK

The President Will Attend the Chamber of Commerce Banquet.

MR. GAGE TO TALK FINANCE

Elaborate Preparations for Opening Banquet Hall in the New Delmonico's—Municipal Love Feast—Many Distinguished Guests.

New York, Oct. 6.—It is expected that Ptesicent McKinley will grace with his presence the dinner of the Chamber of Commerce, which is to be held at the new Delmonico's on November 23. Not since the inauguration has the President had an opportunity to meet face to face the men of this city who worked so valiantly for his election.

Therefore, if the President consents to come on here as the guest of the Chamber he will receive a royal and an enthusiastic welcome. He will find that his views on the currency question will receive a patriotic support, irrespective of what he may possibly say on the tariff.

The arrangements for the dinner have not yet been completed. The regular monthly meeting of the members of the Chamber of Commerce will be held on Thursday, when the matter of the annual banquet will be brought up. Then a committee will be appointed to take charge of the affair, issue the manifold invitations and correspond with the various guests to be as to the subjects to which they respectively will respond.

Of course it is not expected that the President, if he comes to the dinner, will make a set speech. His presence alone will add honor and lustre to the occasion.

The Secretary of the Treasury, Lyman J. Gage, also will probably be asked to attend and speak upon some topic within the lines of finance, in which assuredly every member is deeply interested.

Another topic will interest those fortunate enough to attend the banquet. That will be the discussion on the needs of Greater New York. It is not yet certain whether Andrew H. Green, the father of the idea, or Gen. Benjamin F. Tracy, the chairman of the commission which prepared the charter, will be asked to speak to this toast.

Mr. Seth Low also may have an opportunity to express his views on the manner in which the magnificent big city should be managed by its officials. On the day when the banquet will be held the election in Greater New York will have been held.

It will then be known whether Mr. Low, Gen. Tracy, Judge Van Wyck, Henry George, P. Jerome Gleason (and so on) is to be the first Mayor. Then the bitter feelings of the campaign will have died away and the subject of improving the situation in the entire city can be listened to dispassionately and without any material rancor being exhibited.

DEBS' PLAN FOR LABOR.

To Set His Social Democracy Building a Tennessee Railroad.

Chicago, Oct. 6.—Railroad building has been selected by Eugene V. Debs as the first great industrial project to be undertaken by the Social Democracy of America.

He has sought for the privilege of constructing a railroad in Tennessee, and if his preliminary plans meet with favor the work will be launched next month.

The City Council of Nashville will receive a formal proposition from the Social Democracy to build a seventy-five-mile road from Nashville to Lebanon, which will be turned over to the city of Nashville for a nominal consideration.

Labor for the building and operation of the railroad will be furnished by the Social Democracy, and it is intended that the road will be maintained under the methods set forth by the advocates of public ownership of railroads.

The building of the line, with another small line at Monterey to connect with the Cincinnati Southern Road, owned by the city of Cincinnati, will give a direct road to Cincinnati.

It is proposed to employ idle labor in constructing the road, and the Social Democracy will have at its selection capable and experienced men who were its members when it was the old American Railway Union.

The establishment of a colony on the line of the new railroad, if built, will be a second undertaking.

ROCKEFELLER BESTS POTTER.

The Parson's Suit for $250,000 Dismissed for Lack of Prosecution.

New York, Oct. 6.—The action brought by the Rev. Daniel C. Potter, formerly pastor of the Tabernacle Baptist Church, on Second avenue, to recover $250,000 from John D. Rockefeller, who had been a large contributor to the church, for malicious prosecution, was dismissed by Justice Gildersleeve, of the Supreme Court, yesterday. The case has been pending for a long time, and has been adjourned frequently at the request of the plaintiff. Mr. Rockefeller's counsel were on hand yesterday to try the case, but Mr. Potter appeared in person and said he had no counsel, and desired an adjournment. He said his counsel had just returned to him the papers in the case, and that he had had no oppartunity to get other counsel.

G. W. Murray, who, with Joseph H. Choate, appeared for Mr. Rockefeller, said that this was but one of the excuses of Mr. Potter for adjournment, of which he always seemed to have a supply.

Justice Gildersleeve said that the case had been adjourned so often that Mr. Potter's counsel probably had not the effrontery to appear in court and ask for another adjournment. The Judges thereupon dismissed the case.

Miners' Wages Go Up in Alabama.

Birmingham, Ala., Oct. 6.—Advances in wages are being made at various mines in the Birmingham district. At McDonald's mines, Carbonhill, an advance of 10 cents a ton for forked coke has been given. The Standard Coal Company, at Brookwood, Elliott & Corrington Company, at Little Warrior, and the Dora Company, at Horse Creek, have given a 2½ cents a ton advance in coal mining.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Thursday Fair; Slightly Cooler Thursday.

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 68 Degrees.

COMING EVENTS.

October 6—Tenth anniversary of Franklin Council.
October 6—Organization of bookkeeping and commercial course. Y. M. C. A.
October 7—Third year's class in mathematics at Y. M. C. A.
October 7—Shorthand class at Y. M. C. A. Organization.
October 7—First ball of Arion Club in Cycle Academy.
October 7—Lecture on Klondyke at Grace P.E. parish house.
October 7th—Entertainment Bethel chapel.

THE EXACT MAJORITY.

The exact majority in favor of the anti-gambing constitutional amendment has been determined to be 737. The total vote for the ad interim amendment was 73,259, against 66,253; majority for, 7,006. The women's suffrage proposition was beaten by 10,295 votes—for, 64,784; against, 75,079. Gov. Griggs has appointed Senators Voorhees, Johnson, Stokes, Gould and Kuhl to act as a State canvassing board on the 19th inst.

So its seems that Rev. J. W. Wells would rather be a country editor than a country preacher. The difference between the practice of the two professions in Liberty Corner is mostly a distinction. Neither one is likely to bring great renown or a bulging pocketbook.

The reported cost of the Lincoln school building is $27,125.95. It was money spent for a good purpose, besides the fact that the city receives in return a permanent and valuable addition to its public buildings.

Rather than face starvation it is evident that Barney Barnato determined to end his life. The information comes from London that he was worth only $5,000,000.

Tax rates in all the principal New Jersey cities seem to be uniformly high. The latest to record is Trenton, which has been fixed at $2.20.

GRAND JURY CHARGED.

The Most Important Case to Be Considered is the Stony Hill Murderer.

The October term of court was opened yesterday morning with a large attendance of members of the bar from all parts of the county.

The grand jurors, escorted by Sheriff Kirk, entered the court room a few minutes after 10 o'clock and they were sworn by County Clerk Howard. The grand jurors are:

John A. Hicks, Summit, foreman; Chas. W. VanHorn, Francis Spencer, Thomas S. Leoser, Charles H. Ross, Dennis Long, Stephen S. Woodruff, John T. Fritts, Frederick C. Lounsberry, Andrew Vanderbeek, Arthur T. Gallup, Kenry Krouse, Caleb C. Pollard, Elias R. Moorehouse, James J. Carter, James M. Silvers, Edward W. Slater, George E. White, William H. Hicks, Lewis W. Miller, John N. Burger.

Judge VanSyckel delivered a brief charge, stating to the jurors that since the last term of court an aged citizen of the county had been murdered, referring to Farmer James C. Pitts at Stony Hill.

The coroner's jury had found no evidence pointing to the murderer, and it would be the duty of the grand jurors to investigate such evidence as the public prosecutor might present. Judge VanSyckel stated further that a letter had been handed him in which it is charged that one of the official boards of a township in the county has dispensed public money in excess of the appropriation and has incurred obligations beyond the limit of its expenditure.

The civil calendar is a large one. On the Supreme Court list there are 28 causes, and on the Circuit Court list 24 causes.

Judge VanSyckel announced that he would be engaged in the Court of Errors on Thursday and Friday.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

City Judge DeMeza was in Elizabeth yesterday on business.

Mr. Peck, of New York, was in Plainfield yesterday on business.

Eugene S. Acker, of New York, was in Plainfield yesterday on business.

Miss Sarah Schuyler, of LaGrande avenue, has gone to Bernard College.

J. F. McIntyre, of Somerville, is in Plainfield for a few days on business.

Miss Louella Mills spent Sunday and Monday with friends in Brooklyn.

William Lawton, of South Plainfield, has returned from a visit with friends in New York.

Miss Lulu Randolph, of West Eighth street, is able to be out again after a short illness.

Mrs. Wilbur W. F. Randolph, of Duer street, is visiting relatives at Auburn, N. Y.

Mr. Bradley and family, of Brooklyn, have taken up their residence on East Sixth street.

Wm. Richards, of Somerville, who has been visiting Plainfield friends, has returned home.

James Daly, driver of Gazelle engine, had a day off yesterday. Harry Bush took his place.

Lawyer William Newcorn, of West Front street, has returned from an out of-town business trip.

Mrs. Charles Drew, of New London, Conn., is the guest of her brother-in law, Alfred Drew, of West Front street.

The ordination of Rev. Louis Walz of LaGrande avenue, will take place this evening in the Crescent Avenue church.

Clarence L. Murphy, of Murphy & Blatz, attended the session of the Union County Court at Elizabeth yesterday.

Miss Grace E. Overton, of Rockview avenue, leaves tomorrow for Boston to attend the Emerson College of Oratory.

J. A. H. Hasbrouck and family, of Grove street, moved yesterday to Brooklyn, where they will reside in the future.

Ex-Councilman V. L. Frazee, of West End Park, has so far recovered from his recent illness that he is able to be out again.

Gen. Eli Long and family have returned to their home on Grove street, after spending the summer at Patchogue, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Pond have arrived at their home on Washington avenue after spending a few days with friends in New York.

Clarence Brouard, who recently lost two fingers and a thumb at the Pond Tool Works, is getting along nicely, and his hand is healing rapidly.

Miss Mary Gould, who is spending the summer at Hyde Manor, Sudbury, Vt., is expected to arrive at her home on Rockview avenue next week.

Patrolman William Mattox returned last evening from Trenton where he attended the annual meeting of the Patrolmen's Benevolent Association.

A. W. Haviland and family are expected to return to their home on Rockview avenue today, after summering at the Hill Country Club, Garrisons-on the Hudson.

Vincent W. Nash, Jr., is now attending the law department of the New York University. He is spending his spare time in studying in the offices of Murphy & Blatz.

William E. Eldridge, of the Eldridge Bicycle Company, was in Plainfield yesterday and was the guest of his representative in this city, Thomas A. Cuming, of Putnam avenue.

Rev. C. E. Herring, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, entertained a few young men from his church at his home Monday evening. Sociability, music and refreshments helped to pass away a pleasant time.

Mrs. Agnes Pangborne, of Jackson avenue, is spending a week with her daughter, Mrs. F. M. Slater, at Great Neck, N. Y., where Mr. Slater and family expect to remain until spring. They were formerly residents of Jackson avenue.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they do is tenfold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by druggists, price 75c per bottle.

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ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Additional locals on page 3.

—A meeting of the Women's Association of the Congregational church will be held tomorrow afternoon.

—Begin to think about your fall underwear and buy some of those fine soft merino goods at Peck's.

—Those that haven't seen the "contented woman," can see her any day leaving Willett's with her winter shoes on.

—Services connected with the ordination of E. L. Walz, Jr., will be held at the Crescent Avenue church this evening.

—The Y. M. C. A. class in mechanical drawing held its first meeting Monday night, and enrolled twenty-five members.

—The building at the corner of Park avenue and Second street, owned by G. F. Randolph, of West End Park, is about to be painted.

—The quarterly conference will be held this evening in Grace M. E. church. Presiding Elder G. W. Smith will be in charge.

—The regular meeting of the Young Ladies' Mission Circle of the Crescent Avenue church was held yesterday afternoon in the church parlors.

—Next Tuesday evening Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., will hold a camp fire in their rooms at which time an excellent programme will be presented.

—A number of excellent photographs have been taken of the children's camp on the mountains, which is under the charge of the King's Daughters, of Plainfield.

—Charles McMichael and Bill Smith were hollering at Somerville yesterday for Fred P. Olcott's sale, which is to take place on the 16th of the present month at Round Top, Bernardsville, Somerset county.

—The recent action of Councilman Rogers, of the borough, in securing an accounting of all electric lights in that locality, is worthy of emulation. By so doing Mr. Rogers saved for the borough a few dollars.

—A programme of unusual merit will be presented at the tenth anniversary of Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O U. A. M., to be held this evening in Washington Hall. Somerset Council, of the borough, has accepted an invitation to be present.

SIDEWALK DELINQUENTS.

Boroughites Who Did Not Comply With Official Notices.

The following is the list of borough property owners who have failed to comply with the order to lay sidewalks, and which work will now be done by the borough:

Albert Demarest, F. L. C. Martin, A. D. Thompson, J. D. Runyon, on Fairview avenue; Louise Jennings, Jenette Wilson John Daly, Anne Powers, P. M. French, on Grove street; Ed. M. Johnson, E. E. Winckler, H. K. Carroll, on Westervelt avenue; estate Charles Day, Emily A. VanNess, on Duer street; A. J. Winckler, on Park place; T. H. Day, Catherine Harris, A. Jimerson, W. Drake, Bridget Utzinger, on Jackson avenue; H. Eggerding, Jacob Voehl, H. N Spencer, John Spencer, Elizabeth Allen, Thomas and Anna Newman, George Saffron, W. R. Codington, Sarah A. Vail, George Collins, Margaret McDonald, May Cooper, D. N. Watkins, L. M. French, Andrew Lutkins, on Harmony street; J. A. Blatz, J. B. Bovey, Harry Morrison, George Winans, on Somerset street; H. N. Spencer, W. A. Coddington, Caroline Wise, Margaret Adams, Kate Leland, John Daly, on Grandview avenue; George Linnett, on Manning avenue; J. W. Stewart, Mary Jaggers, on Lincoln place; A. J. Winckler A. Rupert. E. McCullough, Richard McCullough, estate J. Steiner, Wm. Kiernan, on Steiner place; Margaret McDonald, Louise Verdon, L. C. Benedict, E. B. Hindree, A. Nelson, M. McElroy, R. R. Fairchild, L. A. Coddington, S. W. VanHorn, estate George Benedict, W. W. Mills, Thomas E. Curran, Elizabeth Mills, J. Stephany, John McCann, W. H. Bohl, J. D. Runyon, Margaret McLoughlin, Chas. Hummer, George DeMeza, George Hummer, Charles Hummer, Catherine Ruppert, Alfred Winans, John Bodenheimer, on Stone street; P. M. French, Benjamin Elliott, estate W. Heideloff, estate Moses French, Elias Bird, F. Scheelein, M. Feller, Jane Boe, Mary Davenport, Alex. Shotwell, on Pearl street; Matilda Coddington, Mary J. Radway, Susan B. Martin, E. A. Frick, Ira Mundy, Elizabeth Schorb, on Grove street; Sarah A. Case, Thos. Finney, H. Nitchwitz, Fred Bird, R. Rider, on Manning avenue; James H. Pope, E. E. and J. H. Pope, Lena Hoerster, F. Bechtle, John Dunning, Martha Barnes, on Duer street; Board of Education, on Vine street; estate M. Taylor, D. L. Thompson, on Rock view terrace; Wm. Campbell, on Craig place, and Hannah VanDeventer, on Washington avenue.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. John M. Crane, of West Eighth street, has returned from a visit to Boston.

Mrs. Holly and Miss Holly, of 220 East Front street, are visiting friends in Albany, N. Y.

Miss Catherine Webster, of East Second street, has returned from a trip to California.

Jacob Mattison, of Three Bridges, is spending the week with B. R. Waldron, of Coddington avenue.

Ashland Horton has returned to his home in Tarrytown, N. Y., after spending several days with Albert Demarest, of the Jackson flats.

A. A. Cannon, of the Swift Beef Company, has returned from a trip to Clinton, Mass., where he went to attend the funeral of his father.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Clarke, of New York city and formerly of this place, was made happy on Sunday by the arrival of a young daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Stratton, of East Third street, went to Yonkers yesterday morning to attend a large demonstration of the Daughters of Liberty, after which they will spend several days with friends.

Among the prominent Plainfield families who have been away for the summer and have returned within a fortnight from sea and mountain are the following: Former Mayor Gilbert's, of West Eighth street, Former Mayor W. L. Saunders', of Mercer avenue, W. J. Roome's, of Sycamore avenue, George Warton Edwards', of Franklin place, and Oliver B. Leonard's, of Madison avenue.

MUSIC HALL.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY EVENING, OCT. 8th and 9th. MATINEES FRIDAY and SATURDAY.

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Linen Collar Canvas, white, black, tan	19c yd
Fine Crinoline, white, black, slate	5c, 10c yd
Paper Muslin, yard wide, all colors	7c yd
Genuine Hair Cloth, black or gray	25c yd
Taffetta Skirt Lining, yard wide	10c, 15c yd
French Cambric Waist Lining	10c, 12c, 15c, 18c, 25c yd
Double Faced Waist Lining	13c, 15c, 18c, 25c yd
Double Skirt Belting, shaped ready for use	10c yd
Special lot Rustle Skirt Lining	7c yd
Patent Hump Hooks and Eyes, white or black	3c card
Best 100 yard Spool Silk, black and colors,	7c spool
Pure Rubber Lined Dress Shields	10c pair
Dress Stays, Japanned or silvered	5c doz
200 yard Machine Cotton, white or black	2c spool
Handsome new patterns of Fall Flanneletts	10c yd
Extra good quality of new Outing Flannel	7c yd
The best unlaundered Shirt in the State	50c each
Extra quality double width Table Felt	48c to 65c yd
All Linen Dish Toweling	5c, 7c, 8c, 9c, 10c, 12c, 15c yd

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Miss Sadie Eganey is visiting friends in Brooklyn.

Samuel VanArsdale has entirely recovered from his recent illness.

Miss S. Louise Gray is entertaining Miss Bessie Benton, of New York.

Barney Boyle, of Mulberry Grove, Ill., is visiting his mother, Mrs. Thomas Boyle.

Mrs. G. A. Dickson and family are visiting relatives at Flanders for a time.

Miss Conklin, of Plainfield, spent yesterday with relatives in the borough.

Miss Giles, of Park avenue, Plainfield, called on friends at New Market yesterday.

Fred Sandford, of North Plainfield, was the guest of borough relatives yesterday.

Miss Gibson has gone to Liberty Corner where she will make her home in the future.

Rev. and Mrs. L. E. Livermore, of Plainfield, have been visiting friends in New Market.

Miss Saxton and Miss Coriell, of Plainfield, were the guests of borough friends yesterday.

Harry Apgar, who fractured his wrist last week while playing football, is greatly improved.

Mr. Stewart's new $5,000 house is nearing completion and will soon be ready for occupancy.

Eugene Runyon is visiting friends in Lakewood. He is expected to return home tomorrow.

At the meeting of the Jr. O. U. A. M. last evening several propositions for membership were received.

This afternoon the Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church are holding a meeting at the home of Mrs. Vail.

Paxson VanArsdale, the borough blacksmith, has not recovered from his long and tedious illness and is still unable to go to work.

Isaac Stites, delegate to the State convention of Foresters, will make a report at the meeting of the local lodge to be held tomorrow evening.

Miss Virgie Tunison is the guest of friends at Flanders. From there she will go to Glen Gardner, where she will spend a short time with her parents.

Two Plainfield young women, ardent cyclists, have for some time been trying for a record. A few days ago they rode from Plainfield to the borough in eight minutes. This is considered very good.

Justice Storms, of New Market, has issued summons in the cases of W. H. Cole against George Huff, on contract, returnable October 11th; Ballantine & VanFleet against Carl Heimerle, on contract, October 12th; F. R. Meserole against Lola Earle, on contract, October 11th. In the case of J. Liddle & Sons against W. V. Carpenter, judgment was given the plaintiff and execution issued. Just at present Justice Storms is kept very busy with the number of cases that are brought to him.

The small boys of the borough were a little ahead of themselves last Monday evening when they called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George V. T. Schenck, for the purpose of serenading them. It so happened that the bride and groom had not returned at the time from their wedding trip, and the crowd was about three hours ahead of time. They built a large bonfire and performed all of their feats before time, and when the bride and groom returned they were allowed to come undisturbed.

SCOTCH PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

H. A. Lynde, of Westfield, was in town yesterday.

The Knights of Pythias will meet tomorrow night.

The Board of Education of Fanwood township held a meeting last evening.

William Lee and Edward Donavan went crabbing to Radleys Grove yesterday.

Chief Police Grant and Sergeant Kiely paid a visit to Scotch Plains yesterday.

George Cull, formerly principal of the Scotch Plains Public School, visited here yesterday.

A number of extra hands have been engaged at Smith's greenhouses, and the men are stopping at Lee's hotel.

A party of Scotch Plains young people will attend the dance to be given by Franklin Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., of Plainfield, tonight.

Frank Allen, of Scotch Plains, was attacked by a mad dog while unhitching his horse in the barnyard yesterday morning. The animal, which was quite small, made a spring at Allen as he alighted from his wagon. He kept the dog at a distance until help arrived, when it was killed by a blow with a club. Before breathing its last the animal bit one of Allen's chickens.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

—Constable Amos Moffett has received his appointment as court constable at Elizabeth, and is now in attendance at the county court.

—The annual meeting of the Plainfield Yale Club for the election of officers and other business will be held at Y. M. C. A. Hall on Tuesday evening.

WESTFIELD

EDUCATIONAL MATTERS.

WESTFIELD SCHOOL TRUSTEES MEET AND ORDER IMPROVEMENTS.

Lincoln Fife and Drum Corps Reorganizes—Junior Football Team—Funeral of Charles Hanan—Other Items of Interest.

The Westfield Board of Education held a meeting in the Prospect Street School last evening. Trustees Clark and Schoonover were absent. District Clerk Coger read the financial report, showing bills payable amounting to $197.76, and cash on hand, $127 23. The committee on teachers reported the resignation of Miss Wood from the High School, and the appointment of Miss Peck to fill the vacancy at a salary of $700. The district clerk was authorized to secure a loan of $1,200 for three months, to provide for the payment of teachers' salaries.

At a meeting held at the residence of Charles Foster, on Broad street, Monday night, the Westfield Junior football team was organized with Hall A Light as captain and William Goltra as manager. A game is being arranged for Saturday with the Battin High School team, of Elizabeth.

The funeral services of Charles Hanan, the two-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. James Hanan, who was burned to death on Monday evening, were held at the house on Elmer street this morning at 10 o'clock, Rev. Father Smith, of Holy Trinity church, officiating.

The Lincoln Drum and Fife Corps, held a reorganization meeting at the residence of D C. Peek, last evening. After the meeting the members held a practice. The corps will lead the fire department in its annual drill and inspection next Wednesday.

Clifford Gilbert, head salesman for the Falcon Packing Company, left yesterday for a three months' business trip through the western and southern states.

The Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church will meet in the lecture room at 3:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

Frederick Smith and Russel Wilcox captured and killed a ten-pound opossum on Grove street Sunday afternoon.

Chauncey K. Pennington, of New York city, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Pennington, of Broad street.

The case of A. M. Griffin against A. L. Jimmerson, on contract, was set for trial in Justice Collins' court, today.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Baptist church will meet in the church parlors this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

A party of Westfield people went to Elizabeth last night to witness the production of "Secret Service."

The teachers of the Baptist Sunday-school will hold a meeting in the church tonight at 9 o'clock.

The Westfield Junior football team will play the Dunellen Juniors at Dunellen, next Saturday.

Mrs. F. E. Ernst, of Mountain avenue, has returned from a visit with friends in Brooklyn.

Mrs. R. M. Mills, of Central avenue, has returned from Connecticut.

Willard W. C. T. U. held a business meeting yesterday.

Westfield Lodge, No. 169, I. O. O. F., meets tonight.

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In Memory of Mrs. Mary M. Dunlap, Who Died Sept. 19th, 1897.

We miss thee from our home, dear mother,
We miss thee from thy place.
A shadow o'er our life is cast,
We miss the sunshine of thy face.
We miss thy kind and willing hand,
Thy fond and earnest care.
Our home is dark without thee,
We miss thee everywhere.

Oh, mother, thy gentle voice is hushed,
Thy warm, true heart is still;
And on thy pale and peaceful face
Is resting death's cold chill.
Thy hands are clasped upon thy breast,
We have kissed thy marble brow,
And in our aching hearts we know
We have no mother now.

A Friend.

THEATRICAL.

Every now and again New York gets excited and half crazy over some pretty woman or batch of pretty women. Female beauty catches it every time and sets talking and rushing in the direction of the collection of pulchritude. No pretty women, though, have ever made a sensation in the metropolis like that created by the small army of diamond-eyed, dewy-lipped Gaiety girls that is now on view at the Knickerbocker Theatre in the successful English musical farce "In Town." They are not only pretty, soul-satisfying and eye-filling, but they are talented girls besides and their songs and dances given with the easy grace and pleasing refinement acquirable only in the Gaiety School of burlesque acting are as potent factors in the tremendous success of "In Town" as are their good looks. The Knickerbocker Theatre has been thronged every night for the past two months—ever since the London fair ones made their first appearance there—and the triump which "In Town" is making is far greater than ever that achieved by the "The Gaiety Girl" two years ago.

Music Hall, Thursday night, offers it's patrons one of the cleanest, brightest, most exciting comedy-dramas that is on the stage today. There is not a dull moment, a slow line or a weak spot in the whole performance. The company selected by A. Q. Scammon is in every way as up-to-date as the play, and the costumes and work of this able company deserves the unstinted praise they everywhere receive.

Local sports, whose finances would not permit them to witness the fight at Carson City last March, will have an opportunity of seeing the contest, as reproduced by the veriscope, at Stillman Music Hall, on Friday and Saturday. The pictures are the same as were seen at the Academy of Music, New York, some time ago. Four exhibitions will be given, including two matinees. Prices 25, 35 and 50c.

GAVE A EUCHRE PARTY.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles R. Thiers Entertained Friends Pleasantly.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles R. Thiers gave a euchre party to a number of friends at their charming home on Grove street last evening. Most of the evening was spent at euchre in which Miss Adelaide Ball and Percy Long were the winners of the first prizes. Dancing, music and refreshments followed. Among the guests were the Misses Alice Barlow, Grace Barlow Grace E. Overton, Katheryn Overton, Sarah Long, Margaret Long, Laura Long, Adelaide Ball and Marie Dryden; Percy Long, Allan E. Laing, Dr. Jones, A. Willis West and William J. R. Thiers.

Mothers Praise Hood's Sarsaparilla, because, by its great blood enriching qualities, it gives rosy cheeks and vigorous appetites to pale and puny children.

Hood's Pills are the favorite family cathartic and liver medicine. Price 25c.

Editor Frank W. Runyon, of The News, has so far recovered from his recent sickness that he hopes to be able to go out for the first time this week.

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Corporation Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the following Ordinance has been introduced before the Common Council, read the second time and ordered engrossed preparatory to its third reading, and that it is the intention of the Council to adopt the same.

J. T. MACMURRAY, City Clerk.
Plainfield, N. J., Oct. 4, 1897.

AN ORDINANCE

authorizing the Central Railroad Company of New Jersey to lay down and maintain a Siding or Turnout across North avenue and to run and operate engines and cars thereon.

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That the Central Railroad Company of New Jersey be, and they are hereby authorized and empowered to lay down, construct and maintain, one railroad track across North avenue in the City of Plainfield, and to run and operate railroad engines and cars on and over said railroad track across said North avenue, and that such authorization is granted upon the following terms and condition.

A. That the point where such single railroad track shall cross said North avenue shall be between lands of said Railroad Company on the South side and lands of Charles H. Leonard on the North side of said North avenue and not nearer than fifty (50) feet to Berckman street and not father from said Berckman street than two hundred and fifty (250) feet.

B. That said single railroad track shall be laid and maintained, as nearly as possible, at right angles to said North avenue.

C. That said single railroad track shall be so laid and maintained that the top of the rails shall be on a level with said avenue.

D. That for one foot on the outside of the rails, and between the rails, the said Company shall lay and maintain in good order on a level with the rails, planking, so that the crossing of said railroad track by vehicles shall be easy and convenient, such planking to extend a width equal to three-fifths of the carriage or driveway of said avenue. That the roadway of said North avenue, adjacent to to said crossing, be continually maintained on a level with said planks, and that the planks shall be renewed when, in the opinion of the Street Commissioner, it is necessary.

E. That said Railroad Company in the laying down and maintenance of said single railroad track shall make such culverts or drains, or both, on the gutter lines of the avenue to pass the surface water flowing in said gutters as shall be required by the Street Commissioner of said City.

F. That said Railroad Company shall erect a sign or signal post on one side of said railroad track on the curb line, to be lettered "Railroad Crossing. Look out for the Locomotive."

G. That said Railroad Company shall cause every engine, car, cars, engine and car or cars, which shall be moved across said avenue to be preceded in the going direction of said cars or engines by a flagman to warn persons traveling upon said avenue of the approach of said cars or engines, and no cars or engines shall be moved at a greater speed than such person can walk.

H. That the authorization above granted shall be terminable on thirty days' notice by a resolution of the Common Council to that effect, served on said Railroad Company, and in such case said Railroad Company shall forthwith remove all tracks and rails from said avenue and restore the said avenue to the condition in which it now is.

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Cases of woman and children a specialty.
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Calls promptly attended to. Moses N. Terrill, Mgr.

DIED.

MARTINE—In this city, on Tuesday, October 5, 1897, A. Kate Martine, daughter of the late Daniel and Anna Maria Martine.
Funeral service at her late residence, "Cedar Brook," Watchung avenue, on Thursday, October 7, at 2:30 p. m.

MARRIED.

WILLETT—DUNN—In Plainfield, N. J., Oct 5th, 1897, by Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph.D., Mr. Alfred K. Willett, and Miss Sarah Elizabeth Dunn, both of this city.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

FIRST-CLASS help and first class places at the Swedish intelligence office, 23 Somerset place. s 23 tf

FOR SALE or to let, (bakery) store and dwelling with stable, 120 West Fourth street. Mulford, broker. 6 16 tf-w s

FOR SALE or to let, store and dwelling house connected, barn on property. 214 Richmond street. 9 22 eod tf

SWEDISH girl wants position as second girl or general housework. Call 413 Spooner avenue. 10 6 2

YOUNG man wants situation of any kind; has had four years' experience as grocery clerk. Address A. M. Lisk, Mattawan, N. J. 10 6 4

WANTED—In a private family, an unmarried woman who desires a home for the winter, to assist in the care of lady in poor health. In answering give age and reference. If any experience in nursing also state it. Address Invalid, care Press. 10 6 3

FIVE room house to let for small family. Apply 211 New street. 10 6 3

FOR SALE—Coupe rockaway in first-class condition. May be seen at 531 West Seventh street.

WOULD the Swedish girl that called at 40 Westervelt avenue, Wednesday morning, please call again. 10 6 2

WANTED—Good girl for general housework; personal reference required. 330 East Fifth street.

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We sell goods cheaper than all other stores.

AT WHITE'S

Ready For Fall.

Masterful buying marks the many new lots of Fall merchandise. The trade side has already set our way. You know our policy—goods right, prices right and money back if you want it. ASK FOR

Premium Coupons.

A Bargain

BULLETIN. Items from different parts of the store. While the lots last we sell at the prices advertised.

10-4 Cotton Blankets....49c pair
Fine Comfortables, white cotton filled....98c
Chenille door mats....49c
Cocoa mats....39c each
Gloria Silk Umbrellas....69c each
Turkish Towels....7c each
All-linen Crash....6c yard
Ladies' ribbed Pants and Vests....25c each

Kid Gloves.

Our kid glove stock fully merits all the complimentary things said about it, although the increased tariff makes a difference of twenty-five per cent advance on kid gloves, we still sell our celebrated P. L. gloves for $1.00. We guarantee every pair—all colors, both button, clasp and hook.

SPECIAL.—100 dozen two clasp Kid Gloves, slightly imperfect, imported to sell for $1.25. Our price....59 cents

The Busy

GARMENT ROOM. The made-up product of the best makers are well represented here. Many kinds and each the best of its kind. Jackets Capes and Skirts.

Silks.

Just items and prices, they talk stronger than columns of chat. Worthy silks at these prices are not found everywhere.

36-in Lining Silk, all colors....37c yard
Beautiful Waist Silk, all colors....69c yard

Black Dress Goods.

We have put on sale our new Fall black goods, and a most satisfactory lot of merchandise it is.

54-in Ladies' cloth....49c yd
50-in Granite cloth....49c yd
50-in Boucle cloth....69c yd
50-in extra fine Diagonal....69c yd
40 in black Henrietta....37c yd

Children's Underwear

PANTS AND VESTS.

A most fortunate purchase early in the season helps us to sell underwear of fine quality at very small prices. Natural wool vests and pants.

Size....16 18 20 22 24 26 28 30 32 34
Price....10 12 15 18 22 24 27 30 32 32cents

Best hot water bags....49 cents
Fine toilet soaps....15c dozen
Best prints....5c yard
Heavy Canton Flannel....6c yard
Heavy Dormet Flannel....5c yard
Ladies' and Misses' Bicycle Hose....35c pair

SPECIAL NOTICE!

We have just received our new

Fall Suitings and Trouserings.

Trousers to order, $5, $6 and $7.

Business Suits to order, $15 and $20.

SEBRING'S, 202 West Front Street.

J. D. SPICER, 125 W. 5th St. SPICER & HUBBARD. J. A. HUBBARD, 109 W. 5th St.
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DOORS. A full assortment of stock doors on hand, and Special Kinds Made to order.
BLINDS. All the ordinary sizes in stock. Old Blinds Repaired, Painted if desired.
FRAMES. Window and Door Frames Made to Order. Jambs, Casings and Stops in stock for sale.
GLASS. Full Stock and Large Assortment, Plain and Colored. Broken Lights Replaced.

Hardwood Flooring, kiln dried and first-class. Tie-Posts. Line-Posts and Line-Props. Turning and Scroll-sawing.

FOR SALE—Grandfather's clock, perfect time-keeper, in perfect order; mahogany case. Moraller's, 207 Park avenue. 10 4 6

DESIRABLE house, low rental, improved. 235 East Sixth street. Call, 231. 9 10 tf

SEPARATE storage rooms with plastered walls; also offices and single rooms in Stillman block. 9 27 12

NEWLY furnished rooms, modern conveniences; front parlor, excellent table. 426 East Second street. 10 4 6

FOR SALE—Lots corner Sixth and New streets. Enquire 520 Central avenue. 10 5 2

BOYS, LOOK!—Well-broken large goat, harness and cart for sale cheap, or exchange for laying hens. Lock box 750. 10 5 2

TO LET—Cheap. New six-room house, just completed, on Johnston avenue, near Scott's Works. Apply Intelligence Office, 407 Watchung avenue. 10 5 6

LARGE handsome second and third story rooms, reasonable board. 132 Crescent avenue. 10 5 6

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In the big realistic Comedy Production

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Illustrating the funny side of life on the rail.
The Funniest Railroad Scene Ever Presented.
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Advertised Letters.

Plainfield, N. J., Oct. 4, '97.

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Allen A S "	Miller Herman Mr 3
Bergen Theo Mrs	Pound E
Bill R S Miss	Rodgers G Mrs
Bluntack Sam'l Mr	Rowlands J D Mrs
Bernard C "	Stamad Sarah Miss
Crossely Theo Mrs	Skense Mary "
Cundy J S "	Sullivan Nellie "
Eye E F Miss	Smith Lottie "
Footit Jos Mrs	" Benj Mr
Ferguson Julia Mrs 4	Stewart John Mrs
Hooker J H Mr	Ward A A "
Mason Jas K Mrs	Wate s S "
	Weeks A Mrs

VIRGINIA REPUBLICANS.

Patrick McCaull Nominated for Governor—Fair Election Demanded.

Richmond, Va., Oct. 6.—At the Republican State convention, in Lynchburg, yesterday, Jacob Yost, permanent chairman, said the Republicans in the State would compel an honest election law, and would be ready to put down fraud both in their own ranks and those of the Democrats. The committee passed resolutions reaffirming the allegiance of the Virginia Republicans to the national Republican party, and indorsed the St. Louis platform, and demanded fair State elections.

The convention nominated Gov. Patrick McCaull, of Culpepper, formerly collector of internal revenue of the Western District of Virginia, and a defeated candidate for Congress from the Seventh District in 1896. The other names before the convention were Capt. Warren S. Lurty, of Harrisonburg, and Col. William Lamb, ex-State chairman. William F. Wickham, of Lenover, was nominated for State chairman. Both nominations were accepted.

O. F. Roller, of Rockingham, was nominated for Lieutenant-Governor and James Lyons, of Richmond, for Attorney-General. The latter bolted the Democratic party and joined the Republicans when Bryan was nominated for President.

BANK OF SPAIN REVOLTS.

The Committee Refuses to Advance More Money on Cuban Account.

(Cable Dispatch to The New York Sun.)

London, Oct. 6.—A dispatch from Madrid to the Central News says that serious difficulty has arisen between the Ministry and the Bank of Spain. Application was made to the bank for 50,000,000 pesetas on account of the Cuban administration.

The committee of the bank held a meeting to consider the application and virtually refused to advance the money. Thereupon Senor Salvador, the new governor of the bank, demanded that the committee resign.

Governor of the Bank of Spain.

Madrid, Oct. 6.—The new Cabinet has appointed Senor Amos Salvador, who was Minister of Finance in Sagasta's last Ministry, to be Governor of the Bank of Spain.

Unfinished Hotel Collapses.

Charlevoix, Mich., Oct. 6. — The Charlevoix Inn, now in course of construction here by the Charlevoix Improvement Company, collapsed late Tuesday afternoon in a gale of wind, burying fifty workmen in the ruins of the structure, 400 feet long. Work had progressed so far that workmen were roofing in the structure, while lathers and plasterers were at work on the first and second floors. The structure was the largest of any Summer resort in northern Michigan, and the collapse was caused by the strong wind and the inadequate support of the second story, the contractor having neglected to brace and finish the substructure before beginning on the roof. Fifty men were buried beneath the wreck.

Barrios and His Enemies.

San Francisco, Oct. 6.—Mariano Lopez, an exile from Guatemala, and one of the wealthiest men of that country, on whose head a price has been set by Barrios, arrived in San Francisco yesterday from Paris. Lopez has been in communication with the insurgents since the capture of San Marcos. Last night he received a cablegram from the insurgent camp, saying that a decisive battle would begin during the night. The forces of Morales are intrenched near Cochan and Tierra Blanca, within thirty leagues of the city of Guatemala. It was understood that Barrios was in Chiguimula, where another insurrection has begun.

The Salvation Captain Set Free.

Trenton, N. J., Oct. 6.—Half a dozen different persons called on Justice Jackson yesterday to pay the $10 fine imposed on Capt. Herdman, of the Salvation Army, who was sent to the County Farm yesterday for obstructing the streets. The Rev. Messrs. Brooks, Boswell and Shaw paid the fine, and an order was issued for Capt. Herdman's release. The arrest has created considerable adverse comment here, and a movement is on foot to have tested the right of the police authorities to interfere with the Salvationists when carrying on their services without blockading the street.

Killed by Escaping Gas.

Reading, Pa., Oct. 6.—A strong odor of gas in an upper corridor in the Hotel Penn attracted attention to one of the bedrooms yesterday afternoon. The door was forced and a dead man found in bed, undressed, with a full head of gas turned on. The man had registered as Alexander Levy, New York City, and had retired early on Monday evening. Coroner Griesemer said that Levy was a salesman for Schleissner & Co., 793 Broadway, New York, dealers in braids and laces. He had $10.32 in his pockets, no baggage or checks, but a sample book of laces and braids. The man was about 35 years old, and it is probable lived on Oxford street, Philadelphia.

Michael Will Try the Record Again.

New York, Oct. 6.—Jimmy Michael has decided to make an attempt to reduce the world's records from one mile to one hour. Impressed with the speed qualifications of the Willow Grove track, outside of Philadelphia, he has signed an agreement to make his second trial on that track on Saturday, Oct. 9. Michael will have the best pacing crews available for his trial, and in the event of a successful ride is to receive $2,000. In recent rides Michael has easily reduced world's record figures, and it is expected that, with favorable conditions, on Saturday he will create new times for all distances from one mile to one hour.

Mine Explosion Kills Three Men.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Oct. 6.—A terrific explosion of gas occurred in No. 2 shaft of the Paris Coal Company's mine at Plymouth yesterday afternoon, by which three men lost their lives. They were Isaac Edmunds, aged 65 years; George Eddy, aged 22 years; Louis Richards, aged 32 years. A door in one of the passageways had been left open and gas in large quantities found its way to the place where the men were working. The lamps the men carried ignited the gas.

MRS. HARRIET BEECHER STOWE.

Her Personal Appearance Was Not Faithfully Shown by Her Pictures.

Mrs. James T. Field says, in an article in the Atlantic, that Mrs. Stowe's personal appearance has received scant justice and no mercy at the hands of the photographer. She says herself during her triumphal visit to England after the publication of "Uncle Tom:" The general topic of remark on meeting me seems to be that I am not so bad looking as they were afraid I was; and I do assure you, when I have seen the things that are put up in the shop windows here with my name under them. I have been lost in wondering imagination at the boundless loving kindness of my English and Scottish friends in keeping up such a warm heart for such a gorgon. I should think that the sphinx in the London Museum might have sat for most of them. I am going to make a collection of these portraits to bring home to you. There is a great variety of them, and they will be useful, like the Irishman's guideboard, which showed 'where the road did not go.'"

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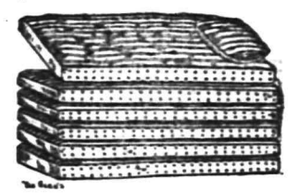

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Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 7 58, 8 00, 8 30, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 56, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 9 15, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday, 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 10, 11 16 a. m.; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 22 p. m.

Leave New York, foot Liberty street, at 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00 a. m; 12 00 m., (12 45 and 1 00 Saturdays only) 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, (5 15 except Saturdays) 5 30, 5 45, (6 00 except Saturdays) 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 9 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45 p. m.; 12 15, 1 00 night. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00, 9 00, 9 15 a. m.; 12 m.; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00 p. m.; 12 15 night; 1 00 a. m.

Leave New York from Whitehall street at 7 00, 7 55, 8 25, 8 55, 9 55, 11 55 a. m., (12 45 Saturdays only) 1 00, 1 25, 2 25, 3 25, 3 55, 4 25, 4 55, 5 25 (5 55 except Saturdays) 6 25, 6 55, 7 50, 8 25, 9 10, 9 55, 11 30 p. m., 12 10 night. Sundays—At 7 00, 8 55 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 2 30, 3 55, 5 25, 6 55, 7 25, 8 25, 9 50 p. m., 12 10 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 50, 8 00, 8 23, 8 48, 9 23, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 01, 52, 10 08, 11 16 a. m.; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 18, 7 55, 8 38, 9 03, 10 05 a. m.; 12 10, 1 15, 1 35, 2 35, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 25, 6 42, 6 18, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 05 p. m. Sunday, 7 15, 9 05, 9 30, 10 35 a. m.; 1 10, 1 35, 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 20, 10 20 p. m.

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PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a.m 1 01, (1 40, Saturdays only) 2 11, 2 32, 3 35, 4 36 5 08, 5 15, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 16, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p. m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 06, 9 55, a. m; 2 03, 3 39, 6 35, 8 30, 10 15, 11 14 p. m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35 8 05, 9 02, 9 48, 11 45, a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05 3 25, 4 25, 5 28, 6 08, 6 40, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05 p. m Sunday at 9 25, 9 45, 10 45 a. m; 12 05, 1 20, 5 15, 6 35, 7 53, 8 05, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a. m., 1 01, 2 11, 4 55, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m, Sunday at 5 45, 8 06 a. m; 2 03 6 35 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a. m; 12 32, 4 04, 7 00, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 52 a. m; 6 30 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield 9 54 a. m; 5 03, 5 15 p. m

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Mantcoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, & c with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

1 01 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for station on D., L. & W. R. R.

2 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, MauchChunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

4 55 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Scranton, Wilkesbarre, Tamaqua, Shamokin, (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

5 15 and 5 15 p. m., way or Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 38 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 06 a. m. Sundays for Easton.

7 40 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

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MANY FOREST FIRES.

Hundreds of Acres Burned Over in Illinois—Smoke Over Lake Michigan.

Chicago, Ill., Oct. 5.—Extremely hot weather for the month of October is now prevailing in this section. Dense smoke aggravates the conditions.

On account of drought the last two months everything is as dry as tinder, and forest and prairie fires are numerous. Lake Michigan has been almost unnavigable on account of the smoke and fog. Captains of incoming vessels report a most alarming state of affairs. Boats picking their way through the Straits of Mackinaw were particularly hampered. Landmarks were utterly obliterated and lights rendered indistinct at a distance of the length of the steamer. The smoke was attributed to excessive forest fires. Hunting parties careless in their camping are thought to have started the conflagrations. Marine underwriters are apprehensive of numerous strandings on account of smoke, and bulletins from the lower end of the lakes are watched for with great anxiety.

Chicago's southern wards and suburbs are surrounded by prairie fires, and dense smoke overhangs a large part of the territory lying south of Seventy-fifth street. Hundreds of acres of prairie have been burned over and thousands of feet of sidewalks and fencing consumed. Firemen in this division of the city are completely exhausted fighting prairie fires by day and night. Most of the fires are started by sparks from locomotives, and not infrequently by mischievous boys, who set the grass on fire for the excitement.

A dispatch from Bremen, Ind., says the most disastrous prairie fire known in the history of Marshall County is now raging. Hundreds of acres of land in the northern portion of the county, comprising what is locally known as the "Big Marsh," is a vast smouldering waste. At times, when fanned by a breeze, the heat bursts into a blaze, and, darting across clover fields, corn fields or meadows, lays waste everything in its path, only stopping when headed off by plowed fields or highways. The drought for the last sixty days has made the pastures brown, compelling flocks to seek the lowlands for grazing, where the fire is smouldering underneath. Many instances are reported where cattle, in passing over the treacherous ground, have broken through into the burning peat and perished.

Farmers are kept busy day and night fighting the flames and preventing destruction of their homes, but the lack of water makes the battle almost hopeless. Just west of Walkerton more than one thousand acres have been swept of every vestige of vegetation, many thousands of tons of hay and miles of fences having been consumed. With fire on every side, great anxiety is being felt for the safety of towns without fire protection. Nothing short of a drenching rain can possibly check the progress of the flames.

LANGTRY GOES INSANE.

Former Husband of the "Jersey Lily" Sent to an Asylum.

London, Oct. 6.—Edward Langtry, whom Mrs. Lily Langtry recently divorced, has been sent to an asylum for the insane.

Mr. Langtry was found walking, apparently dazed, on a railroad track near Chester. He could give no account of himself.

Mrs. Langtry is said to have been married privately to Prince Paul Esterhazy.

Edward Langtry was born in Ireland. He first came before the public in 1876, when he married Emily Charlotte Le Breton on the Isle of Jersey. She was the daughter of a clergyman. He was quite wealthy in those days, and Lily Le Breton was sincerely congratulated by her friends. Soon after the marriage she made a great sensation in society by her beauty, and the Prince of Wales became one of her most sincere admirers. She then separated from her husband.

BASE BALL FIELD.

Baltimore Takes the Second Game of the Temple Cup Series.

Boston, Oct. 6.—Baltimore turned the tables in Boston yesterday in a lively game full of hard hitting, sharp fielding and fast work on the bases. It was in sharp contrast to the slovenly game of Monday and the six thousand rooters went home satisfied that they had seen one of the fastest games of the year, though their favorites lost. The day was clear and bright, just the day for a batting contest. Klobedanz, Stivetts and Corbett, all three came in for a terrific pounding. Corbett was in on both sides of the fun and led the hitting with two singles, a double and a homer. The following is the score:

Baltimore	1	3	0	1	6	0	1	1	0	—13
Boston	0	0	2	6	2	0	1	0	0	—11

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It is promised that one of these carriers with its freight of letters will make the trip from one office to the other in a minute and a quarter, and that they can be sent off every ten seconds.

Six New Fever Cases.

New Orleans, La., Oct. 6.—Six new cases of yellow fever were reported yesterday.

There is little improvement in the business situation, owing to the refusal of Texas, Alabama and Mississippi to let up on their quarantine regulations.

All cases of distress in New Orleans are being promptly relieved. No assistance is needed here.

Jersey Co. School Superintendent.

Trenton, N. J., Oct. 6.—The State Board of Education have appointed Edward A. Murphy as Superintendent of Schools in Hudson county to succeed the Rev. George C. Houghton, whose term has expired, and who has accepted a call as assistant rector of the Church of the Transfiguration, in New York city.

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VARIOUS SPORTS.

The business men's class at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium will meet on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 5:30 to 6:30 p. m.; the evening class will meet on Mondays, Thursdays and Saturdays from 8:15 to 9:15 p. m., and the junior class on Tuesday afternoons from 4 to 5:30 o'clock, and on Saturday mornings from 10 to 11:30 o'clock.

BASKET BALL.

An exhibition game of basket ball was played at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium Monday night between the business men's class and the evening class, the latter winning by the score of 17 to 11. The gallery was filled with spectators, who were treated to an evenly-contested and well-played game.

CYCLING COMMENT.

Alfred Trenchard, of Coddington & Swackhamer's law offices, has purchased a Sandow wheel.

MANY CONTRACT CASES.

Murphy & Blatz Attorneys for Plaintiff in Each Action.

Murphy & Blatz have brought suits for their clients in a batch of cases. Four have been started in Justice Mattison's court. They are Schwed Brothers against Daniel Acker, Schwed Brothers against George W. Scribner, Schwed Brothers against Fred J. Emmons, and Schwed Brothers against John Clacy.

The cases started in Justice Nash's court are Schwed Brothers against John J. Ackerman, same against Robert M. Garvey, Seely Edsall against Charles Dinneen, same against Lambert Edmons, A. M. Griffen against J. V. Freeman, John W. Coddington against Winfield Coddington, Plainfield Ice and Cold Storage Company against David S. Vail, Plainfield Beef Company against Siegmund Kohn, Peter Markley against John T. Odam, Edward J. Welsh against Addie Wilmot, and Edward Love against E. E. Barrett, all on contract.

Library Directors Meet.

The regular meeting of the Board of Directors of the Public Library was held last evening, and all the members were present except Mr. Tracy and Mr. Yates. It was decided that the different policies of insurance on books, works of art, etc., in the library be cancelled, and that a new policy for the sum of $25,000 be taken out in their place. The act of the executive committee in paying bills of the last two months was approved. The matter of fitting up a room with shelving for the cloisonne collection was referred to the library committee with power. The librarian was authorized to procure a new library record book.

An Interesting Meeting.

A very interesting meeting was held by Martha Washington Council, No. 23, D. of A., in their rooms in the Washington Hall building last evening, at which the council heard encouraging reports of the order from District Deputy State Councilor Van Camp, of Newark. The committee arranging the proposed fair to be held during Thanksgiving week also reported the outlook of the same a success.

—Putnam & DeGraw are having a great run on their wool fleeced-lined underwear. They have an exhibit of it in the window.

FOR LITTLE ORPHANS.

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come the kindergarten. No miracle recorded in the Bible was more wonderful than those that are worked every week in our slum kindergartens. Influences are set at work there, by means of soap and water, flowers, faith and love, that revolutionize that whole slum block. A piece of the window has to be cleaned to let the light in on that flower sent into the home, and frequently the whole room is cleaned to correspond with it. Then the father finds home more attractive, and stays at home from the saloon.

Then there are the boys' clubs; that sort of thing is practical gospel. Another thing; have you any idea what trash these children read? There is a splendid system of home libraries, by which these busy minds are given something to occupy themselves with. Often the boys go to saloons because they don't have enough to eat, and the saloon offers them a good free lunch. But the cooking school knocks all that sort of thing endwise. There are very few men who would not rather be at home than at the saloon, if there were any attraction there, and the cooking school is helping on that good work.

To answer the problem of the day, get hold of the children. Tony is the child of our neglect. It is only love that can win him. He may not stop throwing stones right away, though sometimes he does; but you can safely leave the result of your work for him with the One you serve.

Mr. Riis's address was interspersed with many stories, humorous or pathetic, illustrative of his theme. He held every hearer's closest attention, throughout his talk; his delivery was unusually pleasing and bright.

A trio, "While Thee I Seek, Protecting Power," was sung by Mr. and Mrs. Titsworth and Miss Randolph, while an offering for the Home was received, after which the benediction was pronounced by Rev. Floyd Appleton.

Endeavorers Choose Officers.

The semi-annual meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society of the East Third Street mission was held last evening, at which time the following officers were elected tor the ensuing term: President, Irving L. Brady; vice-president, Miss Elizabeth Thompson; corresponding secretary, C. E. Hepburn; recording secretary, Miss Mabel Smith; treasurer, Miss Lena Jomini. A meeting was arranged for tomorrow evening at 7:15, when the members will form a Bible class. Clifford Braider was chosen as a delegate to attend the State Christian Endeavor convention to be held at Paterson.

Married at Pastor's House.

At the home of Rev. George Hauser, on Duer street, last evening occurred the marriage of Miss Cora Jerolaman, daughter of John Jerolaman, of 35 Jackson avenue, and Fred Elsworth Moore, of 94 Grandview avenue. Rev. Mr. Hauser performed the ceremony, while Mrs. Hauser and Miss Sadie Line were witnesses to the marriage. Mr. and Mrs. Moore will reside on Jackson avenue.

For Bridge Over Raceway.

William Ferrier, contractor, has been awarded the contract for building the bridge over the raceway on Watchung avenue, just this side of the large bridge. His bid was $4 50 per cubic yard for the masonry and 27 cents per square yard for the concrete work.

Funeral of Miss Martine.

The funeral of Miss A. Kate Martine, whose death occurred yesterday morning, will be held from her late home, "Cedar Brook" farm, tomorrow afternoon at 2:20 o'clock.

TO WORK INTELLIGENTLY.

Aim of the Bookkeeping Class Organized in the Y. M. C. A.

The object of the Y. M. C. A. bookkeeping class is to give boys and young men who are desirous of becoming clerks the good mental equipment that will enable them to more intelligently accomplish duties they may be called upon to perform when in business. While it is called a bookkeeping class the instructors for the coming term will carry out the policy inaugurated several years ago and in conjunction with bookkeeping give as much of a business course as possible during the time at the disposal of the class. The three principal studies of every business college—writing, business arithmetic and correspondence will be as thoroughly gone into as there is time for, and it is hoped that the term of "97" and "98" will prove a profitable one in this department.

Do the Dead Return?

Dr. and Mrs. Ford will give a religious lecture in Washington Hall, West Second street, Friday and Saturday evenings of this week, in which manifestations of experiments on spiritualism will be an important feature of the spirit's power. Everything will be done in full gas light on the stage. The admission is 10, 20 and 30 cents, and as Dr. and Mrs Ford come to Plainfield highly endorsed in their special line, large audiences are sure to greet them.

Expressed Sorrow for a Comrade.

The Boy's Club held a meeting last evening at the clubhouse on Sycamore street, and the members united in sending word to their fellow member, Charles Myers, at the Muhlenberg Hospital, expressing their sorrow at his accident and the hope that he would recover soon. Myers was injured last Sunday while exercising in the gymnasium of the Saengerbund in North Plainfield.

A Talented Speaker.

Rev. George N. Eldridge and wife, of Anderson, Ind., will conduct the services at the Christian and Missionary Alliance Thursday evening at 7:45 in the W. C. T. U. parlors, Watchung avenue. Mr. Eldridge is one of the leaders of the Fourfold Gospel movement in the west. Mrs. Eldridge will sing to autoharp accompaniment.

Series of Lectures by Rev. Mr. Schenck.

At the prayer meeting service of Trinity Reformed church tonight in the Y. M. C. A. hall, the pastor, Rev. C. Schenck, Ph.D., will deliver the first of a series of four lectures on "The Tabernacle," "The Temple," "The Synagogue," and "The Church." Everybody will be made welcome.

An Unusual Occurrence.

At the regular meeting last evening of Jerusalem Lodge, No. 24, F. and A. M., the Entered Apprentice degree was conferred on two candidates, and in the meeting room sat five other Entered Apprentice Masons awaiting examination, making seven of that degree present at the meeting.

Judgment Given.

Judgment was rendered yesterday by Justice Nash in the case of Young against Blond, possession of premises, and a warrant of removal issued. The case of Howatt against Van Dorn, landlord and tenant, was dismissed.

Four-Year-Old Boy Broke an Arm.

Alfred Stein, the four-year old son of Alpheus M. Stein, of 52 Grandview avenue, fell from a wagon this morning and broke his arm. Dr. Carman is in attendance.

—Locals on third page.

—The hour of the Children's Home meeting tomorrow afternoon will be changed from 3 to 4 o'clock, in order to allow the members of the board to attend the funeral of Miss Martine.

—Adelia, the four-months-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Dennis, of West Front street, died this afternoon. The little one has been sick for the past two and-a-half months. Funeral services on Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

—We are receiving our Blue Point oysters direct from the original Blue Point oyster beds. People who want a delicacy will have no other. We are the only firm that handles oysters from these beds in this section. Rogers.

—The first big dance of the season will be given in the Cycle Academy tomorrow night under the auspices of the Arion Club. A large number of guests are expected from neighboring towns. The academy is being prettily decorated for the occasion.

Forrest's Sympathy Aroused.

The Boston Transcript recalls a story of Edwin Forrest during one of his Boston engagements. A poor artist called several times to see him at the old Winthrop House. Each time he brought a picture which he had painted; he finally left it with a note stating that he was in needy circumstances. Forrest read the note, and took the wrapping from the picture. It proved to be a painting of himself as Spartacus. Forrest gazed upon it a moment, and then ejaculated to the clerk: "Give him $10. If he is as poor as his picture he must be on the point of starvation!"

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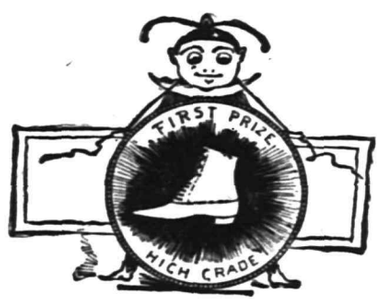

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CLEVELAND DENIES THE REPORT.

He Says He Does Not Want a Seat in the Senate.

Trenton, N. J., Oct. 6.—Ex-President Cleveland authorizes a contradiction of the report that he wants an appointment on the bench or seeks a seat in the United States Senate. He has resumed the writing of his memoirs.

Mrs. Cleveland will be a recluse for the next few months. She will neither accept nor extend social courtesies. Only her intimate friends will be received. On occasions such as this Mrs. Cleveland delights in having her personal friends about.

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One of the leading wholesale manufacturers in New York has failed and their entire stock was sent to us to be sold at less than forty cents on the dollar they cost to manufacture. The house was noted in New York, and only the very best and choicest lines were handled by them. Recollect these will be sacrifice prices and will last but three weeks. A great opportunity for money-saving clothing buyers.

The very finest tailor-made clothing in the world will be sold at retail for less than half the prices that other stores ask for inferior goods. As this is such a rare occurrence, we respectfully invite all intending purchasers of clothing to give their personal attention and call early, as the choicest goods will most naturally go first. The sheriff must be paid in cash and this elegant stock of fine clothing will consequently be sacrificed at an enormous loss. We will sell you fine fall and winter suits, fall and winter overcoats, ulsters, heavy-weight trousers, coats and vests, handsomely and elegantly made, equal to the best merchant tailor's work, for less than the actual cost of the labor in making these fine garments. Here is your opportunity to purchase a suit or overcoat for what the lining would cost at any tailoring establishment in the city. A few prices will tell the whole facts. Means a saving of 60 per cent. on every dollar spent. We deal only in reliable clothing, and will not undertake to sell one dollar's worth of clothing unless we know that what we sell will give the buyers as good wear as if he paid us what the garment was worth. Men's winter all wool suits, sizes from 33 to 44, that are sold all over Plainfield at $7.50 and $8.00, are sold here at $3.75; if not satisfied with this suit in any way, bring it back and get your money. Men's fine clay-diagonal heavy weight suits, silk-lined, worth $22.00, at $7.50. Men's satin lined dress suits in cutaway, worth $22.75, at $8.50. We offer 600 dark colored good suits in mixed cheviots and cassimers at $3 50, $4 50, $5 00 and $5.25, worth easily from $8.00 to $12 00. All wool men's pants at 85c. Heavy cheviots and cassimere pants at 95c, $1 10, $1.25 and $1 50, worth double. Fine double breasted heavy black cheviot suit handsomely made, at $5.25, that other stores ask $15.00 for. Elegant Prince Albert dress suits, very fine imported cloth, wholesale price $18 00 to $25.00, sale price $9.50, Extra fine dress pants, over one hundred styles in stripes and silk mixtures, neat checks and cords, $1.25, $1.50, $1 65, $1 90 and $2.25, worth from $3 75 to $5.50.

Bring this with you and if not shown everything here as advertised we will pay your car fare. Boys' neat double-breasted suits, all wool warranted, with double knee and double seat, $1,00, 1 25, 1.50, 1.75 and 2.24, worth three times as much. Men's fine covert cloth fall overcoats, in light and dark shades, silk-lined, worth $16.00, at $5.00, latest styles. Men's heavy diagonal fall overcoat, fine finish, worth 12.00 to 15.00, at $5.50. Men's fine black melton overcoat, blue or black, elegantly made, at $6 50, worth 12.00. Men's imported kersey overcoats silk lined, French facing, worth 22.00, at $8.25. Men's dress overcoats at $3 25, worth 10.00. Buy your overcoat now and you will save sixty cents on every dollar. Men's ulsters, dark blue, all wool, waterproof cloth, worth 18.00, at $6.50. Very fine ulsters at $5.50 and $6 50, worth double. A good ulster for drivers at $2 50 and $3.00, worth from 6 00 to 8.00. Extra fine dress suit for young men and boys, long pants actually valued at 12 00 to 15 00, sale price at $4 50. Young men's single or double-breasted blue or black cheviot suit at $3 50, regular price 10.00 A good youth's suit at $2 50, worth 7 50. Bring anything back within fifteen days, that is not entirely satisfactory. Men's extra fine brown plaid suits at $3 50, $4 50 and $5.00, worth from $9.00 to 15 00. Men's winter bicycle suits at $2 00, $2.50 and $3, worth from 5 00 to 12.00. Remember, no other store in Plainfield can sell you such fine clothing for any less than three times these prices. We have over three thousand suits to choose from. All wool clay diagonal sack suit at $5.90, worth from 12.00 to 15.00. Over one thousand woolen knee pants from 15c to 60c. Everybody living within tweny-five miles of Plainfield should visit this great sheriff sale.

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New York Clothing Co.,

Next door to Music Hall, Plainfield, N. J.

M. WEINBERGER, Manager, Car fare paid to all out of town buyers. Don't miss this sale, it will pay you to come at once. Sale takes place rain or shine. Don't forget the place; it is 214 West Front Street, next door to Music Hall. Look for New York Clothing Co.

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Best Breakfast Bacon, by the strip, per lb.	10c	Macaroni or Spagetti	7c
Pork Chops per lb.	12c	Lemon Crackers per lb	4c
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Fresh Sausage per lb.	10c	Scheuer's Cocoa, 1-2 lb cans	16c

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FRANKLIN'S TENTH YEAR

ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATED PLEASANTLY FOR MEMBERS AND FRIENDS.

Forty-five Members at the Start Have Now Increased to 195—A Big Bank Account, Though—$22,500 Has Been Expended.

Last evening the tenth anniversary of Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., of this city, was marked by an entertainment of merit which was held in Washington Hall, on West Second street. The hall was filled to overflowing with a representative audience. There were delegations from councils located at Dunellen, Bound Brook, Westfield, Gillia, Scotch Plains, New Brunswick and other places.

In opening the programme Firman Long, Warden of State Council, made a few pleasant remarks concerning the order and especially about the council celebrating its anniversary. He said that Franklin Council was organized ten years ago with a membership of forty-five, and at present there are on the roll 195 members. The council has to their credit in the bank about $1,000. During the past ten years, $22,500 has been expended for the sick and funeral benefits. Mr. Long also stated that the order is known in every State but four. New Jersey is among the leaders with a membership of 28,000, and in the United Stated there are 177,000 members.

The above remarks were followed by an overture by Samuel Frazee on the violin, Whitfield Frazee on the cornet, and Anthony Kregier on the piano. This was followed with a series of magical tricks by Professors Sherwood and Horace Adams. They performed a number of very clever tricks which interested the audience exceedingly. The magicians divided their performance into three parts and interspering them there was a pleasing piano solo by Albert Squires, a vocal solo by Ethel Reynolds, a little tot who won great favor from the audience. She was obliged to respond to an encore. Each number was well given and received hearty applause from those present.

This concluded the entertainment and all present were invited to the room below, where a supper was served in abundance.

Following the supper the guests returned to the main hall where dancing was continued until an early hour this morning. Sam Frazee furnished the music and the merry dancers had a jolly time. The following persons, as members of the committee of arrangements, are entitled to much praise for the excellent time provided: J. V. Beekman, chairman; P. T. Bogert, secretary; T. E Currin, Jr., treasurer; Isaac Squires, Horace Adams, H. R. Palmer. Horace Adams and Isaac Squires served in the capacity of floor managers during the dancing.

It was hoped that several of the State officers of the order would be present, but owing to circumstances which could not be avoided they were unable to attend.

A feature was the presentation to each one present of a handsome souvenir button, bearing the shield of the order and the words, "Tenth Anniversary. Franklin Council, October 6th 1897." These buttons were given out as the guests went to supper.

FELL TWENTY FEET ONTO ROCKS.

Marvelous Escape of an Italian From Serious Injury.

Yesterday afternoon Paxy Nosis, an Italian employed at the Wilson stone crusher at Washingtonville, was drilling some rocks, when his drill slipped and he was precipitated fully twenty feet over rugged rocks into a deep hole at the bottom of the quarry. He was picked up by fellow-workmen for dead, but in a few minutes Nosis came to consciousness and an examination disclosed the fact that his arm was broken in two places. He was taken in a carriage to a Plainfield physician and had the bones set. The man also received several bruises about the body.

Somerville May Have Y. M. C. A. Building.

It is reported authoritatively that Somerville is soon to have a handsome new Y. M. C. A. building, and that J. V. Duke and J. B. Brown, both wealthy residents of that place, are to erect the structure at their own expense and give it to the association. It is also reported that A. V. Sargeant, another wealthy citizen, will furnish the building when completed. Robert Honeyman has been secured as secretary of the association at a fair salary.

Roughing It in Florida.

Edward Finch, of Belvidere avenue, and Charles Bull, of East Ninth street, are now on a government claim in Florida with several friends. They are roughing it and having a fine time they say.

NEGRO ATTACKED WITH AXE.

QUARRELED OVER A HALF DOLLAR.

In a Rage One of the Disputants Made the Murderous Attack—Victim in a Critical Condition.

Thomas Bird and Wesley Sheperson, two negroes who have been keeping bachelors hall in a house owned by John Nelson, on Spring street, Westfield, quarreled over fifty cents last evening and Bird in a rage ran to the woodpile, caught up an axe and made a murderous attack upon Sheperson. The latter defended himself as best he could, but was struck once upon the right temple, receiving a cut several inches long.

Constable Marsh arrived upon the scene in time to prevent Bird from striking the wounded man again. Bird was arrested by the officer and placed in the lockup, and Sheperson who was weak from the loss of blood, was taken to Dr. R. R. Sinclair, where the wound in his head was sewed up. He was also suffering severely from the shock, and the physician was unable to say how the injury would result. Bird was given an examination before Justice Collins this morning and was committed to the county jail to await the result of Sheperson's injuries.

MAY BUILD A SYNAGOGUE.

JEWS TALKED OVER PROPOSITION

Beth Tefeleth Isho Yentel Congregation Feel the Need of Their House of Worship.

A Hebrew synagogue is now being considered by the Hebrew congregation, Beth Tefeleth Isho Yentel, of this city. While they have pleasant quarters already, it is the wish of many of them to have a home of their own and with that end in view, they are planning to build a suitable structure in this city. The advisability of such an action was informally discussed at a special meeting of the congregation held last evening.

The object of the meeting, however, was not to arrange for a synagogue, but to plan for the division of the lots in the new cemetery of the congregation among the members. The cemetery is located in what is known as Gateville, lying between Bound Brook and Chimney Rock. A committee of three was appointed at the meeting to formulate a plan for the distribution of the lots among the members of the congregation.

After the business of the meeting, the members fell to discussing the erection of a synagogue. There was a general sentiment that there should be one. One of the prominent sites suggested was on West Front street. The matter will be brought before the next meeting of the congregation at which time some formal action will probably be taken.

Y. M. C. A. District Conference.

The Y. M. C. A. will hold its annual district conference at Somerville, on Saturday and Sunday. The Saturday afternoon session will begin at 2:30 o'clock, and the evening session at 7:30. The latter meeting will be addressed by Rev. W. R. Richards, D. D., and W. D. Murray of this city. The Sunday meetings will include one at 9 a. m., sperate meetings for men, women and boys, a platform meeting at 7 o'clock and a farewell meeting at 9 o'clock.

Tramp Trying to Beat His Way.

Yesterday morning, the eagle eye of Conductor Rose, of the New York train leaving here at 9:27 o'clock, noticed the shadow of a person on the inside of the closet of one of the cars as he passed by collecting fares. Going into the closet, he found a tramp standing on the seat and crouching in the corner. He was trying to beat his way to Jersey City. The conductor put him off at Fanwood.

Cold Kept Pastor Away.

Owing to a slight cold, which caused hoarseness, Rev. Mr. Schenck was not present at the prayer meeting of his congregation last evening, and Capt George D. Morrison very kindly consented to take charge of the meeting. He gave a very interesting and helpful talk on the subject of "God's Providences," and all felt spiritually refreshed and strengthened by the service.

One of Her Ribs Broken.

Mrs. John Ludlum, of East Front street, who was setting in the carriage run into by Smalley's runaway horse on Park avenue last Saturday noon, had one of her ribs broken as a result of the collision. She is under the care of Dr. Jenkins

Realty Changes.

The following real estate transfers have been recorded in the Somerset County Clerk's office: John C. Abbott to Andrew R. Steven, North Plainfield, $6,500; Hobert E. Rider et ux to John F. McIntyre, North Plainfield, $1.

THE CHRISTIAN ENDEAVORERS' MECCA IS PATERSON.

Thousands of Young Christians Gather There to Receive Inspiration in Their Work.

REV. J. CLEMENT FRENCH. President State Society.

E. E. ANTHONY. Treasurer State Society.

The eleventh annual convention of the New Jersey Christian Endeavor Union was begun in Paterson yesterday, where more than 4,000 visiting members are quartered. Orange and black, the union's colors, dotted the city streets and public and private buildings, while from every Protestant church top floated Old Glory. The city is in gala day attire.

The visitors marched through the streets to their various quarters wearing handsome silk badges bearing the monogram of the union in the Silk City. The members of the Junior Brigade attached to the First Baptist church acted as pages and were placed at the several stations and directed the strangers to the union's headquarters, which are in the Young Men's Christian Association building, in Ellison street. There they were received by the local members, and, after registering their names, were escorted to the homes of prominent citizens who had volunteered to entertain them.

Among the most prominent delegates who arrived yesterday were: Rev. Dr. Francis Clark, president of the United Societies of Christian Endeavor, of Boston; Rev. Dr. J. Clement French, of Newark, president of the State Society; Rev. Luther R. Dyott, president of the Essex County Union; Rev. Dr. David J. Burrell, pastor of the Marble Collegiate church, New York; Rev. Dr. Wayland Hoyt, Philadelphia; Rev. Dr. William Justin Harsha, New York; Rev. Dr. J. Wilbur Chapman, Philadelphia; Rev. Robert Y. Pierce, Philadelphia; Rev. Dr. Frederick J. Stanley, Atlantic City, Rev. W. Y. Puddefont, secretary of the American Missionary Society, New York; Rev. Dr. W. C. Bitting, New York; Mrs. Ballington Booth and Rev. Ford C. Ottman, Newark.

The large auditorium was thronged with the members of the union from all over the State when Dr. French called the convention to order. A song service opened the proceedings, and a chorus of 4,000 voices sang "Onward Christian Soldiers." Rev. E. W. Thompson, of the Broadway Reformed church, Paterson, opened the devotional exercises, and "Christian Citizenship" was discussed by Rev. William W. Lebanon.

The afternoon service was brought to a close by Rev. Dr. Burrell, who delivered an address on "Sabbath Observance."

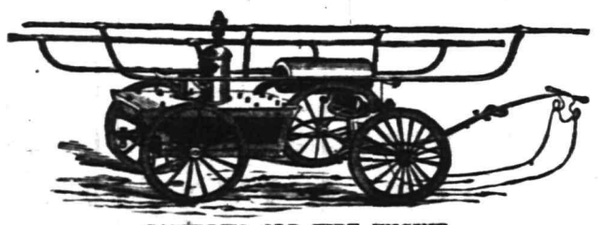
Two separate sessions were held last night, owing to the constant inpouring of visitors. At the Y. M. C. A. Hall Rev. Dr. French presided, while at the First Baptist church Rev Dr. Cornelius Brett was in charge.

Both edifices were crowded with enthusiastic Endeavorers and their friends. Today and tomorrow will be the most important days of the convention, and several large delegations are expected from South Jersey.

The outdoor meetings which are to be held will be a novel feature of the union. Several well-known speakers will address the employes of the Rogers Locomotive Works during the noon hour, while Mrs. Ballington Booth and several Volunteer lassies will speak to working girls at the various mills in the city.

RELIC OF EARLY FIRE-FIGHTING DAYS GIVEN TO EXEMPTS.

The Old Hand-Engine Presented to the Retired Fire-Laddies by Gazelle Engine Company.



GAZELLE'S OLD FIRE ENGINE.

Another interesting chapter in the history of Plainfield's fire department was recorded last evening at the meeting of Gazelle Engine Company, when the members decided unanimously to present to the Exempt Firemen's Association, of this city, the old fire hand-engine which was on duty in Plainfield many years ago. This action recalls local history of a very interesting nature to the minds of many.

Harmony Engine Company, the second in the history of Plainfield, was organized in 1836, lived, grew and flourished until 1863, when it was just about on its last legs—dead, but not buried. At this time I. C. Varian called the citizens together and organized Gazelle Engine Company, No. 1, he being the first foreman, and Samuel Manning, the first secretary. Trace can be found of but the following five who were among the charter members: I. C. Varian, Warren Marsh and Lewis Barkalew, of this city; Dr. Henry R. Cannon, of Elizabeth; Richard Barkalew, of Newark.

To William Bloom belongs the credit of naming the Gazelle Engine Company. D. W. Dorman, Washington Marsh, I. C. Varian, W. Gano, Samuel Manning and W. Webster were appointed a committee to purchase the hand-engine for the sum of $900.

Joseph Pine, of Philadelphia, was the maker, and when it was received in Plainfield there was the usual big time among the boys. In 1867 No. 2 Engine was purchased, and in 1869 Warren Engine Company took the hand-engine at which time Gazelle Engine Company received a new machine. When Warren Engine Company secured their new apparatus the hand-engine was stored in a building back of French's Mill, and the Gazelle Company payed the storage.

Later the engine was placed in the parlors of Gazelle Engine Company and there she remained until about 1884, when at the solicitation of the Scotch Plains firemen the engine was temporarily loaned to them. The transfer took place on Washington's Birthday and was marked by a large time including a sumptuous repast.

Last evening closed another chapter in the history of the engine and it will be brought to Plainfield and placed somewhere for safe-keeping. It was presented to the Exempt Firemen as a relic and token of former days. No doubt the reception of the engine will be attended by festivities appropriate to the occasion.

Dinner Party to Friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. T. Pelletier, of LaGrande avenue, gave an informal dinner party last evening to a few of their friends. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. August W. Kleinecke, Miss Bessie Ewing, of Philadelphia, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Drayton, Miss Delphine Bowers and the host and hostess.

Death of a Child.

The death of Adelle, daughter of Chester and Alice Dennis, aged four months, died yesterday after a lingering illness with consumption. The funeral services will be held from the residence, 469 West Front street, Friday afternoon, October 8th, at 3 o'clock.

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GIRL GRABBED IN THE DARK.

BOLD ACT ON EAST FRONT STREET.

Unknown Man Stepped From Behind the Shadow of a Tree and Intercepted Lottie Cockley.

An attempted hold-up of a bold nature took place on East Front street last evening in front of Dr. Probasco's house. Miss Lottie Cockley, in company with her mother, of the West End, were on their way to Manning's wood-yard, on Elm place, at 7:15 o'clock. As the two women approached Dr. Probasco's residence they noticed the shadowy outline of a man's form behind a tree, but thought little of it until a very tall and muscular man stepped out and attempted to grasp Miss Cockley. The girl gave a scream and managed to get away from the man before he could carry out whatever purpose he might have had.

Mrs. Cockley was much frightened, but asked the man what he meant by such conduct. He replied, "I want the girl, not you." His hat was pulled down over his face and Mrs. Cockley was unable to distinguish any features that would help her to identify the man. The stranger walked rapidly down the street and disappeared.

'RAS TO GO TO DIXEY LAND.

HIS PA WILL TRY TO REFORM HIM.

Little Picaninny Spent Yesterday in a Cell, But Finally Departed in Custody of His Sire.

Poor little Raspberry Harris spent yesterday in one of the cold cells in the city jail. "Ras" is only seven years old, and the grim appearance of the whitewashed cell walls chilled his youthful bones to the marrow. He had a delightful time Tuesday afternoon riding on the wheel which he had borrowed without leave from the home of Mr. Dekay, of Carleton avenue, and he enjoyed wheeling yesterday morning until Roundsman Frederickson captured him at Battle Row.

As has already been stated, poor "Ras" has only seen seven summers, and the law requires that he shall be at least eight years of age before he can be committed to the Reform School or any other similar institution for the young. He could not be sent to the county jail; nobody wanted to send him there in fact. So it was that he spent the day in the cell at the rookery, thinking of what he had done.

Late in the afternoon his father came to the station house and held a conference with Chief Grant and Roundsman Frederickson, as to what was to be done with the recreant Raspberry. The father stated that he was going to leave for the south in a few days and intended to take Raspberry and his other son along and take them down on some southern plantation and try to make good boys of them. So the diminutive black Raspberry was released and allowed to go home with his father, while the wheel was turned over to its young owner, who hereafter will not leave it on the piazza unprotected.

MADE A REVEREND.

Ernest L. Walz, Jr., Ordained by Presbyterians for Evangelistic Work.

The Presbytery of Elizabeth, which met in Metuchen yesterday, adjourned last evening to this city and held a meeting in the Crescent Avenue church to ordain Ernest L. Walz, Jr., as an evangelist. Rev. W. R. Richards, D. D., acted as moderator and offered the ordaining prayer; Rev. C. E Herring, of the First Presbyterian church, preached the sermon; Rev. J. T. Kerr, of the Third Presbyterian church, of Elizabeth, and Rev. F. D. Tildon pastor of Bethel chapel, took part; and Rev. G. K. Newell, of Hope chapel, delivered the charge. Mr. Walz starts today for the field of his labors in North Carolina.

Received an Ugly Cut.

A young man on a wheel collided with a horse attached to a grocery wagon on West Front srteet, near Leal's school, last evening. The young man received an ugly cut on the forehead which bled profusely. He was taken into the house of J. H. Leggett and temporarily fixed up by Mr. Leggett, who happened to be home.

Two New Members Taken In.

A meeting of Iona Council, Degree of Pocohontas, was held last evening. Two new members were added to the entertainment committee. A communication was received regarding the institution of the new great council of New Jersey on November 2d, at Trenton. Mrs. Charles L. Holdstein was elected delegate to the institution.

Ellwood I. Schurtz, of Palestina, Cal., who has been visiting H A. Weber, of Liberty street, left yesterday for Newark, where he will spend a few days before returning home to California.

SUIT AGAINST BOROUGH.

MILKMAN SAGE WANTS $1,000 FOR FALSE ARREST AND PUNISHMENT.

The Milkman Insists That as Long as He Stands on the Sidewalk Close to His Horse He Cannot be Compelled to Tie.

The new borough ordinance, which compels people to tie their horses when they leave them standing at the curb, is the primary cause of a suit for $1,000, which is soon to be instituted against the borough of North Plainfield. The man who brings the suit is Charles E. Sage, the milkman, from Union Village, who was arrested Monday morning and fined $10 under that ordinance. The suit is for damages resulting from what Mr. Sage considers false arrest and punishment.

Last Monday morning at 6 o'clock Sage was arrested by Marshal George Wise for leaving the horse attached to his milk wagon standing on Linden avenue without being tied. He afterwards appeared before Borough Magistrate Thomas and was fined $10.

Sage claims that he had just jumped out of his wagon when he saw Wise running in his direction. He therefore waited for the officer to come up. Wise promptly told him that he was under arrest, at which time, Sage claims, he was standing on the sidewalk not far from his horse's head. He says that he explained to the officer that he had not had time to tie the horse, but that the latter refused to take that excuse. He says that he then offered the officer $20 as bail if he would let him finish his milk route. The offer, he claims, was accepted and he afterwards appeared before the Magistrate.

Sage claims that he explained the situation to the Magistrate, how he had not left the horse's head, but that the Magistrate had told him that he had left his horse once before and so he would fine him $10. Such is the story of Mr. Sage, on which he bases his case. His legal advisers are Pope & Runyon.

Sage says he will contest the legality of the ordinance, and that furthermore he does not consider that the ordinance compels him to tie his horse as long as he stands on the sidewalk close beside it.

FUNERAL OF MRS. MULFORD.

Attended by Many Friends and a Lavish Display of Floral Tributes.

The funeral of Israella Moores Mulford, wife of Armstrong Mulford, took place yesterday afternoon at 3:45 o'clock from the house, 425 East Fifth street. A large number of relatives and friends were present from Brooklyn and New York as well as residents of this city. The flowers were exceptionally lavish and beautiful, the casket being entirely covered over with white roses.

Rev. W. R. Richards, D. D., of the Crescent Avenue church, of which church Mrs. Mulford was a member, officiated, and spoke with excellent feeling of the beautiful Christian character of the departed and the loss which all who knew her had sustained by her death.

Interment was made at the family plot in Hillside cemetery.

STEPPED TOO NEAR THE EDGE.

Venturesome Lad Playing in an Unfinished House Fell and Strained His Shoulder.

John Kilbride, a ten-year-old lad, living on West Fourth street, met with a serious accident last evening while playing about the new house that William Brokaw, the builder, is erecting for Patrick Harrington on West Fourth street. The lad was running along the scaffolding at the second floor with several of his companions when he went too near the edge and fell over, striking on his shoulder. He received a severe strain and numerous bruises, but it is thought that no bones were broken.

Colors for Girl Athletes.

Now that the Plainfield Board of Education has taken a hand in the preparation of the Whittier building for the use of the members of the Girl's Athletic Association of the High School, the success of that organization seems assured. One of the most essential features of the association, the fair members consider, is the selection of colors. With that object in view, a committee has been appointed to decide on certain combinations of colors which will be submitted to the association at another meeting.

An Informal Luncheon.

Miss Mabel Coard gave an informal luncheon to her sister, Miss Alice Coard, Tuesday, at their home on East Ninth street. The affair was in honor of the engagement of Miss Alice Coard. The guests were Miss Tracy, of New York, Miss Maud Middledith, Miss Delphine Bowers, Miss Florence Abbott, Miss Ethel Holmes, Miss Clara Frost and Miss Lulu Patton.

BOTH TO DIE TOGETHER

Mrs. Nack and Thorn Planned to Commit Suicide.

THORN'S NOTE TO MRS. NACK

Alleged Guldensuppe Murderer Tells the Woman He Approves Her Idea of Suicide—but Later—Given Up All Hope to Escape.

New York, Oct. 7.—Sheriff Doht last night made public the following letter from Martin Thorn, accused of the murder of William Guldensuppe, to Mrs. Augusta Nack, his alleged accomplice:

"My Dear: You wrote of self-destruction. That would be the last I have thought it over long ago, and came to the conclusion that it would be the best for me, but not before all is done to gain liberty. Perhaps it would be the better way, and it would be easy to accomplish it. I have a prescription that I can get or buy at any drug store, but have patience and endurance, and say what I would write to you; and if it comes to extremes then it is time, and I will arrange it so. It is not on account of living I would like to get free, but in spite of people here."

The above was apparently a reply to the following note from Mrs. Nack:

"Dear Martin: I send you a couple of potatoes. If you do not care to eat them perhaps the others will. Dear child, send me a few lines how you feel. Dear child, I believe there is little hope for us. I feel very bad this afternoon. Send me a letter by your sister or by your brother-in-law. I wish they would procure us something so that we can make an end to our lives. This would be the best. My attorney assures me that the evidence against me is as strong as that against you, and that you have talked too much, which injures us both, for the proofs are on hand. Good-night."

Sheiff Doht, in relating how he got possession of Thorn's letter, said that Thorn made a desperate fight in trying to prevent the Sheriff and his keepers from getting possession of the letter. He then tore it up in small pieces. According to the Sheriff this is not the letter which Mrs. Nack wrote to Thorn. It is evidently a reply to that letter by Thorn. The letter was in German, was not completed and unsigned.

This letter of Thorn's was delivered by Sheriff Doht to District Attorney Youngs, and after the pieces had been put together in the District Attorney's office the letter was translated and then made public.

Sheriff Doht has placed an extra guard over both prisoners. Mrs. Nack is in a hysterical condition, and the Sheriff said he would not be surprised if she broke down completely and made a confession.

Thorn is in a very sulky mood, but is trying to keep up his nerve. The Sheriff said he had taken every precaution to prevent Mrs. Nack or Thorn from making an attempt on their lives. He said it was not possible for either of the prisoners to escape from the jail.

Sheriff Doht, after making public Thorn's letter, said that Mrs. Nack undoubtedly lied when she denied that she had written the letters to Thorn.

Mrs. Nack had her attention called to a part of the published letter which intimated that she contemplated committing suicide if she got a chance. On hearing this Mrs. Nack became hysterical and wept and moaned. Between her sobs she said that if it was not for her poor mother she would be better off dead. She said that everybody seemed to be hounding her for her life.

REJECTED BY GERMANY.

Refuses to Recognize United States Consul at Cologne.

Berlin, Germany, Oct. 7.—The German Government has refused to recognize Mr. Ferdinand Neumann, of Illinois, who was nominated by President McKinley on May 28 to be United States Consul at Cologne.

The Allegations Against Him.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 7.—Although without official notice of the refusal of the German Government to grant an exequatur to United States Consul Neumann, at Cologne, the news of his rejection caused no surprise at the State Department. Mr. Neumann was appointed to his post last May, and has since exercised the functions of his office, but the German authorities have been considering certain allegations connected with the World's Fair and a concert enterprise, in which Neumann is said to have been interested, which resulted disastrously to some German artists.

PRINCETON'S NEW TRICK.

Capt. Cochran Originates a New Style of Kicking Goals.

Princeton, N. J., Oct. 7.—The gridiron enthusiasts here are all agog over the "newest thing out" in drop kicking. Capt. Garry Cochran is the originator of the idea, and it will probably be used in all the games played by the Tigers hereafter.

Instead of the old method of the quarterback passing the ball to the fullback, who then makes the drop kick, Cochran at the given signal dashes from his position at right end, drops behind the quarterback, and catching the pigskin, holds it on the ground while the fullback kicks the same as if for a place kick.

Cochran and Johnny Baird now have the trick down so finely that Baird can kick goals from the thirty and forty yard lines. The trick will probably be used against Yale.

Five Strange Deaths.

Camden, N. J., Oct. 7.—There is grave suspicion of the death of five children by slow poison in this city, and Jennie Layton and Mary Simmonds were arrested yesterday afternoon.

The fifth child died yesterday. Its lips seem to be poisoned by carbolic acid. The police have been watching the house since the other deaths followed so rapidly.

Mr. Dana Critically Ill.

New York, Oct. 7.—A ditpatch from Glen Cove, L. I., announces that Mr. Charles A. Dana's condition has grown much worse and his family have been called to his bedside.

Mr. Dana is the editor of the Sun and has been ill for three months.

EXPORTS IN AUGUST LAST.

$79,490,264 Greater than in Any Corresponding Month in Many Years.

Washington, Oct. 7.—Information collected by the Bureau of statistics, Treasury Department, show that the value of the exports of domestic merchandise in August last was $79,490,264 greater than in any corresponding month for many years. The values of exports in August, 1896, was $66,689,. Almost all of the staple articles of export shared in the increase. The value of exported articles during the eight months ended Aug. 30, was almost as great as during the entire fiscal year 1895. Wheat was the greatest factor in the increased total shipments, the output, under the condition of advanced prices, amounting to about $9,000,000 in value more than in August of last year, and general breadstuffs were exported in much larger quantities than usual and brought higher prices.

The articles which showed an increase of exports were: Animals, $5,998,286; wheat, $13,211,662; other breadstuffs, $26,317,219; carriages, $215,187; clocks and watches, $126,731; hops, $27,935; leather and leather goods, $701,185; mineral oils, $5,218,403; vegetable oils, $468,384; paper, $420,830; provisions, $12,923,533; distilled spirits, $59,785; sugar and molasses, $195,946; tobacco, unmanufactured, $3,437,951; lumber, $775,700; woolen manufactures, $129,766.

INTENDED SUICIDE AT NIAGARA.

Arrested Before He Could Leap Over the Falls.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., Oct. 7.—Robert Wright, of New York, aged about 35 years, attempted to commit suicide by leaping from Prospect Point at about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. He was reading a book entitled "Death or Dishonor," and took frequent drinks from a bottle he carried while making for the point to throw himself over the falls. He had written this letter:

"To Whom It May Concern—I have leaped over the falls of my own accord, and for reasons best known to myself.

"P. S.—Please send message to H. J. Wright, the Ariston, Fifty-fifth street and Broadway, New York City, and kindly mail letter herewith."

On the back of the envelope he had written: "I am at Imperial Hotel. My baggage will be found there."

He was arrested and locked up at Police Headquarters last night. Wright reached here on Oct. 1, and passed much of his time reading. This afternoon his actions in Prospect Park attracted the attention of two ladies, who notified the reservation officers. He was desperate in his determination to end his life, and the liquor he had drunk made him more so. Had there been delay in arresting him there is little doubt but another Niagara suicide would have been reported.

Proposed Armor Plant.

Washington, Oct. 7.—The board of naval officers appointed to gather information and prepare plans for the establishment of a Government armor plant were ordered by Secretary Long yesterday to visit Elizabethton, Tenn., on their trip through the South, to examine the facilities there for manufacturing armor. A committee of gentlemen who have interests in Elizabethton and its vicinity called on Secretary Long and urged him to send the board there. Among the members of the committee were John G. Carlisle, former Secretary of the Treasury; Senator Hansbrough of North Dakota, and Benjamin Butterworth, the Commissioner of Patents. The committee told the Secretary that all the places which the board will visit in the South obtain Bessemer from Carter County, Tenn., and Mitchell County, N. C. Elizabethton is in Carter County.

All Ocean Records Smashed.

New York, Oct. 7.—The Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, that newest, largest and fleetest of all ocean thoroughbreds, has performed a wonderful record-smashing feat in her race against time across the Atlantic. When she reached Plymouth she crossed the Atlantic Ocean in 5 days 13 hours 13 minutes.

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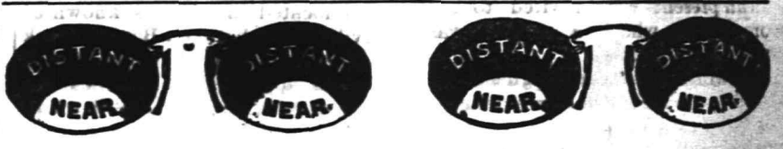

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—The annual meeting of the Relief Association will be held at the Y. M. C. A. rooms Friday morning, Oct. 8th, at 10 o'clock. All are cordially invited to attend.

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—Jerusalem Lodge, No. 26, F. and A. M., will hold a special communication tomorrow evening to confer the F. C. degree upon a number of candidates.

A few weeks ago the editor was taken with a very severe cold that caused him to be in a most miserable condition. It was undoubtedly a bad case of la grippe and recognizing it as dangerous he took immediate steps to bring about a speedy cure. From the advertisement of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the many good recommendations included therein, we concluded to make a first trial of the medicine. To say that it was satisfactory in its results, is putting it very mildly, indeed. It acted like magic and the result was a speedy and permanent cure. We have no hesitancy in recommending this excellent Cough Remedy to anyone afflicted with a cough or cold in any form.—The Banner of Liberty, Libertytown, Maryland. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

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LOW TO THE PEOPLE

The Candidate Addresses a Cooper Union Mass Meeting.

HE ARRAIGNS THE BOSSES

A Temperate Exposition of the Independent Movement in Greater New York—Plea for Divorcement of National and Municipal Politics.

New York, Oct. 7.—The first gun of the municipal campaign so far as the Citizens' Union is concerned was fired last night at Cooper Union. The event was enthusiastic to a degree. The fact that all the so-called anti-Tammany parties have either indorsed the candidacy of Seth Low for Mayor, or promised to do so, rendered the independents more jubilant than ever. Henry D. Purroy and his Home Rule Democracy were the last to enter the Low camp which they did by resolution last night.

The scenes in and around Cooper Union were lively indeed. Long before the time of the meeting every seat was occupied and hundreds were unable to gain admittance. Many prominent people occupied the platform, central among which was the standard bearer

HON. SETH LOW.

of the independent movement. His appearance was the signal for loud applause which continued for many minutes or until the enthusiasts became tired from their exertions at noise making.

Mr. Low was the principal speaker of the evening and his address occupied about thirty minutes. In it he gave a comprehensive and impassioned review of the situation, closing with a plea for clean politics and the subjugation of the bosses.

Mr. Low's Speech.

After the applause had subsided Mr. Low said, in part:

"From the point of view of the Citizens' Union this campaign has only one object, namely, to secure good government for the city of New York. I know that it is considered audacious in some quarters to appear before a constituency comprising more than half a million voters with a programme so simple.

"If the Mayor of the people's choice is elected under such conditions that his primary obligation is towards some other object, a successful installation and administration of the new charter is simply out of the question. If the city government, by the consent of the voters, is to be trusted as party spoil, history is full of illustrations of what is to be expected. The city's work will be done after a fashion; and the work of building up the party or the faction of the powers that be, will be done with the utmost thoroughness.

"Now let us see the form that this contest has taken. There are four tickets in the field. Two of them—the ticket headed by Gen. Tracy and the ticket headed by Henry George—openly proclaim the doctrine that in the solution of this tremendous municipal problem that confronts the city of New York, national issues and not the local issues ought to dominate in the mind of the voters. Gen. Tracy, or the platform on which he stands, says that the general issue is Bryanism, with a free coinage of silver at 16 to 1, and all that that implies. Henry George in the main agrees with him as to the issue, and brings into the canvass the Chicago platform of the Democratic party; only Gen. Tracy is against Bryanism and Henry George is for it. Both of these gentlemen propose certain things for the city, of course. Even a partisan of the strictest sect would hardly undertake to say in a purely municipal election like this that the city 'is not in it at all.'

"Nevertheless they do say, both of them, that the city's interests are not the paramount issue, and that the voter ought to cast his ballot primarily with reference to national issues. This is the voter's privilege, undoubtedly, if he wishes to do so, but if he does do it he must not be disappointed if he does not get good city government. No man can serve two masters; and if the people of the city elect a Mayor because of the views he entertains on the free coinage of silver, and all the rest, they must not be surprised if the Mayor they elect subordinates the interests of the city to the exigencies of the party to which he belongs, in its strenuous effort to use the city for the advantage of the party in all succeeding elections. Translated into plain English this means that appointments will be made to strengthen the party, and that the patronage of the city, wherever possible, will be used for the same purpose. Every intelligent citizen of New York knows what this means, for he has seen the effect of it with his own eyes. The Street-Cleaning Department, under Col. Waring's administration, is an illustration of what it means to have the departments of the city administered in the city's interest alone. Any one who will recall the condition of the streets under the immediate predecessors of Col. Waring will understand the inevitable effect of mingling party politics with the administration of the city.

"Curiously enough, in this campaign Tammany Hall in its platform has confined itself as strictly to local issues as the Citizens' Union. But everybody understands that Tammany has done this only because it has not dared to come out either for the Chicago platform of its party or against it. The sincerity of Tammany's platform utterances is easily tested. I cannot believe that many people who have high ideals of city government will look to Tammany for their realization, under its present management. That organization is too intimately associated with our municipal dishonor in the past to be deliberately intrusted by the people of the city with the solution of the great problem involved in the installation of the new government of the city of New York.

"There is one point, however, as to which Tammany, the Republican organization and the adherents of Henry George are all agreed. With one voice they proclaim the doctrine that the administration of the city ought to be responsible to some party, as they put it, and not directly to the people themselves. If a party were to represent the final judgment of a vast body of people there might be something to say for this proposition; though even then, for such business as the city demands of its officials, I think it would be open to question. But what are you going to say when a party becomes an organization and the organization becomes a machine that responds absolutely to the will of one man? That has been the fundamental difficulty with Tammany Hall for many a year. It never was more open to this criticism than at this moment. And I am sorry to believe this is also the fundamental difficulty with the Republican party of the city of New York to-day. In both cases you have the one-man power illustrated in its most absolute form, and, as I think, in its most dangerous form, because it is absolutely irresponsible. Against that idea I stand for direct and continuous responsibility on the part of the city officials to the people themselves.

"When party organizations have become political machines that respond absolutely to the will of a single man the very fabric of free government is in peril. We might almost appeal against such a condition of things to the general Government at Washington to make good in our behalf the constitutional guarantee of a republican form of government in all the States. Happily, a better appeal still is available, and that is to the people of the city. I make that appeal now to the people of New York, in their own behalf and in behalf of free government, to elect this year officials who will be responsible directly to them, and not indirectly to some person whom they cannot get at.

"I think our ticket stands in this campaign, first, for the independence of the city; secondly, for the responsibility of the city official after his election directly to the people, and, thirdly, for the independence of the citizen in naming the candidate for whom he wishes to vote. Upon this platform I shall submit our case fearlessly to the people of the city of New York."

A Strike at the Bradford Mills.

Philadelphia, Pa., Oct. 7.—About two hundred of the three hundred employes of the Bradford Mills, conducted by John and James Dobson, manufacturers of dress goods and worsted cloth, have gone on strike because of the refusal of the firm to grant an increase of 10 per cent. in wages.

The manager of the mills informed a committee of the employes that a 10 per cent. increase would be granted on or before the first of the year if new orders for goods brought increased prices. An immediate increase was demanded, however, and, as stated, two hundred of the employes quit work.

L. A. W. Membership.

New York, Oct. 7.—The membership of the L. A. W. was increased by the addition of 774 new names this week, making the total membership 99,802. It is expected that several hundred new members will be enrolled next week, making the total over 100,000. Secretary Bassett reports the following returns from the leading divisions: New York, 26,553; Pennsylvania, 23,574; Massachusetts, 11,956; New Jersey, 6,699; Connecticut, 2,038.

The opinion prevails that the National Board of Trade of Cycle Manufacturers will experience considerable difficulty in abolishing cycle shows.

Swenson for Copenhagen.

Washington, Oct. 7.—The President yesterday made the following appointments:

Laurito S. Swenson, of Minnesota, Minister to Denmark.

Edward Bedloe, of Pennsylvania, Consul at Canton, China.

Dr. Bedloe, the famous wit of the Philadelphia Clover Club. He was Consul to Amoy, China, under Harrison's Administration, and his reports were among the most valuable and highly commended received by the State Department. Dr. Bedloe rendered important service to the Republican organiation in the campaign last Fall.

Priests Form a G. A. R. Post.

Laporte, Ind., Oct. 7.—A Grand Army post, composed exclusively of priests of the Roman Catholic Church, was formed last night at Notre Dame. This post has the distinction of being the only organization of soldier priests in the world. The Very Rev. Father Corby, who was chaplain of the Eighty-eighth New York Volunteers, was installed Post Commander, and Gen. William A. Olmsted, of New York City, who will soon be ordained to the priesthood, was elected adjutant. There are twelve priests in the post.

Gagged by a Hired Man.

Binghamton, N. Y., Oct. 7.—Gus Snyder, hired man of John Murphy, a farmer, of Conklin Forks, went to his employer's house yesterday morning, knocked Mrs. Murphy down, bound and gagged her and then ransacked the house, getting $1,000 in money, besides other valuables.

Snyder is at large, but is pursued by officers. Mrs. Murphy's condition is serious.

Fled in Their Night Clothes.

Plankinton, S. D., Oct. 7.—The girls' cottage at the State Industrial School burned at an early hour yesterday morning, and six lives were lost.

Twenty-five escaped in their night clothes.

The loss is about $25,000. The origin of the fire is unknown, but it probably was caused by a lamp explosion.

Yellow Jack's Victims.

New Orleans, La., Oct. 7.—Yellow Jack got a good hold yesterday. There were a dozen cases and two deaths reported. Other cases are recovering so rapidly that there are now under treatment not more than 15 or 20 cases more than were being cared for five or six days ago, although there have been nu-

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Fair Friday; Possibly Light Local Showers Tonight; Cooler Tonight.

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 73 Degrees.

COMING EVENTS.

October 7—Third year's class in mathematics at Y. M. C. A.

October 7—Shorthand class at Y. M. C. A. Organization.

October 7—First ball of Arion Club in Cycle Academy.

October 7—Lecture on Klondyke at Grace P.E. parish house.

October 7th—Entertainment Bethel chapel.

A DEAD BLUE LAW.

It is a sad commentary on many Dogberries of New Jersey that they have recognized in many instances a law enacted in 1805, and commonly known as a "blue law," which was wiped off the statue books by a law passed by the Legislature in 1893. Several times of late justices of the peace have thrown out suits brought by wheelmen for damages to their wheels while riding Sundays, on the ground that it was a pleasure to ride a wheel on that day, and the law of 1805 prohibited such a practice. The law of 1893 says:

It shall not be unlawful for any person or corporation, on the Christian Sabbath, the first day of the week, commonly called Sunday, to print, publish and sell newspapers, to sell and deliver milk, or to walk, ride, or drive for recreation, and to hire horses and carriages or other conveyances for riding or driving.

Riding and driving for recreation cover the case of wheelmen, and they are therefore entitled to all the rights and privileges of persons who sustain injury while doing a legal act, in case the injury is the fault of another person, and they are also liable for any injury they may do to others.

SOMERSET DEMOCRATS.

Hiram O. Hance, chairman of the Somerset Democratic county executive committee, has called the county convention to be held in the court house at Somerville on Monday, Oct. 18th. The nominations to be made are for Surrogate and Assemblyman. In accordance with the resolution apopted by the county Democratic executive committee, all townships having but one polling place will be entitled to six delegates; townships having two polling places will be entitled to elect three delegates in each polling place, and townships having more than two polling places will be entitled to elect two delegates in each polling place. The primary for the election of delegates from North Plainfield borough will be held Friday evening, October 15th. The primaries in other parts of the county will be held the following afternoon.

THE BOROUGH'S OPPORTUNITY.

Just as soon as the Borough Council will pass an ordinance similar to the one now in course of enactment in this city granting the telephone company the right to lay their wires in underground conduits, it is understood that the wires in the borough will be treated to the same process. The Borough Council ought to applaud the willingness of the telephone company to make the improvements, by hurrying the ordinance through.

A new ordinance in Freehold prohibits the propelling of baby carriages on the sidewalks. Without true knowledge at hand there is reason to believe that the Common Council of Freehold is composed of bachelors or crusty old men who don't know the joy of taking "the baby" out for a ride.

Plainfield has a minister who rides a bicycle on Sunday.

—This weather is a terror for the unclimated. Buy fine merino underwear at Peck's.

—Moses N. Terrill, of Liberty street, is now manager for Mrs. Ira F. Riker, undertaker and embalmer, 132 Central avenue.

—Ephraim Compton, formerly with J. Fred MacDonald, the grocer, is now associated with Joseph Blimm, the East Third street grocer.

—A meeting of the executive board of the Plainfield City Union of King's Daughters will be held this afternoon at the Y. M. C. A. building.

—Miss Ethel Finch gave an informal dance to a number of her friends at her home on Belvidere avenue, last Saturday evening.

—The annual business meeting of the Plainfield Relief Association will be held in the rooms on West Front street tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Walter Manning is in Bound Brook today on business.

Volney F. Green, of Mercer avenue, is confined to his home with illness.

Willard Case, of East Second street, is spending a week's vacation at home.

Miss Gertrude Andrews, of Central avenue, is entertaining company from out of town.

Henry V. Rider, of East Front street, is enjoying a week's vacation in Plainfield.

Ralph K. Miner, of East Sixth street, has returned from a business trip to Philadelphia.

George F. Coard, of East Ninth street, has entered the Montclair Military Academy.

William VanDeventer, of East Fifth street, is slightly improved from his severe illness.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Randolph, of West Front street, have returned from Liberty, N. Y.

Otto Arens and family, of Park avenue, have returned from their European trip.

Benjamin Schenck, of Randolph's pharmacy, is anticipating a vacation in the near future.

Mr. Hasbrouck and family have left their residence on Grove street and moved to Brooklyn.

Isaac Brown, of Watchung avenue, has recovered from his illness and is able to be out again.

Miss Daisy Elsberg, of Prospect place, has returned after a visit with friends in New York.

Leslie Carter, of Brooklyn, has returned home after a visit at the home of Mrs. Martin, of Grove street.

Miss Bessie Ewing, of Philadelphia, is a guest at the home of August W. Kleinecke, of East Ninth street.

Miss Mabel Coard, of East Ninth street, has been entertaining her friend, Miss Tracy, of New York.

Chas. VanMiddlesworth, of Brooklyn, was the guest of relatives and friends in Plainfield last evening.

Rev. Mr. Moffett, of Mount Prospect, addressed the meeting at the First Presbyterian church last evening.

F. A. Henderson and family, of West Seventh street, have returned from South Beach, Conn., where they spent the summer.

Charles H. Hall has rented part of Mrs. Thickstun's house, 66 Duer street, and he and his bride will reside there after their marriage, October 20th.

Ralph Tolles, of Westervelt avenue, has resigned his position as night operator at the exchange of the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company in this city, and has entered the New Jersey Military Academy.

Miss Stewart, of Middletown, N. Y., arrived in Plainfield yesterday, and will be a guest at the home of Mrs. VanBuren, of Central avenue. Miss Stewart will at once arrange for the rehearsals for the Spielkartenfest to be held in the Cycle Academy.

Prof. Collins P. Bliss, a graduate of Princeton College and of the Columbia School of Mines, has charge of the experimental engineering department at the New York University. Prof. Bliss is a Plainfield boy, being a son of Rev. John C. Bliss, who was pastor of the Crescent Avenue church at the time of its erection.

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New Directory Out.

The directory of the city and borough, which has been compiled by Charles VanWinkle, is out and being delivered. Typographically it is the neatest directory ever issued for the city. Its real worth, of course, will be determined as it is required for use from time to time, but there is every reason to believe that it will be a great improvement over the old one, inasmuch as Mr. VanWinkle has taken especial pains to gather the names and addresses in a correct manner.

Entertained English Friends

Marion S. Ackerman, of Crescent avenue, entertained a few of his English friends yesterday in this city. In the afternoon the party enjoyed a drive to Summit.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Additional locals on page 3.

—Ground was broken yesterday for the new addition to the City Industrial Home.

—The Plainfield Sanitary Company crematory is rapidly nearing completion.

—A sociable will be held in the Christian church on Grove street this evening.

—George Kaeding has accepted a position in Classen's barber shop on Liberty street.

—Miss Lucile Rockwell, of East Front street, will give a party and dance at her home on October 15th.

—A meeting of the board of governors of the Park Club will be held on Tuesday evening at the clubhouse.

—On October 14th the Christian Endeavor Society of Warren chapel will hold a cobweb social in the chapel.

—Two candidates will receive the first rank at the meeting of Perseverance Lodge, K. of P., tomorrow night.

—The first rank was worked on one candidate at the meeting of Unity Lodge, Knights of Pythias, last evening.

—Men are now busy grading the Plainfield side of Sycamore avenue. The work on the new bridge is still progressing.

—The Women's Association of the Congregational church will give a sociable in the church parlors tomorrow evening.

—A meeting of the West End Hose Company was held Tuesday night, but nothing of an important nature was considered.

—Miss VanZandt's dancing class will open this evening at Miss Scribner and Miss Green's school on La Grande avenue.

—Very Rev. Archdeacon Kirkby will lecture in the Grace church parish house, this evening, on Alaska and the Klondyke region.

—A number of the new vestibuled street cars are now in use on the Plainfield street railway. The motormen seem to be well pleased.

—There will be an entertainment at Bethel chapel this evening. The programme will consist of recitations and musical selections.

—There will be a meeting of the Borough Council Monday evening, October 11th, and another meeting on the evening of October 14th.

—A very elaborate entertainment will be given this evening at the First Church of Christ under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society.

—The Junior Endeavor Society of the Congregational church will hold its first regular meeting for the season tomorrow afternoon in the church parlors.

—Theo. Stills, of Lansingburg, N.Y., has accepted the position of assistant with E. B. Maynard at his new tonsorial rooms, 141 North avenue. Stills is a first-class workman.

—The dress goods sale at White's is attracting wide-spread attenton. The goods are all high class and of the latest style. If you cannot go drop a postal for samples and prices.

—In the schedule of preachers for the coming season at Williamstown College, in Massachusetts, Rev. Dr. W. R. Richards, of Plainfield, is appointed to fill the pulpit December 5th.

—Mrs. Slape and family, of West Front street, moved yesterday to Plainfield. The house formerly occupied by them will be moved to a place adjoining the City Industrial Home.

—The first drill of the Plainfield High School Cadet Company will be held tomorrow afternoon in the High School yard. The cadets who have no uniforms will then be measured for them.

—The Christian Endeavor Society of Warren chapel will not send a delegate to the State convention to be held at Paterson this month. The money will be used in missionary work of another character.

—Mark Schoettlin, of Linden avenue, has resigned his position with the Prudential Insurance Company and has purchased the beer-bottling business formerly conducted by Mr. Sutterlein on Greenbrook road.

—Protective Conclave, No. 505, Improved Order of Heptasophs, held a meeting in Red Men's Hall, Tuesday evening. One newly elected member, George H. Batchelor, was initiated and a draft of the proposed by-laws were read and their adoption moved. The vote will be taken at a later meeting. After the business session a collation was served.

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UNIVERSITY EXTENSION.

Series of Lectures Arranged to be Delivered by Talented Men.

The committee in charge of the University Extension lectures have arranged for two courses of lectures. The first course will consist of six lectures by Prof. Arthur M. Wheeler, Professor of Modern History in Yale University, on the following subjects: "The Establishment of the Second Empire of France," "The Crimean War, its Causes and Results," "Italian Unity," "German Unity," "The Struggle Between the Catholic Church and the New German Empire," "Some Phases of the Eastern Question, Particularly as it Effects the Greeks and Cretans." The whole course will discuss the most important events in European politics since 1848.

The second course will consist of six lectures by Prof. William G. Sumner, Professor of Political Economy in Yale University, on the following subjects: "What is a Free Man in a Free State?" "What is Democracy?" "What are Trusts?" "Women in Society," "Immigration."

All these lectures will deal with some of the most vital historical and political questions of the present time; they will be found to be of the deepest interest to all members.

Prof. Wheeler's lectures will be given on Tuesdays, October 26, and November 9, 16, 23 and 30, and December 7; Prof. Sumner's on Mondays, January 10, 17, 24 and 31 and February 7 and 14. The place, as heretofore, will be the chapel of the Crescent Avenue church.

The price of tickets will be $1.50 for the twelve lectures. The number of tickets is limited and subscribers of 1896 will be given the preference.

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Paper Muslin, yard wide, all colors - -	7c yd
Genuine Hair Cloth, black or gray - -	25c yd
Taffetta Skirt Lining, yard wide - - 10c,	15c yd
French Cambric Waist Lining 10c, 12c, 15c,	18c. 25c yd
Double Faced Waist Lining - 13c, 15c,	18c, 25c yd
Double Skirt Belting, shaped ready for use -	10c yd
Special lot Rustle Skirt Lining - -	7c yd
Patent Hump Hooks and Eyes, white or black	3c card
Best 100 yard Spool Silk, black and colors, -	7c spool
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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Eugene Runyon has returned from a visit with friends at Lakewood.

Miss Minnie Dineen is visiting friends in Newark for a few days.

Mrs. Jerry Dunham is entertaining company from Port Chester, N. Y.

Mrs. Wilson Fredericks spent yesterday with relatives at Somerville.

Ernest Peters is assisting George Schenck, the grocer, for a few days.

A. Springer, of Plainfield, was a guest of friends in the borough yesterday.

The attendance at the public schools this year is larger than for many years past.

Daniel McDonald has returned to Chester after spending the summer in town.

Rev. A. I. Martine has returned from a short visit with New York friends.

This morning W. H. Kuhn started the work of painting the exterior of the M. E. church.

Mr. Bamberger, of Newark, was a guest in town yesterday, and called on many of his old friends.

Edward Ayers has given up his produce store and will devote his time entirely to his wagon route.

T. C. Bodine is painting two houses on Dunellen avenue for the New Jersey Land Improvement Company.

Lawyer Frank Blatz, of the firm of Murphy & Blatz, of Plainfield, was in the borough yesterday on business.

Jack F. Auten returned last evening from Boston, where he spent several weeks with his friend, Miss Saidie Pillow.

A large number of the members of Wm. G. Holton Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., attended the anniversary of Franklin Council, at Plainfield last evening.

SCOTCH PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

The Knights of Pythias meet tonight.

John Marsh, Jr., has fully recovered from his recent severe illness.

The trustees of the First Baptist church held a meeting last night.

The dog tax in Fanwood borough for the present year is fifty cents.

Mrs. George Walker and Miss Lydia Mooney are visiting friends in Flemington.

Mrs. C. A. Savage has returned from her vacation of several weeks spent in Rye, N. Y.

Miss Andrews, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. S. Braker, has gone to New York city.

Miss Emma Clark has temporarily resigned her position as librarian of the Scotch Plains Public Library.

Mr. Barras, who has been visiting Rev. and Mrs. J. S. Braker, has returned to his home in Montandon, Pa.

A delegation from Twilight Council, No. 7, of Scotch Plains, attended the 10th anniversary reception and dance given by Franklin Council, of Plainfield, last night.

PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The Librarian's Report for September, 1897.

Vols. on accession-book August 31st	15,073
" added by purchase	6
" " gift	12
" " binding	24
Vols now in library	15,115
Number of card-holders	4,651
Cash received from non-resident subscriptions and sales	$6.00

HOME CIRCULATION.

Fiction	1,547
Juvenile	515
Biography	146
Travel	140
Philosophy	17
Religion	27
Sociology	67
Philology	3
Natural Science	78
Useful Arts	44
Fine Arts	49
Literature	177
History	159
General works	16
Total	2,976
Total for Sept. '96	2,698
Increase	278
Visitors	3,431
Sunday visitors	101
Total number of visitors	3,532

Number of circulating days, 26; largest number in one day, 223; smallest, 39; average, 114; Y. M. C. A. circulation, 37; Hope Chapel, 30.

EMMA L. ADAMS, Librarian.

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey, of Manasquan, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry VanMiddlesworth, on West Front street.

WESTFIELD

VARIOUS BITS OF NEWS.

WESTFIELD HAPPENINGS SERVED UP TERSELY FOR THE PRESS.

Many People Go and Come in the Pretty Suburban Town—Items Interesting Because of Their Brevity

The I. O. S. will hold their regular meeting tonight.

Empire Engine Company held a meeting last evening.

Dr. R. R. Sinclair is out with a handsome new trotter.

John Knapp is spending a vacation at Jefferson Valley, N. Y.

The regular monthly meeting of the I O. S. will be held tonight.

Mrs. J. B. Harrison and Mrs. O V. Burtis are at Gettysburgh, Pa.

Clarence Briant has accepted a position with Archbold & Scudder.

Miss Jane Morrow, of Park street, is on a two months' trip to California.

C. D. Reese, of Downer street, is suffering from a severe attack of grip.

Mr. O'Neill, of Brooklyn, is the guest of James Doyle, of Elmer street.

Mrs. Jacob Reis, of Brooklyn, is the guest of Mrs. E. Eckel, of Chestnut street.

Miss Howard, of Newark, has returned from a visit with Mrs. I. H. Lambert.

Mrs. Samuel Packer, of Elm street, is entertaining Miss May Wilcox, of New Brunswick.

The Board of Registry is making its annual canvass of the township for the names of new voters.

Miss Sarah Reed, of Pittsburg, Pa., has returned from a visit with R. R. Sinclair, of Elm street.

The mid-week prayer meeting in the Methodist church last night was in charge of the Epworth League.

The Ironclad Rheostalt Company is now working its hands overtime to fill the large orders lately received.

The Westfield Junior football team has organized with Harry A. Knight, captain, and William Goltra, manager.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Baptist church holds its monthly meeting in the church parlors tonight.

Rev. Charles Fisk, of Trenton, has accepted the call to St. Paul s church, and will enter upon his duties November 6th.

The sale of Westfield property for delinquent taxes will take place at the town rooms tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Wong Mo Wah, of Plainfield, has opened a Chinese laundry in the store formerly occupied by W. W. Gilby, on Elm street.

William B. Chamberlain has received the contract for wiring the plant of the Duryea Carriage Company, at Sewaren.

The Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church meets in the lecture room this afternoon.

Herbert Buchanan leaves Monday for his home in Philadelphia, after a six weeks' visit with his sister, Mrs. A. A. Smith, of Elm street.

A chicken supper will be held at the residence of Mrs. A. Goodwin, at Mountainside, this evening for the benefit of the Mountainside chapel.

Clifford Gilbert, head salesman for the Falcon Packing Company, left yesterday for a business trip through Pennsylvania, West Virginia and the southern states.

EARLY INTELLIGENCF.

—A meeting of the Saengerbunds will be held this evening.

—Jerusalem Chapter, No. 24, R. A. M., will meet this evening and confer the Past Masters and Most Excellent degrees on two candidates.

—The class in mathematics in connection with the third year of the Y. M. C. A. mechanical course will hold its first meeting in the association building tonight.

—M. Weinberger, manager of the New York Clothing Company, is having a big sale of fall and winter clothing. Now is your time to save 60 cents on the dollar.

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—A large delegation of the members of the Christian Endeavor Society of the First Baptist church are attending the State convention at Paterson today. They will return this evening.

—Capt. William Hand kindly gave the use of one of his stages to transport the family of the Children's Home to the anniversary exercises in the Crescent Avenue church chapel Tuesday night.

—The assignee's sale of property of E F. Titus, of the Golden Rule Bakery, was begun yesterday afternoon, and after a few articles were sold the sale adjourned to next Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kliner, of Somerset street, are rejoicing upon the arrival of a young son.

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BICYCLE STEALING GOING ON.

While Allen Laing's Wheel was Left Unguarded the Thief Got in His Work.

The bicycle thief continues his work without hindrance. Last night he added another wheel to his collection. The owner of the missing wheel is Allen B. Laing, of Craig place.

Mr. Laing is the well-known electrician whose office is in the Babcock building. Last night he came to his office and left his wheel downstairs in the vestibule. He employed one of the colored men about the building to clean the wheel. The colored man was called away for a moment and left the wheel alone. When he returned, the wheel was gone. Mr. Laing was notified at once, and both hunted about the place to find the bicycle or the thief, but without success.

The stolen wheel was a Spalding of this year's model, No. 77,277. It was equipped with a lantern at the time it was stolen.

SOCIABILITY AWHEEL.

Under the Light of the Full Moon the Epworth League Will Enjoy a Spin.

The excellent condition of the roads and the full moon have combined to induce the social committee of the Epworth League of the First M. E. church to arrange another moonlight run for this evening. This bicycle sociable takes the place of the regular monthly sociable of the league and it is found to be far more pleasant under the present favorable conditions.

The run is under the charge of Miss Persis Snodgrass. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Leggett will act as chaperones. J. H. Stafford will be the bugler.

The start will be made from in front of the First M. E. church at 7:30 o'clock. After a spin out the Stelton road, the party will return to the residence of the pastor, Rev. W. C. Snodgrass, 610 Central avenue, and enjoy a social time.

THEATRICAL.

If one half the good reports we hear of the comedy "Side Tracked," which appears at Music Hall tonight, have been true, then the patrons of this theatre will have a genuine treat in store for them. The piece was written to amuse and entertain, and in this it never fails. The music is bright and catchy, including the latest popular airs, and as rendered by the remarkably fine voices in the company, is a pleasing feature of the entertainment.

Local sports, whose finances would not permit them to witness the fight at Carson City last March, will have an opportunity of seeing the contest, as reproduced by the veriscope, at Stillman Music Hall, on Friday and Saturday. The pictures are the same as were seen at the Academy of Music, New York, some time ago. Four exhibitions will be given, including two matinees. Prices 25, 35 and 50c.

TO PLAN FOR WINTER WORK.

Working Church Forces to Gather and Confer for Mutual Benefit.

For the purpose of discussing plans for the fall and winter work at Grace M. E. church a meeting will be held this evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Carroll, of Westervelt avenue. A special invitation has been extended to the members of the official board, officers and teachers of Sunday-school, cabinet of the Epworth League, officers of the Ladies' Aid Society and Woman's Home Missionary Society, and Superintendents of Queen Esther Band and Junior League. Besides the above all interested in the spiritual condition of the church are invited to be present.

Rev. Louis Walz, of LaGrande avenue, left this morning for Maryland, where he will remain for awhile.

Mrs. Joseph Blimm and daughter, of East Third street, are visiting relatives in New York for a few days.

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Funeral from parents' residence, 469 West Front street, Friday afternoon, October 8th, at 3 o'clock.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

FIRST-CLASS help and first class places at the Swedish intelligence office, 23 Somerset place. s 23 tf

WANTED—In a private family, an unmarried woman who desires a home for the winter, to assist in the care of lady in poor health. In answering give age and reference. If any experience in nursing also state it. Address Invalid, care Press. 10 6 3

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All-linen Crash	6c yard
Ladies' ribbed Pants and Vests	25c each

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50-in extra fine Diagonal	69c yd
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Ladies' and Misses' Bicycle Hose	35c pair

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Police Detain the Man Who Said He Helped Kill the Librarian.

Philadelphia, Oct. 7.—The man who surrendered himself to the police, and said that he was one of three men who robbed and murdered William C. Wilson, the Walnut street librarian, is detained at police headquarters.

The man gave his name as William Harris. The authorities are making every effort to corroborate his story and to arrest his alleged accomplices, whose full names Harris said he did not know.

Harris described one of his companions as a man whom he knew by the name of Monk. The police of the Twenty-fifth district say that a rough locally known as Monk is missing from his accustomed haunts. Harris gives details of the crime as he says it was committed. He says that Wilson was killed with a hatchet.

The prisoner declared that he was not the instigator of the crime. The other two men, he said, arranged the matter, and he "simply went along." The motive of the murder, he said, was robbery. The men believed that Wilson had a large sum of money in his place, but after killing him they found only $1.48. They took Wilson's gold watch.

Harris declared in his confession that the watch was buried in a field near Gloucester, N. J. Three special policemen Tuesday accompanied the prisoner to the spot, but no watch was found. Harris said that one of his accomplices must have gone to the place and unearthed it.

Both of the men named by Harris are criminals of the petty type, who are known to the police. One of them, at least, is believed to be out of town.

If Harris' confession is a hoax, as is believed by some of the officers of the department, it is a little hard to explain why he made it, except that he is of unsound mind. It may be, however, that he has a desire to secure witness fees.

The police are still arresting and discharging men suspected of being implicated in the murder of the aged bookseller.

FANATICS BURIED ALIVE.

Bodies of Six More Victims Unearthed—Sect's Strange Belief.

Odessa, Oct. 7.—Further excavations in the pits near Tirespol, where a number of fanatical followers of the Raskolniki were self-immolated by being buried alive some months ago, have revealed six more bodies of men, women and children. The search is being continued.

It is believed that thirty other bodies are still in the series of pits, where the horrible rites of the fanatical sect were practiced. Thus far the bodies of upward of thirty persons who voluntarily sacrificed themselves to the fanaticism of this religious sect, have been recovered.

In the early part of May it was reported, and the rumor was quickly confirmed, that a number of the fanatical followers of the Raskolniki, a Russian sect that believes in salvation by martyrdom, had been immolated by being buried alive or walled up in masonry, and shortly afterward the bodies of about twenty-five of the victims were recovered.

Six bodies were accidentally discovered on the premises of Feodore Kovaleff, who confessed that he had walled up in his cellar nine living persons, including his wife and two young children. He further admitted that he had buried the other six, while they were still alive, in a specially excavated pit ten feet deep. Kovaleff declared that all of these were voluntary victims.

In an adjoining garden, belonging to Matvel Sakula, four bodies were discovered in a pit. Sakula said that these were buried alive at their own request.

The sect of the Raskolniki is a survival of the old Dissenters, who were persecuted in Russia for two centuries. Their treatment was worst under Empress Sophia, when thousands of them were knouted by the State. The result was that they became fiercely fanatical, and invented a doctrine of salvation by martyrdom. They are now practicing self-immolation.

Kovaleff belongs to an ultra-fanatical branch of the Raskolniki called the Beguni. So rigorously exclusive are the members of this branch that they will not eat or drink from the same utensils used by relatives who have married ordinary members of the Raskolniki. They will not worship in churches or buildings used by others, but only in caves and cellars, which are usually filthy beyond description. Their services are conducted in closely guarded secrecy.

NEW ORLEANS IN A SORE PLIGHT.

Increase in Yellow Fever—Indignation Against the Health Board.

New Orleans, Oct. 7.—The record here yesterday for yellow fever consisted of forty-six new cases and five deaths. This makes a total of forty-three deaths here, with a total of 425 cases to date, and 134 recoveries. The situation is daily becoming more serious, particularly as the large pay roll of officials is mounting higher every day.

There is now a quarantine guard force of more than six hundred men guarding 250 infected localities, and the cost is about $30,000 a month for this work alone. Should the fever continue to mount as steadily as it did yesterday and the day before, it is believed that the finances of the health authorities cannot stand the strain and they will be forced to abandon the rigorous system of quarantining each and every house.

One Million for Powder.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 7.—One of the first messages that President McKinley will send to Congress will ask for an emergency appropriation of $1,000,000 for the purchase of smokeless powder for the navy. It will take at least a year to prepare this immense amount hence the necessity for early action by Congress.

In view of the threatening complications with Spain, the President will urge Congress to act expeditiously.

A Millionaire Kicker.

San Francisco, Oct. 7.—The old millionaire, Mr. William B. Bradbury, who recently paid a heavy fine for spitting on the floor of a street car, was caught in the toils of the law again yesterday when he was convicted of assault and battery on Paul Durney, a piano tuner. He will be sentenced to-morrow, and from the Judge's remarks he is likely to get the full penalty.

DRAFT RIOT OF 1863

NEW YORK CITY STILL OWES SOME OF THE DEBT IT INCURRED.

Horace Greeley and Henry J. Raymond Barely Escaped the Mob—Colored People were Stoned, the Militia Defied, and General Disorder Maintained.

In mid-July, 1863, when the whole North was rejoicing over Gettysburg and a call had been made for a new army to be raised by a draft, a large number of New Yorkers undertook to resist conscription. Their opposition assumed the form early on the morning of July 13 of a riotous onslaught upon the headquarters of a district provost marshal at the corner of Third avenue and Forty-sixth street. The rioters put to flight Deputy Provost Marshal Jenkins and his subordinates, destroyed wheel and ballots, and then set fire to the house. Marauding bands sprang up in various parts of the city. Bull's Head Hotel was visited, and a request for free drinks being refused, the place was fired, and two private houses on near-by Lexington avenue were burned down.

The feeling was that the war had been waged in order to free the Southern negroes, and animosity toward the colored race inspired the rioters in the afternoon to make a raid on the Colored Orphan Asylum in Fifth avenue. It was set on fire and destroyed. The original mob had now increased enormously. It started to go downtown to set on fire another provost marshal headquarters on the east side of Broadway, opposite where is now Daly's theater. The mob thwarted the firemen, with the result that the fire destroyed all the fronts between Twenty-eighth and Twenty-ninth streets, while many of the shops were pillaged.

A fatal sense of security and reliance on popular patriotism, together with some political dislike of harsh measures, had seemingly possessed the police department, (the old Metropolitan state organization,) and due preliminary precautions for the prevention of disturbance had been neglected; but at this stage the Superintendent of police became energetic. It was now seen at the close of Monday that the riotous spirit had exceeded ordinary police resources, and that the military arm was needed. Particularly so, because riotous feints had been made upon the Seventh avenue and the Center street arsenals and upon the armory at the corner of Second avenue and Twenty-first street. The house of Mayor Opdyke on Fifth avenue, near Sixteenth street, had been invaded and some of his furniture destroyed; and a riotous feint had been also made against the residence on Ninth street, near Fifth avenue, of Henry J. Raymond, editor of the Times, which had strongly supported the draft. Monday closed with a proclamation from the Mayor, commanding order and with the calling out of police reserves, so that Superintendent Kennedy now had 3,000 bluecoats at his command.

Tuesday, July 14, came and before the day closed a poor negro had been chased by a mob through Clarkson street, in old Greenwich village, captured, beaten, and then hanged. Gov. Seymour issued a proclamation declaring the city under insurrection, and inviting citizens to enroll themselves as special aids. Meantime a large section of the mob was threatening the Tribune office and also the house of a citizen, 19 Lamartine place, where Horace Greeley was a guest. Governor Seymour and Mayor Opdyke proceeded to the city hall, opposite the Tribune office, (where the compositors and staff were in a state of siege and armed with rifles and hand grenades), and addressed the rioters, urging them to refrain from violence. His habitual word in first addressing a meeting had always been "Friends," and he used that word in beginning his speech, which fact was immediately seized upon by some of the newspapers to his disadvantage. What rhetoric failed to do was accomplished by police clubs and good discipline before nightfall of Tuesday, and the Tribune was relieved of a mob.

All day Tuesday disturbances continued. Colored people were stoned and maltreated. At Fifth avenue and Forty-sixth street, a collision occurred between the military and a section of the mob, where the bayonet dispersed the latter. Another collision came on the east side, at Broome and Pitt streets, where the military were compelled to fire and wound several rioters. In another collision, at Second avenue and Thirty-fourth street, Col. O'Brien was unhorsed, stoned, and beaten to death, and his corpse dragged along the pavement and hanged to a lamppost. The house of Postmaster Wakeman, who had been active in promoting the draft, as well as the police station on Eighty-sixth street, were burned, and some clothing stores were sacked by the rioters. Up to Wednesday morning the third and last day of the rioting, 130 policemen had been more or less injured, including Superintendent Kennedy.

Archbishop Hughes issued a temperate address, one of the judges decided the draft methods not in accordance with the Constitution, and Provost Marshal-General Nugent issued orders suspending the draft, which proceedings, conjoined to the return of the city regiments from the front and details of Federal and state soldiers and the popular experience with the police force, virtually quelled the riot. One result of the riot was a municipal debt for damages of several millions, and a few of the riot bonds then issued are still outstanding.

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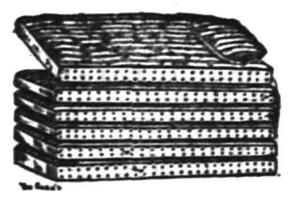

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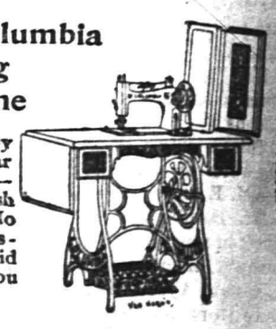

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Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 8 00, 7 58, 8 00, 8 30, 8 33, 8 58, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a.m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 3 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 9 15, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday, 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 10, 11 16 a.m.; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 22 p. m.

Leave New York, foot Liberty street, at 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00 a. m.; 12 00 m., (12 45 and 1 00 Saturdays only) 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, (5 15 except Saturdays) 5 30, 5 45, (6 00 except Saturdays) 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45 p. m.; 12 15, 1 00 night. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00, 9 00, 9 15 a. m.; 12 m.; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00 p. m.; 12 15 night; 1 00 a. m.

Leave New York from Whitehall street at 7 00, 7 58, 9 25, 8 55, 9 55, 11 55 a. m., (12 45 Saturdays only) 1 00, 1 25, 2 25, 3 25, 3 55, 4 25, 4 55, 5 25 (5 55 except Saturdays) 6 25, 6 55, 7 50, 8 25, 9 10, 9 55, 11 30 p. m., 12 10 night. Sundays—At 7 00, 8 55 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 2 30, 3 55, 5 25, 6 55, 7 25, 8 25, 9 50 p. m., 12 10 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 50, 8 00, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 01, 52, 10 08, 11 16 a. m.; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 18, 7 55, 8 38, 9 03, 10 05 a. m.; 12 10, 1 15, 1 35, 2 35, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 26, 5 42, 6 32, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 05 p. m. Sunday, 7 15, 9 05, 9 30, 10 35 a. m.; 1 10, 1 35, 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 20, 10 20 p. m.

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PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a.m 1 01, (1 40, Saturdays only) 2 11, 2 32, 3 35, 4 36 5 03, 5 15, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 16, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p. m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 06, 9 35, a. m; 2 03, 3 39, 6 35, 8 30, 10 15, 11 14 p. m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35 8, 9 13, 9 02, 9 46, 11 45, a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05 3 25, 4 25, 5 28, 6 08, 6 40, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05 p. m Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a. m; 12 05, 1 20, 5 15, 6 35, 7 59, 8 05, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a. m., 1 01, 2 11, 4 55, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 9 05 a. m; 2 03, 6 35 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a. m; 12 32, 4 06, 7 00, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 52 a. m; 6 30 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 9 54 a. m; 5 03, 5 15 p. m

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For staticns to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, & c with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

1 01 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for station on D., L. & W. R. R.

2 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, MauchChunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

4 55 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Scranton, Wilkesbarre, Tamaqua, Shamokin, (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

5 03 and 5 15 p. m., way or Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 38 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

9 05 a. m. Sundays for Easton.

2 03 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 03 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 35 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, etc., and at Junction for D., L. & W. R. R.

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For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 37, 8 13, 9 28, 10 27 a. m.; 1 15, 3 51, 5 22, 5 54, 7 03 p. m. Sundays, 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10 27 a. m.; 1 15, 3 51, 5 22 p. m.

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For Trenton, 5 17, 8 44, 9 46 a. m.; 1 01, 2 17, 4 25, 5 24*, 6 39* 8 21, 9 37* p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a. m.; 2 25, 4 55, 5 02, 6 39* p. m.; 1 17 night.

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Take further notice, that said Mayor and Council has fixed Thursday, October 14th, 1897, at 8 P. M. at the Council Chambers as the time and place for the examination and confirmation of said report, when and where any parties interested can be heard by said Mayor and Council, if any such desire to be heard or to object to said report or assessment in any way.

After such hearing said Mayor and Council will proceed as required by law to examine the matter and correct said report and assessment and ratify the same.

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HAVANA BADLY SCARED

Crowds of Spanish Volunteers Parading the Streets.

AMERICANS ALSO ALARMED

They Are Shouting "Death to the United States" and "Long Live Weyler"—Big Demonstration in Protest Against Weyler's Recall.

(Cable to the New York Sun.)

Havana, via Key West, Oct. 7.—At 10 o'clock yesterday morning the compromising Spanish merchants in Havana closed their stores and threatening groups of Spanish volunteers began to march along the streets crying:

"Death to the United States! Long live Spain! Long live Gen. Weyler! *Death to the traitors!*"

The whole city is in a state of terror. A large mass meeting of Spaniards has been called to meet at the Casino Espanol to-night in honor of Gen. Weyler. Placards have been posted in all the streets summoning the loyal Spaniards to the Casino, and inciting them to firmly support Gen. Weyler, who is, the placards say "the savior of Spain."

A long cable dispatch has been sent to Madrid, signed by all the most conspicuous irreconcilables of Havana, urging the Government to withdraw all steps for the recall of Gen. Weyler, which public opinion attributes to pressure from the United States.

The Spanish volunteers also threaten to throw down their arms if the Captain-General is recalled. The cable dispatches to the Government and the other manifestations in favor of Weyler have been signed also by Senors Montero, Galvez, Cueto and Saladrigas, members of the Autonomist party.

The excitement against the United States is so intense that an attack on the Americans is feared. The Cuban families are also in great danger. The city presents the same aspect of anarchy that it bore in 1869 and 1873. If the Government recalls Weyler, outrages upon American citizens and attacks upon the American Consulate are almost certain to occur.

The mobs that are parading the streets are also lifting their voices against autonomy, and the Autonomists themselves, led by Senor Montoro, declare that Weyler must not be recalled, and that it is a shame for Spain to grant "reforms" under pressure from the United States.

Gen. Weyler's factotum and favorite, Col. Escribano, chief of the staff of the Captain-General, is the man who started all this boom for Weyler through his agents, sent out to all the quarters of the city. Gen. Weyler himself has publicly declared that "he can neither resign nor accept a recall, because he is sure to end the revolution in a few weeks."

La Lucha publishes to-day a strong editorial in favor of Gen. Weyler, and inciting all loyal Spaniards "to do their duty."

The demonstration to-night will be turbulent, and disturbance of peace is feared. The crowd proposes to call at the palace and salute Gen. Weyler.

The report, widely circulated this morning, that negotiations are going on between Madrid and Washington to establish home rule in Cuba, and that the American Government will make proposals to the revolutionary leaders to induce them to accept, has increased the indignation of the uncompromising Spaniards.

A report came also from Madrid this morning that the Government has asked Gen. Martinez Campos to come to Cuba. The name of Martinez Campos is hissed by the uncompromising Spaniards in their meetings.

La Lucha asserts also that the Cabinet is in great difficulties because Gamazo and Maura, who have no portfolios, are beginning to attack Sagasta.

Seventeen hundred Spanish residents left Havana yesterday for Spain, fearing that the recall of Weyler would be the certain end of Spain's rule in Cuba.

The war is raging more fiercely than last week in Pinar del Rio province. At Llañadas Dolores, in that province, a remarkable victory was obtained on Monday by the insurgents. The Spaniards had forty-one killed and twenty-nine wounded, and the Cubans only six killed and twelve wounded. The Cubans were commanded by Col. Serafin Garcia. The Spaniards retreated, leaving a valuable convoy of supplies in the field.

The town of Guayabas, also Pinar del Rio, has surrendered to the insurgents. Another important engagement is reported at Cumanayagua, Santa Clara province, with heavy losses on both sides.

The report comes from Madrid that the Government has pardoned Senor Alfredo Zayas, a Cuban who was exiled to Ceuta.

EDITOR BEANS AGAIN.

Horsewhipped and Beaten in the Public Street in Waco, Tex.

Waco, Tex., Oct. 7.—Editor W. C. Brann published a card in which he disclaimed any intention to defame the young women pupils of Baylor University, but declared that the trustees and faculty were the objects of his attack, and insisted that they merited all he had said in the Iconoclast.

In consequence another attack was made on him this afternoon, and he was severely beaten. The persons attacking Brann were J. B. Scarborough, attorney and a trustee of Baylor University; George Scarborough, son of J. B. Scarborough, and R. H. Hamilton, another Baylor student.

They seized Brann in the Provident Building, took him to the middle of the street, and beat him with a cane and a buggy whip. It was done before the police could interfere.

The assailants were promptly arrested and refused to give bond for forcibly and illegally restraining Brann of his liberty and for aggravated assault.

Christian Endeavorers in Paterson.

Paterson, N. J., Oct. 7.—The State Convention of the New Jersey Christian Endeavor societies opened at 3 o'clock yesterday afternon at the Hall of the Young Men's Christian Association. There were upward of one thousand delegates present. The Rev. Dr French, president of the union, presided. The principal event of the afternoon was an address on Sabbath observance by the Rev. Dr. David James Burrell, of New York.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

—A vestibuled trolley car is now running on the street railway.

—The board of director will meet in the Y. M. C. A. building tonight.

—Extra quality of table peaches can still be had at Neuman Bros., the Watchung avenue grocers.

—George Weeks Sandford, the instructor in shorthand, will organize a class in that study at the Y. M. C. A. tonight.

—The third year class in mathematics in connection with the mechanical course, will be organized at the Y. M. C. A. tonight.

—The engagement is announced of Miss Underwood, of Jersey City, formerly of Crescent avenue, to Dr. Frank Hallock, of Park avenue.

—This evening a regular business meeting of the Reform Club will be held, to be followed by an interesting literary and musical programme.

—The trial of Lawrence Kerwin on the charge of illegal liquor selling will come before City Judge DeMeza tomorrow morning in the City Council chambers.

—Forty members of Fairview Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., came by stage from Mt. Bethel last evening to attend the anniversary of Franklin Council in Washington Hall,

—Special Officer Frisbie shot the two dogs this morning that bit little Stanley Varden, of East Fourth street, last week. One was a black dog belodging to Frank Randolph, and the other a white tramp dog.

—The Ford-Sevengala Company, which plays tomorrow and Saturday nights at Washington Hall, is without a doubt the greatest attraction of the kind on the road. Dr. and Mrs. Ford have appeared before the Crowned Heads of Europe, and Prof Sevengala has had the honor of appearing before President McKinley, at Canton, O.

FOR COUNTY CONTROL.

Union County Citizens Interested in the Construction of the Trolley Line.

The Union county citizens interested in the construction of the trolley line between Elizabeth and Plainfield met last night at the court house in Elizabeth and effected a permanent organization by electing ex-Senator Vail, of Rahway, president, and Lewis Quinn, of Elizabeth, secretary.

The plans as set forth in yesterday's Press were considered and adopted. Arrangements were made for the appointment of sub-committees, which will be named later.

The meeting was attended by those who have become interested in the new idea of county control of the trolley line. At the next meeting definite steps will be taken to secure the right of way along the proposed route.

BARD CYCLE COMPANY TAKE HOLD

Westfield Concern Purchase the Plainfield Cycle and Sporting Goods Co.

The Bard Cycle Company, of Westfield, has purchased the business of the Plainfield Cycle and Sporting Goods Company, on North avenue, and will continue to handle the same line of goods, with the Keating bicycle as a specialty. The president of the company is George L. Colgate.

Funeral of Mrs. Weaver.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Sarah Weaver was held from the residence of L. W. Randolph, of West Second street, yesterday afternoon. Rev. Dr. Yerkes conducted the services and made a touching address. The floral offerings were very beautiful. The pall bearers were Samuel Manning, L. L Manning, William Manning, Newton Saxton, Daniel Manning and Howard Randolph. The interment was at Hillside cemetery.

Pastor Chosen a Delegate.

A special meeting of the Park Avenue Baptist church was held last evening to elect delegates to the State convention. The pastor was chosen as one and empowered to select four others. A vote of thanks was extended to the Whatsoever Circle of King's Daughters for the gift of fifty hymn books.

A Hebrew Holiday.

The Day of Atonement was observed yesterday by all the members of the Hebrew faith in this city. Services were held all day in the rooms of the Hebrew congregation on West Front street under the charge of Rev. Dr. Rosalsky, of New York. Over 250 were present.

Will Have to Lose His Eye.

It has now been determined that Edward Marcellis, Jr., will have to lose his left eye as a result of the kick he received a few days ago from a horse. The injury gradually grew worse, until today when the above decision was reached by the physicians in charge.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The fac simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper

SPORTS

Sun Rises: 5: 3 a. m.
Sun Sets: 5:33 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be lighted at 6:33 p. m.

GOSSIP FROM GRIDIRON.

HAPPENINGS AMONG THE LOCAL FOOTBALL PLAYERS.

Games That are to be Played and Points About Teams and Individual Players That May Prove Interesting to Cranks.

There seems to be no doubt but that Plainfield will have the strongest eleven on the gridiron this year she has ever seen when the Plainfield A. A. team gets down to working order. There are now a number of candidates, and as most of them are excellent players it is difficult to select the team. Louis Waring is looking over the material at hand very carefully, however, and expects to announce in a short time the make-up of the eleven that is to represent Plainfield this year.

Last year an experiment was made, and Thomas A. Cuming, a comparatively light man, was tried at centre on the Plainfield team. He proved a great success, and between two such towers of strength as Brown and Milne, there was not a man who went through him during the season. This year Cuming was talked of as a candidate for centre, but now there appears a candidate that outdistances Cuming. The late arrival is Samuel Hall, who played with the Elizabeth Athletic Club team last year. He combines experience, great strength and weight, and makes an ideal man for centre. He has expressed a willingness to play with the Plainfield team this year, and will naturally strengthen the team. While Cuming will not play at centre, he is too valuable a man to loose. His original place was tackle, but two excellent men, Hallock and Lowell, make it hard for anyone else to secure a place. Cuming is now considered as a good candidate for a position behind the line. He has played there before on several of the minor teams. He embodies quickness and the faculty of using his weight to the best advantage. He is never rattled, but plays a systematic game and can be considered one of the most conscientious players on the eleven. He will probably be tried behind the line next Saturday.

VARIOUS SPORTS.

The open game seasons are as follows:

Hare, Rabbit, Quail—Between the 10th of November and the 1st of January inclusive. Fine, $20.

Woodcock—The month of July, and from the 1st of October to the 10th of December, inclusive. Fine, $20.

Gray, English or Wilson Snipe—The months of March, April and September. Fine, $20.

Ruffed Grouse and Partridge, European Grouse, Partridge and Pheasant—The 1st of October to the 10th of December, inclusive. Fine, $20.

Reed Bird, Rail Bird, or Marsh Hen—The month of September. Fine, 20.

Gray Fox or Black Squirrels—The month of September, and from the 10th of November to the 10th of December, inclusive. Fine, $20.

Grass or Upland Plover and Dove—The months of August and September. Fine, $20.

Deer—Between the 25th of October and the 5th of November, inclusive. Fine, $100.

Geese, Duck and other Webfooted Wild Fowls—Between the 30th of September and the 1st of May, inclusive, but at no time from vessels propelled by steam or sail. Fine, $20.

Brook Trout—Between the 1st of April and the 15th of July. Fine, $20.

Black Bass—Between the 30th of May and the 1st of December. Fine, $20.

Pickerel—Between the 1st of May and the 20th of February. Fine, $20.

CYCLING COMMENT.

Willard M. Miner, of East Sixth street, is spending his vacation in Plainfield awheel.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward F. Randolph, of West Front street, returned yesterday from an enjoyable two weeks' vacation spent in New York State on their wheels.

The F. L. C. Martin Cycle Company has something new in the line of Cleveland wheels which are finding ready sale. They have been sold in fact before they have arrived and another instalment of them is expected. They are known as models A. and B. One of the principal features is the very reasonable price.

Harold Chandor, of East Fifth street, will try to break the road record between Westfield and Plainfield on Saturday Oct. 9th. He will be paced by William Hobby of this city and another rider from Westfield. Walter Long will be the time keeper in this city and William Timpson will hold the watch at Westfield. This will make Chandor's third attempt at this record. Each time before he has met with an accident of some sort and been compelled to quit.

BASKET BALL.

Fred Smith is nursing a black eye, as the result of Monday's game.

The basket ball season has opened again and promises to be a lively one as far as Plainfield is concerned. The first team of the Y. M. C. A., of this city, is planning a regular campaign. Monday night the team was composed of Walter Long, captain; Fred Bonny, Berry Egan, E. Moraller and Mox Moraller. There are several others who are strong candidates for the team.

The business men of the Y. M. C A. are preparing to play all winter this year. Their great hope is to fairly defeat the regular team and to that end they will practice carefully. Monday's game was not a good chance to judge of the playing of the team, as several of them had not practiced any this season. The line up on Monday was Rev. H. J. Johnston, John H. Doane, captain; Frank Richards, Gilmour Drayton and Fred G. Smith.

GOLF.

The Plainfield golf team will play in Elizabeth next Saturday.

Bicycle Spin After Business.

The regular business meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Seventh-Day Baptist church was held last evening. Miss Ida Spicer was elected delegate to the State convention at Paterson. Rev. A. E Main will also attend. After the meeting twelve of the members enjoyed a spin on their wheels to Pumptown.

Pythian Delegates.

Goodwill Lodge, No. 15, Knights of Pythias, met last evening and selected Peter Robinson and William Downs delegates, and W. A. Kline representative, to attend the State convention of the order, which will meet at Bordentown next Thursday.

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Fell Over a Chair With Bad Effect.

Mrs. Daniel Ginna, of Watchung avenue, accidentally fell over a chair a day or two ago and, striking a table, she broke one of her ribs. Dr. Jenkins is attending her.

Miss Moss, superintendent of Muhlenberg Hospital, has returned from a month's vacation spent at the Delaware Water Gap.

Miss Jennie Hutchison left today for her home in Eastport, Me., after a visit with her brother, John P Hutchison, of Leggett's pharmacy.

May Wed Helen Gould.

New York, Oct. 7.—Society is discussing the reported engagement of Helen Gould, the daughter of the great capitalist, and Alonzo Potter, eldest son of the Episcopal bishop of the metropolitan see. The engagement was whispered about in exclusive drawing-rooms just before the bishop and his family went to the Lambeth conference in June, and, it was understood, would be announced just as soon as all the members of both families would meet after the Summer vacation. All are here now except Howard Gould, and he is on the Campania, which will arrive on Friday.

"Are men marrying less?" asks a Boston contemporary. Some of them are. The late Shah of Persia had 1720 wives, but his successor has only 60. —Louisville Courier-Journal.

A Good Riddance.

Night-Watchman A. B. Henry, at The Standard Flint Paper Co., of Newark, N J., Ejects an Undesirable Tenant.

There is a great deal of truth in the tales told about evictions in Ireland and in the North of Scotland during the early and middle part of the century. It is a hardship for any family to be summarily dumped on a roadside, without friends or wealth, half famished and half clad, but such ejections or evictions are not by any means confined to the British Isles. Scarcely a day passes in free America without similar cases being recorded, and often in place of extending gratuitous sympathy across the Atlantic we could find abundant opportunities to lavish it at home. Night watchman A. B. Henry, of 43 William street, Newark, N.J., became involved in an eviction a short time ago. Some time the reader may be forced to adapt the same measures. Knowing how Mr. Henry proceeded will save a heap of trouble and many a dollar. He says: "It may or it may not have been kidney disease that I had, but I know the pain was located in the left kidney and was very troublesome and annoying, to say nothing of the suffering it at times caused me. I learned about Doan's Kidney Pills and procured them from a drug store. I had to be very careful in stooping or lifting in order to avoid the sharp pains which were sure to follow if I made any careless movement, and any strain on the back caused a sharp twinge to pass through my loins. I used Doan's Kidney Pills and was completely cured, and am now entirely free from it. My back is as strong as ever, and during the long hours I am on my feet it does not bother me or get tired and painful as it did formerly."

Doan's Kidney Pills are for sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S.

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Men's winter russets, box calf, and enamel leather shoes. Patent leather in all new styles.

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NOTICE !

To Antoinette DeBaud, Marie Antoinette DeBaud, Marie Debaud, Leonard DeBaud, Elizabeth Bougerat, Rose Blaulocil, Anne Jaulin, Jeanne Roy, Leandre Ribaire, Henri Ribaire, Jean Metayer, Augustin Metayer, Angeline Ardoin, Thomas N Dwyer, Sarah Bird, William C. Kelly, or any other owner of any part of the lands or real estate with the appurtenances in the notice given below referred to:

You and each of you are hereby notified that it is the intention of the Common Council of the City of Plainfield to take a part of your lands or real estate, with the appurtenances necessary to be taken, situate, lying and being in the City of Plainfield, Union County, New Jersey, within twenty-five feet on each side of the center line of Westervelt avenue, and between the Northwesterly side line of East Front street and a point one hundred and eight and sixty six one hundreths (108.66) feet Southeast of Orange place, pursuant to the provisions of an ordinance of the City of Plainfield, entitled "An Ordinance to widen Westervelt avenue from the Northwesterly side line of East Front street to a point 108.66 feet Southeast of Orange place," approved July 12, 1897, to which ordinance and the map in said ordinance referred to, both said map and said ordinance being on file in the City Clerk's office of the City of Plainfield, you are referred to for particular description of the lands or real estate, with the appurtenances necessary to be taken as aforesaid.

You are further notified that a meeting of the Common Council will be held in the Council Chamber, No. 109 Park avenue, in the City of Plainfield, on Monday, the first day of November, eighteen hundred and ninety-seven, at eight o'clock p. m., at which time and place you and each of you will please be present, then and there to treat with the said Common Council for said lands or real estate with the appurtenances.

By order of the Common Council.
James T. MacMurray, City Clerk.
Dated, Plainfield, N. J., Oct. 6, 1897. 10 7 2

AN ORDINANCE

to establish the grade on Central Avenue from Randolph Road to Elizabeth Street.

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Sec. 1. That the grade on Central avenue, from Randolph road to Elizabeth street, be established as follows:

Beginning at the Southerly curb line of Randolph road at an elevation above the City base of 33.00 feet on the Southwesterly curb corner, and 32 75 feet on the Southeasterly curb corner; thence with an ascending grade of 0.30 per 100, a distance of 150 feet, elevation 33.45 West, 33.20 East; thence with a descending grade of 0'30 per 100, a distance of 650 feet to the location of a proposed street, elevation 31.50 West, 31.25 East; thence with an ascending grade of 0.30 per 100 a distance of 318 feet on the Westerly curb line, elevation 32 45 and a distance of 375 feet on the Easterly curb line, elevation 32 38 feet, thence a descending grade of 0.30 per 100, to the Northerly curb line of Elizabeth street, elevation 30.95 on the Northwesterly curb corner, and 31.05 on the Southeasterly curb corner.

Sec. 2. That all ordinances and parts of ordinances, so far as they conflict herewith, be and the same are hereby repealed.

Adopted by the Common Council Oct. 4, 1897; approved by the Mayor Oct. 6, 1897.
CHAS. J. FISK, Mayor.
Attest, J. T. MacMURRAY, City Clerk.

1897 Taxes

NOTICE is hereby given to the tax-payers of the City of Plainfield that the taxes assessed in said City for the year eighteen hundred and ninety-seven are now due and payable, and that if said tax be not paid before the

20th Day of December

next, the names of the defaulters with their respective taxes will be returned to the City Judge for prosecution. The Commissioners of Appeal in cases of taxation in and for the said City will meet at the Council Chamber, No. 109 Park avenue, Plainfield, N. J., on the

4th Tuesday of November

next, (November 23rd, 1897,) at two o'clock p. m. to hear complaints relating to assessments.

E. H. BIRD,
Collector.
Dated, Plainfield, N. J., October 1st, 1897.
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NOTICE !

The North Plainfield Republican Primary will be held in the school building, Somerset street, on Monday, the 11th inst., at 8 p. m., for the purpose of electing 5 delegates to attend the County Convention to be held at Somerville Wednesday, the 13th of October, 1897.

B. A. Hegeman, Jr.,
H. N Spencer,
Executive Committee.

Temple Cup Series Goes to Baltimore.

Boston, Oct. 7.—Boston's hopes of winning the Temple Cup grew beautifully less yesterday, when the champions dropped another game to Baltimore, more by wretched battery work and careless fielding. The general work of the team was listless and indifferent and would not land the team high in the second division if continued through the season. The crowd was not backward in expressing its displeasure, and, all in all, it cannot be said that the baseball season in Boston came to a brilliant close yesterday. The score:

Baltimore	0 4 4 0 0 0 0—8
Boston	0 0 3 0 0 0 0—3

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$15,000 worth of the finest

FALL AND WINTER -CLOTHING-

-: FOR :-

MEN, BOYS AND CHILDREN.

One of the leading wholesale manufacturers in New York has failed and their entire stock was sent to us to be sold at less than forty cents on the dollar they cost to manufacture. The house was noted in New York, and only the very best and choicest lines were handled by them. Recollect these will be sacrifice prices and will last but three weeks. A great opportunity for money-saving clothing buyers.

The very finest tailor-made clothing in the world will be sold at retail for less than half the prices that other stores ask for inferior goods. As this is such a rare occurrence, we respectfully invite all intending purchasers of clothing to give their personal attention and call early, as the choicest goods will most naturally go first. The sheriff must be paid in cash and this elegant stock of fine clothing will consequently be sacrificed at an enormous loss. We will sell you fine fall and winter suits, fall and winter overcoats, ulsters, heavy-weight trousers, coats and vests, handsomely and elegantly made, equal to the best merchant tailor's work, for less than the actual cost of the labor in making these fine garments. Here is your opportunity to purchase a suit or overcoat for what the lining would cost at any tailoring establishment in the city. A few prices will tell the whole facts. Means a saving of 60 per cent. on every dollar spent. We deal only in reliable clothing, and will not undertake to sell one dollar's worth of clothing unless we know that what we sell will give the buyers as good wear as if he paid us what the garment was worth. Men's winter all-wool suits, sizes from 33 to 44, that are sold all over Plainfield at $7.50 and $8.00, are sold here at $3.75; if not satisfied with this suit in any way, bring it back and get your money. Men's fine clay-diagonal heavy weight suits, silk-lined, worth $22.00, at $7.50. Men's satin lined dress suits in cutaway, worth $22.75, at $8.50. We offer 600 dark colored good suits in mixed cheviots and cassimers at $3.50, $4.50, $5.00 and $5.25, worth easily from $8.00 to $12.00. All wool men's pants at 85c. Heavy cheviots and cassimere pants at 95c, $1.10, $1.25 and $1.50, worth double. Fine double breasted heavy black cheviot suit handsomely made, at $5.25, that other stores ask $15.00 for. Elegant Prince Albert dress suits, very fine imported cloth, wholesale price $18.00 to $25.00, sale price $9.50. Extra fine dress pants, over one hundred styles in stripes and silk mixtures, neat checks and cords, $1.25, $1.50, $1.65, $1.90 and $2.25, worth from $3.75 to $5.50.

Bring this with you and if not shown everything here as advertised we will pay your car fare. Boys' neat double breasted suits, all wool warranted, with double knee and double seat, $1.00, 1.25, 1.50, 1.75 and 2.24, worth three times as much. Men's fine covert cloth fall overcoats, in light and dark shades, silk-lined, worth $16.00, at $5.00, latest styles. Men's heavy diagonal fall overcoat, fine finish, worth 12.00 to 15.00, at $5.50. Men's fine black melton overcoat, blue or black, elegantly made, at $6.50, worth 12.00. Men's imported kersey overcoats silk lined, French facing, worth 22.00, at $8.25. Men's dress overcoats at $3.25, worth 10.00. Buy your overcoat now and you will save sixty cents on every dollar. Men's ulsters, dark blue, all wool, waterproof cloth, worth 18.00, at $6.50. Very fine ulsters at $5.00 and $6.50, worth double. A good ulster for drivers at $2.50 and $3.00, worth from 6.00 to 8.00. Extra fine dress suit for young men and boys, long pants actually valued at 12.00 to 15.00, sale price at $4.50. Young men's single or double-breasted blue or black cheviot suit at $3.50, regular price 10.00. A good youth's suit at $2.50, worth 7.50. Bring anything back within fifteen days, that is not entirely satisfactory. Men's extra fine brown plaid suits at $3.50, $4.50 and $5.00, worth from $9.00 to 15.00. Men's winter bicycle suits at $2.00, $2.50 and $3, worth from 5.00 to 12.00. Remember, no other store in Plainfield can sell you such fine clothing for any less than three times these prices. We have over three thousand suits to choose from. All wool clay diagonal sack suit at $5.90, worth from 12.00 to 15.00. Over one thousand woolen knee pants from 15c to 60c. Everybody living within tweny-five miles of Plainfield should visit this great sheriff sale.

SALE BEGINS SATURDAY, OCTOBER 2, at 7:30 A. M.

New York Clothing Co.,

Next door to Music Hall, Plainfield, N. J.

M. WEINBERGER, Manager. Car fare paid to all out of town buyers. Don't miss this sale, it will pay you to come at once. Sale takes place rain or shine. Don't forget the place; it is 214 West Front Street, next door to Music Hall. Look for New York Clothing Co.

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9½ Cts Lb — **HAMS. HAMS. HAMS.** Very Best Honey Cured Hams. — 9½ Cts Lb

5 Cts Lb — **VERY BEST LARD.** Only 3 Pounds to a Customer. — 5 Cts Lb

23c lb **Absolutely Very Best Elgin Creamery Butter,** 23c lb
Superior to any sold in the City.

$5.75 per bbl. **Very Best XXXX Pastry Flour** $5.75 per bbl.
Only 1 bbl. to a customer. Guaranteed finest Flour in the World. 24½ lbs. 73c.

MEAT DEPARTMENT.		SPECIAL DEPARTMENT.	
Fresh Plate Beef,	3c lb	Bakers Cocoa,	20c box
Plate Corned Beef	3c lb	B. & G. Oil	65c qt
Leg Spring Lamb	12c lb	Duryea's Corn Starch	6c pkg
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THEIR LAST TRIBUTE.

FUNERAL OF MISS A. KATE MARTINE YESTERDAY AFTERNOON.

Large Concourse of Friends Attended the the Obsequies—Rev. W. R. Richards Officiated and Spoke Comforting Words.

The funeral of Miss A. Kate Martine, which was held at "Cedar Brook," the Martine homestead, on Watchung avenue, at 3:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, attracted a large concourse of relatives and friends from this city and surrounding towns, who came to pay a last tribute of love and respect to the memory of the departed.

The officiating clergymen were Rev. W. R. Richards, D. D., of the Crescent Avenue church, of which Miss Martine was a member, and Rev. S. P. Simpson, of St. Stephen's church, of Netherwood. The services began with the singing of a hymn, "Oh! Paradise," by a choir consisting of Mrs. Frank Clawson, Miss Jessie Utter, Elmer Runyon and H. A. Gavett. Dr. Richards read a number of selections from the New Testament and offered a brief prayer. His sermon which followed was based upon the injunction of the Apostle Paul to his disciples, to "Rejoice with them that rejoice and weep with those that weep."

"The people whose sympathy is most perfect," the speaker said, "will obey this injunction, since both the rejoicing and the weeping which they do are prompted by the same tenderness of heart, leading its possessor to share the burdens of others. And they who do this are following in the footsteps of Christ, who rejoices in our joys and sorrows in our griefs. We cannot forget such scenes in the Lord's life as that of the wedding at Cana, where His presence brought the best joys at the end of the feast, nor can we forget His parable of the Prodigal Son, where the only one who comes in for condemnation is the brother who could not share in the rejoicing at the wanderer's home-coming.

"But Christ can also weep with those who weep. It was thus that He went into the afflicted home at Bethany and wept. The matter of sympathy is largely one of temperment. Some find it easy to share sorrow and others can share joy, but few people are able to enter into both our joys and our sorrows. Once in a great while we find one made in the larger mould, whose temperment seems to have something of the Christlike in it. We are able to know by something other than the confession of the lips, whether the Spirit of the Master is in the heart of a person.

"The friends gathered here today are all of one household, prompted by the same sense of personal loss. When the news of this death came, some of the brightness was taken out of the day for all of us. This sense of enduring loss is a test better than words of the Christlike character of her whom we mourn. But if her character was Christlike and deserves our sorrowful remembrance, is it not also designed to draw our thoughts Heavenward? Can we not remember that Christ is the source of all gifts, and when He gives His Spirit to a person He merely draws us to Him that we may know Him better as a tender-loving Saviour and a merciful High Priest."

At the close of Dr. Richards' remarks a prayer was offered by Rev. S. P. Simpson, rector of St Stephen's church at Netherwood. The choir sang a hymn, "The Homeland," and the friends were then given an opportunity to view the remains which reposed in a handsome casket in the parlor.

The room was filled with floral offerings, mostly roses, and the casket was decked with roses. One by one, slowly the long line passed, each taking a last look at the face of the friend whom they would not see again upon earth. There were fully 300 people present.

The pallbearers were John Bushnell, Stephen Ginna, Gilbert Storrs, R Kirkhoff, Charles King and Mr. Marion.

Interment was made in the family plot at Hillside cemetery.

To Study English Literature

A number of the young people of the Seventh-Day Baptist church have organized a class in English literature under the direction of Miss May Tomlinson, of Cornell University. A meeting was held last Tuesday evening at which fifteen were present and the details for the class arranged. The meetings will be held every Tuesday evening, when the works of prominent authors will be read and studied.

Smith to be Hypnotized.

Paul Smith, of Punxsutawney, Pa., will be the subject who will be hypnotized by Prof. Sevengala tonight at Washington Hall, and he will then be placed in Harry Werner's show window on West Front street, where he will sleep for twenty-four hours.

TOILERS HEAR GOSPEL.

FACTORY MEETINGS HELD BY ENDEAVORERS AT PATERSON.

The Great Convention of Young Christians Now in Full Sway—The Reports of Officers Show Marked Prosperity.

A feature of the work of the Christian Endeavor convention now being held in Paterson, is a series of outdoor noonday meetings that have been arranged for different points in the manufacturing districts. It was the intention to have five of these gatherings. Yesterday the sky became overcast, the programme was changed, and only two were held—one on the Y. M. C. A. lawn and the other on Spruce street, near Oliver.

At the First Baptist and Market Street Methodist churches the main sessions of the day were opened at 3 p. m. The greatest interest was centred in the Baptist church, where Rev. Dr. J. Clement French, of Newark, the State president, delivered his address. Rev. L. R. Dyott, of Newark, opened the session as presiding officer. There was the usual song service, followed by devotional exercises in which Rev. F. S. Wilson, of Pompton, made the invocation.

At the session of the Market street edifice Rev. T. E. Davis, of Bound Brook presided and Rev. Harvey Wood led the devotional exercises. Rev. Dr. Cornelius Brett, speaking of the Christian Endeavor movement, said the union had far outgrown the fondest expectations of "Father Endeavor" Clark, its founder. Still there was much work to be done, as "sin multiplies like the mosquitoes of our New Jersey meadow."

The annual report prepared by Miss Ida B. Stephens, the State secretary, shows there are in the State 1,109 societies of Christian Endeavor, of which 731 are young people, 373 are junior and 5 are intermediate. Our Mothers' Society is about being organized Fifty-eight young people, 47 juniors and 5 intermediate, have been added to the roll this year. The total membership is 40,703, of which 12,073 are juniors. Of the members of these societies 2,293 have united with the church, the number including junior organizations. The young people's societies that have engaged in evangelistic work number 231, and 402 have missionary committees. The Y. P. S. C. E. have given $12,567 51 to missions, and the juniors $3,074 87, making a total of $15,642.38. There are forty-nine county and local unions in the State, nearly all of which have adopted the department system of work. Some have taken up special local work, of which the "Fresh Air Camp," conducted by the Westfield local union, with the help of neighboring societies, is the most notable.

E. E. Anthony, of Plainfield, the State Treasurer, makes a report showing receipts of $649.71, including $363 received as contributions from 190 societies. Of this sum $522.47 was expended for printing, postage, stationery, etc., leaving a balance of $127 24 on hand.

Miss Florence G. Hawkins, of LaGrande avenue, and Miss May D. Tompson, of Belvidere avenue, are the delegates from the Christian Endeavor Society of the Park Avenue Baptist church at the State convention. Mrs. Hawkins and J. M. Hawkins, of LaGrande avenue, went there yesterday from the same society.

THE UNDERGROUND WIRES.

Work Will Probably Begin After the Next Council Meeting.

There seems no reasonable doubt but that the City Council will pass the ordinance giving the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company permission to lay their wires underground at the November meeting when that ordinance comes up for third reading. If such is the case, the company will start at once laying the wires in some of the principal business streets so as to have them completed before the winter sets in in earnest. The rest of the work will be done in the spring as soon as the streets are in condition to allow it. Had the ordinance been taken up, however, when it was first presented by the company and passed at that time, Plainfield would now be entirely through with the trouble of laying the conduits.

A Busy Store

Prices do not always talk, but when they are backed up with merchandise of good quality they are worth investigating. White's advertisement tells of many goods and prices that cannot fail to interest you. Every department in the store on all four floors is in splendid shape to supply every want. All the orders for fall and winter goods were placed before the advance in prices, and you will find prices are lower than ever. They are starting special sales throughout every department, and it will pay to buy now for the future.

AN EXPERT'S VIEW OF PROPOSED COUNTY TROLLEY

Lemuel W. Serrell, Jr., Who Has Had Much Experience, Says It Cannot Be Profitable For Taxpayers.

He Reasons that the Amount of Money That Will be Required to Build the Road and Put it in Operation by the Lessees Will be Too Large For the Revenues of the Road to Pay an Interest On.

Lemuel W. Serrell, Jr., is what might be termed an expert in the matter of electric railways. Mr. Serrell is an electrical contractor, who has had much experience in building trolley lines and intimately knowing the cost of operation. Mr. Serrell has watched the promulgation of Frank Bergen's theory of county ownership for a trolley road on the county road with interest. He believes that it is not a practical scheme, and his reasons therefor are given below in the following letter sent to the editor of The Press this morning:

The citizens of Union county have recently been considering a project for the county to build an electric railroad between Elizabeth and Plainfield along the county roads, and, in so doing, widening the same to 100 feet, leaving the present macadam in the same place; making wide sidewalks, dirt driveway, curbing the street and building culverts at cross streets. The object of this plan is to lease the railway tracks to some electric railway corporation that will pay a sufficient rental to pay the interest on the county investment and in time retire the county bonds, all of which is to be done without burden to the taxpayer. Meetings have been held giving the project enthusiastic endorsement, but no one seems to have asked the question—can the county find a corporation willing to lease this road? If a railroad corporation can lease and operate the railroad so as to make money out of it, then the county will be safe in assuming the necessary indebtedness. If not, the taxpayer will be called upon to stand the losses.

The county road runs on the north side of the Central Railroad, between Elizabeth and Westfield, and on the south side, between Westfield and Plainfield, and the primary object of the movement is to preserve its present macadam, therefore it will be necessary to widen the street by making the widening all on the north and south side. The north side must evidently be chosen between Elizabeth and Westfield, and the south side between Westfield and Plainfield on account of the small depth of the property backing up to the Central railroad.

The total length of this proposed trolley between the Elizabeth and Netherwood depots, where connection would be made with the Plainfield street railroad track, is practically 10.8 miles. The total length of county road to be widened is practically 8.8 miles. To widen this street as called for in the proposed plans, it will be necessary to move 107 houses, and taking the average width of the county road at 60 feet, it will be necessary to acquire about 43 acres of land.

To move these houses, build new foundations, excavate cellars, regrade property and rebuild fences, will cost at least $700 each.

The county cannot become bandits and confiscate the land needed for widening the street; benefits and damages must be paid, and the cost to the county must certainly be as much as $2,000 per acre.

The following is, therefore, a reasonable estimate of what the work will cost:

Double track construction	$222,300
Overhead construction without feeders	28,500
Move 107 houses at $700 each	74,900
Purchase of 40 acres of land at $2,000 each	80,000
Grading street to 100 feet in width	25,650
Curbing street	55,800
Total	$487,150
Add for culverts, engineering and incidentals	12,850
Total	$500,000

The electric railway company leasing this proposed road must furnish equipment power and feeders at its own expense.

For a fifteen minute headway between Elizabeth and Plainfield the company must have eleven open and eleven closed cars, the necessary feed wires, a suitable power station and car barn. The estimated cost of which is $130,000, which makes a total outlay that the railway company must be able to earn the interest upon—$630,000.

Can such a railway do this? Let us see:

Suppose the county issue $500,000 bonds and place the same at par for 4½ per cent. interest. In order to pay these bonds off in thirty years they must redeem $16,000 every year.

These two charges amount to $39,100 per annum which the railway company leasing the proposed tracks would have to pay as rental, or the taxpayer will have to pay the same.

In addition to this, the railway company must earn interest on its own investment at 5 per cent. and must have at least 5 per cent. for contingencies and accidents, which amounts to $13,000 per annum. The net earning of the railway company must, therefore, be $52,100 per annum in order to make both ends meet.

For a suburban road such as this, the very lowest figure for the operating expenses would be 65 per cent of the gross receipts. The necessary gross receipts per annum would therefore have to be $150,000, or practically $7,600 gross per annum per mile of track, or $14,000 per mile of street.

Any railroad man of experience would know this was an impossibility; but for those who do not know let us give a comparison:

The report of the New Jersey State Board of Assessors for the last year shows the following gross earnings per mile of track per annum for several cities:

Trenton	$6,000
Plainfield	5,000
Camden	4,500

It must be remembered in considering the above earnings that fully one-third of the track mileage is single track, which gives a much greater population to draw on, and makes the earnings per mile of track larger than in a case where the road is double tracked from one end to the other as in the case of the proposed Elizabeth-Plainfield road.

Let us also consider a few suburban roads, i. e. The New Jersey Electric Railway, which starts at the Lackawanna Ferry, Hoboken, and runs through Hoboken, Jersey City, Union Hill, Rutherford, Carlstat, Passaic, Clifton, Paterson and Signac; all of which makes a population of about 400,000 people to draw on, besides a New York city terminal. Its gross earnings per mile of track per annum are $5,000.

The Camden, Gloucester & Woodbury Electric Railway, having a Philadelphia terminus, only earns $5,100 per mile of track per annum.

Such facts as these ought to aid digest the enthusiasm of the advocates of this proposed county trolley and show them that what Union county is undertaking to do will result to them in losses which the tax payer must make good.

Lemuel W. Serrell, M. E.

Only One Bid Received.

The Building Committee of Trinity Reformed church met last evening at the residence of B. A. Hegeman, Sr., to talk over the painting and decoration of the interior of the sanctuary, and to receive bids for the same. As only one bid was received the matter was not decided upon. Wiring the church for electric lights and re-upholstering the seats and cushions was also discussed but no action was taken. Another meeting of the committee will be held at an early date and bids for decorating, upholstering and electric lightning will then be received and contracts awarded.

Flag Presentation Arranged.

At the meeting of the Gesang and Turn Verein held last evening three new members were elected and one candidate proposed. The members made final arrangements for the ball and flag presentation to be held at an early date. A ball and concert will be given in the hall on Thanksgiving Eve. The winter opening of the hall will take place next Sunday.

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Apples Dumped Out in the Road

While a man in the employ of W H. Smith, of Washingtonville, was taking a load of apples to a nearby cider mill yesterday afternoon, the horse which he was driving became frightened and ran away. The wagon struck the bridge at Spencer's place, and after throwing the driver out, also dumped the apples and wrecked the wagon. The horse got away and ran for a considerable distance before he was caught. Neither man or horse was injured. The apples were gathered and placed in another wagon, after which they were taken to the cider mill.

The Arion's First Ball.

The first annual ball of the Arion Club was held in the Cycle Academy last night and was attended by about seventy five couples. The academy, which has the largest dancing surface of any building in New Jersey, presented a neat appearance with the tasteful decorations that had been arranged by the members of the club. O'Reilly's orchestra furnished the music, and to its tuneful melodies the dancing was continued until close to daylight this morning.

SHORT IN HIS ACCOUNTS

SENSATIONAL DISAPPEARANCE OF A U. S. EXPRESS EMPLOYE.

Manager Mills Discovered a Discrepancy This Morning and a Short Time After, H. P. Barton, the Culprit, Disappeared.

Much comment was caused in this city today by the sensational disappearance of H. P. Barton, an employe of the United States Express Company, whose office is at 152 North avenue.

Barton has been in the employ of the company as a driver for the past three years and was considered a reliable man until a short ago, when he seemed to have got into bad company.

No discrepancy was ever found in his accounts, however, until last night, when the manager of the office, E. W. Mills, detected a difference in the amount of money handed in by Barton and the amount indicated to be due upon the return sheets.

This morning the Manager taxed Barton with the discrepancy and reprimanded him. He seemed to feel the disgrace of his position keenly, and left shortly afterward, at about 7:45 o'clock, to make his morning deliveries and collections.

At 9 o'clock Manager Mills was called to the telephone and informed that the wagon which had been sent out in Barton's charge, was abandoned at the corner of Madison avenue and West Second street.

Mr. Mills sent a man after the wagon at once. It was standing uncared for where Barton had left it nearly an hour before. No trace of the missing man has yet been found and it is thought that he has left the city to escape censure for his misconduct. His widowed mother and sister, with whom he lived on West Second street, are unable to account for his disappearance.

When seen by a Daily Press reporter this afternoon Mr. Mills stated that the amount of money Barton did not turn over would probably not exceed $60. The company will sustain no loss, as the missing man is under a $1 000 bond.

At a late hour this afternoon Mr. Mills received a telegram sent by Barton from New York city, which read as follows:

Will be back this p. m. Harry.

IN BEST BIB AND TUCKER.

Mine Host Beerbower Entertained His Friends in the City Hotel.

Mine host Beerbower was in his best bib and tucker, figuratively speaking, last night on the occasion of the "opening" of his rejuvenated hostlery, and a large number of Plainfielders were his guests at the old and yet new City Hotel. As told in this paper on Wednesday this hotel has undergone a thorough overhauling from top to bottom and now possesses interior furnishings and improvements that put it in the up-to-date class.

In keeping with the season the cafe had been appropriately decorated in autumnal style, and the prevailing tints and hues of waning nature, as gathered in well-designed pieces and arrangement, gave a pleasant effect to those who clinked glasses there and drank to the health of the proprietor.

In the dining room Mr Beerbower had prepared sumptuously to tickle the palates of those who gathered around the board. A delectable lunch was served and with it ample decoctions of lemonade or Roman punch, as determined by the guests' fancy for either that which merely appeased the thirst or imparted a vigor after the sips had been many.

"Open house" was kept from 8:30 to 10:30 o'clock, and during the intervening time Mr. Beerbower was many times complimented on the fine hostlery that he now presides over.

WHO WILL COACH THE TEAM?

The Girls Athletic Association of the High School Are Asking That Question.

The question that is now most concerning the members of the Girls Athletic Association of the Plainfield High School is who is to be their coach. Walter L. Long, captain of the Y. M. C. A. basket ball team, has offered to coach the girls of the Senior class team. It has also been suggested that a graduate of Smith College, a friend of one of the teachers, who played basket ball there, be engaged to coach the girls. It is probable however that Long's offer will be gladly accepted. Another meeting of the Athletic Association will be held soon to select colors for the association and also the design for a pin.

Kerwin's Trial Again Adjourned.

The trial of Lawrence Kerwin on the charge of illegal liquor selling, was adjourned this afternoon for two weeks after a conference between Walter L. Hetfield, counsel for the prisoner, and City Judge DeMeza.

LAND OF GREAT WEALTH.

INFORMATION ABOUT KLONDYKE BY ONE WHO HAS BEEN THERE.

The Lecture Given by Archdeacon Kirkby, and Marked by the Relation of What the Speaker Knew by Personal Experience.

Alaska and the Klondyke are words in everyone's mind and everyone's mouth in these days, and it was a deeply-interested audience that gathered in the parish house of Grace P. E. church last night to hear a lecture on the all-absorbing subject by Very Reverend Archdeacon Kirkby, of Rye, N. Y. The lecture was unusually interesting, because of the fact that the reverend gentleman had himself seen the place which he described, and that very recently.

The lecture, Mr. Kirkby announced in the beginning, would be in three sections, and the first section would refer to the geography of the region. A large map of the northern part of our continent hung behind the lecturer, and he pointed out each place he mentioned, saying that he would take it for granted that his hearers knew nothing about it. He described the various ways of reaching the Klondyke. There was the route traversed by the Alaska Transportation Company, by boat from San Francisco, the easiest of the ways of reaching the region; the more difficult way by boat to Dyea (which he said should be spelled "Die" here), which necessitated a perilous passage of the mountains; the overland route from Canada; and lastly the route he himself took from the east, through the straits to Hudson's Bay, landing at York Fort, and across British America.

The stories the speaker told of his experiences among the Eskimoes kept his audience in a continual state of amusement, as they abounded in racy anecdotes, told in an unusually bright and entertaining manner.

The first section of the lecture having come to an end, a musical interlude was given, in which the graphophone, managed by W. W. Moore, entertained the audience with the Liberty Bell March, a xylophone solo, "Firefly Galop," a waltz, "On the Seashore," and a selection played by the Trinity chimes.

The second section of the lecture referred to the country and the people. The winters, of course, are intensely cold, the temperature going as low as fifty degrees. In the winter, the sun rose at 10 o'clock and set at 2; in summer it rose at 2 o'clock and set at 10. In the summer it is actually hot, sometimes ninety degrees, and the mosquitoes are a perfect torment. Mr. Kirkby spent twenty-five years in the northern wilderness, and for many years they received only three mails a year, and any goods that they wanted sent to them must be ordered two years before. Traveling is by snowshoes and dog-sledges. Mr. Kirkby exhibited an Indian snowshoe made in the Klondyke region. The Indians are quiet folks, simpleminded and confiding, making no trouble for the white men.

Another musical interlude by the graphophone included Sousa's last march, "The Stars and Stripes Forever," a song, "The Palms," a banjo solo, "Down in Tennessee," and a waltz, "La Gitana."

The third and last part of the lecture referred to the gold fields, and what must be done by those who would obtain a share in its riches.

Gold is found in three kinds—placer gold, the richest of which is found in old river beds; gravel gold, which is found in the gravel about eighteen feet under ground, and in the rocks, which can only be obtained when they get the proper machinery. So no one knows how rich the country is. The proper time to arrive is in the spring, as, if you arrive in the fall or winter, you have to wait till the snow is gone. Then you have to legally take up your claim. The supplies required include all manner of cooking utensils, a stove, a large amount of food, and ten per cent. more of the graces of character than would be required anywhere else.

The lecture was followed by three more graphophone pieces: a selection from "Carmen," "Blue Bells of Scotland," played on the orchestra bells, and the Lord's Prayer in the Indian language, as repeated by the archdeacon. This closed an evening unusually pleasant, both in its interesting and instructive lecture by the genial archdeacon, and in its entertainment by the little cylinders of preserved music.

Republicans Looking Forward.

The date for the local primaries of the Republican party are not far off and the time for an awakening among the local politicians has come. A meeting of the city executive committee of the Republicans has been called for this evening, when plans for the coming campaign will be discussed.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

BOTH WERE DRUGGED

The Food of Nack and Thorn Dosed to Make Them Sick.

A CONFESSION EXPECTED

Strange Methods Adopted to "Break Down" the Prisoners—Man's Head Hung in Mrs. Nack's Cell at Night to Scare Her.

New York, Oct. 8.—It would appear that Sheriff Doht and District Attorney Youngs have hopes of securing a confession from either Mrs. Nack or Martin Thorn, who are in the Queens County Jail at Long Island City awaiting trial for the murder of William Guldensuppe.

It is well known that both prisoners have been in a very excitable condition at different periods in the last few days. Sheriff Doht said yesterday he believed that had not the lawyers of both Mrs. Nack and Thorn called upon them late Wednesday afternoon both would have collapsed from nervous hysteria.

Man's Head in Her Room.

As an indication of how the jail authorities are trying to work on the feelings of Mrs. Nack, the picture of a man's head was hung up in her room in plan view of the prisoner on Tuesday night after she had retired.

When she got a glimpse of the picture Wednesday morning she asked the matrons why it was put there, and they replied it was only a joke. She requested that the picture be removed. This was done.

A story was being circulated about the jail yesterday that on Tuesday food had been especially prepared for Mrs. Nack and Thorn in a way to cause them to have nausea. This was done, it is alleged, to help in breaking them down.

Sheriff Doht was asked about this, and he admitted that both Mrs. Nack and Thorn had been taken sick after partaking of some soup on Tuesday.

When asked if the soup had been "doctored" the Sheriff laughed and said he was not going to tell everything. On being further pressed for an answer, he said he supposed that the soup was "too rich" for the prisoners. He said that such diet was not usually given to ordinary prisoners in the Queens County Jail.

On the Verge of Madness.

Mrs. Nack is on the verge of a tragic breakdown. She is a haunted woman, starting at the least sound, shivering with fits of terror.

She fails to recognize familiar faces. She stares intently at the blank cell walls, and then recoils as though she beheld some one—Guldensuppe perhaps—standing there.

Sheriff Doht believes that Mrs. Nack is on the verge of madness. He says that Thorn, too, shows signs of losing his reason under the terrible strain. He mumbles to himself. He broods, with knitted brows and restless hands.

Mrs. Nack knows the details of the death that awaits her—this is the latest discovery. She has sat in the electric chair at Sing Sing Prison.

Sat in the Seat of Death.

Six months ago, when she and Thorn were planning the murder of Guldensuppe, she visted the prison for this purpose.

She wanted to steel herself for any ordeals of the future. She fitted her portly form in the chair; she had no fear; her superstitious nature told her this was a good omen.

Back she came to New York in an enthusiastic frame of mind. All scruples were thrown to the wind; she urged the killing of Guldensuppe.

The foul murder was committed.

She was arrested; she saw the narrow road between prison walls that lay before her. Then she beheld the electric chair—at one end of the narrow road the dismembered body of Guldensuppe, at the other the electric chair, not harmless as when she sat in it before, but tingling with mysterious, scientific death.

Showed Him Her Deformed Foot.

Baltimore, Oct. 8.—Miss Carrie Shapiro, of Richmond, was a witness today in her own behalf in the suit brought by her against Nathan Roseu, of Harowith, Roseu & Co., cloakmakers, of Baltimore, for breach of promise. The case differs from any other ever brought here in that the defendant acknowledges that he was engaged, but says he declared the marriage off as the young woman had a flat and deformed foot. Miss Shapiro says that he was fully aware that her foot was not shapely, as he examined it soon after he became engaged to her, and then told her it made no difference to him. She also testified that he wanted her to elope soon after this, but she objected.

Col. G. H. North in Jail.

Philadelphia, Oct. 8.—Col. George H. North, the well-known stock broker and a prominent officer of the National Guard on Gen. Snowden's staff, is confined in Moyamensing prison under a commitment by Judge Ferguson, of the Orphan's Court, dated Oct. 5, 1987. Col. North was arrested on an attachment issued by Judge Hanna for contempt, dated Oct. 2. The contempt consisted of a failure to obey an order made upon him as executor of the estate of the late Mary S. Volans, to account for the payment of a legacy of $2,000 bequeathed to the Woman's Christian Association, of Philadelphia.

More Gold Is Coming.

New York, Oct. 8.—On the steamship Normannia, sailing from Hamburg today, will be shipped $500,000 in gold, consigned to Kuhn, Loeb & Co., the New York bankers.

This will make $1,000,000 en route to New York. The total amount which has been received here since the flow of the yellow metal turned to the United States is $2,300,000.

A Spellbinder's Suicide.

New York, Oct. 8.—J. L. Downs, a resident of Cleveland, O., until recently a wealthy business man of St. Louis, Mo., shot himself last night in Central Park. He was taken to the Presbyterian Hospital, where it was said he could not live.

Downs was a friend of Senator Jones, of Nevada, and last year stumped the West for Bryan.

RIGHTS OF SALVATIONISTS.

Capt. Herdman Again Arrested in Trenton—Will Fight the Case.

Trenton, N. J., Oct. 8.—Thomas Herdman, of the Salvation Army, was again arrested last evening while holding services in the streets in the centre of the town. He was released on bail for a hearing this morning. Announcement was made that the Army would hold street services, and a crowd collected, but there was no disorder. The charge made is obstructing the street. On last Sunday Capt. Herdman and five companions were arrested on a charge of disorderly conduct, and the Captain was sent to the county farm in default of a fine. Judge Woodruff ordered his discharge because of illegal commitment, but before the order was served on the workhouse keeper the fine was paid by Trenton ministers.

Capt. Herdman has been advised that the police have no right to interfere with him, and the street service was held last night with a view of making a test question. Citizens have procured counsel for him and will pay the expenses.

Gen. Woodford's Note.

Madrid, Oct. 8.—Premier Sagasta has declared that the note addressed to the Duke of Tetuan by United States Minister Woodford, concerning which there has been so much speculation as to its actual purport, was worded in the most polite terms. The note, he says, conveyed assurances of the highest regard on the part of the United States for Spain, and its purpose was to make inquiry at what period the Spanish Government thought it would be able to bring the war in Cuba to an end.

Gen. Woodford requested an answer to his note before the end of October, upon the pretext that the United States Government must report the matter to Congress at the earliest possible moment.

Debs Would Be a Railroad Contractor.

Chicago, Oct. 8.—Eugene V. Debs and other Social Democracy leaders have temporarily abandoned their co-operative colony scheme for the business of railroad contracting. Debs now desires to build a railroad for the city of Nashville, Tenn. He offers to supply bonds to any amount for the fulfillment of the contract. The contract price is $300,000, for which amount he suggests that the city shall issue bonds in large and small denominations and turn them over to the Social Democracy in payment for the work on the installment plan.

Veterans Are Preferred.

Albany, Oct. 8. — Attorney-General Hancock has interpreted the civil-service law as it relates to veterans, at the request of the Civil-Service Commission of Rochester. His opinion says that all persons who have passed examinations for merit are to be certified to the appointing offices. That officer must hold examinations for fitness. If any veteran passes both of these examinations, even though the percentages he receives are the minimums required by the examiners for passing, he is then entitled to preference for appointment under the Constitution.

$7,500,000 for Famine Relief.

London, Oct. 8.—The Lord Mayor's fund for the relief of the sufferers by the famine in India, which was opened last January, has been closed. The total collections amount to £549,300, which exceeds the record of any charity fund raised by popular contributions.

Lord George Hamilton, Secretary of State for India, announced at a meeting that the aggregate collections for the relief of the Indian famine sufferers, including the American, Colonial and others funds, amounted to £1,500,000, and said that the famine had caused a pecuniary loss of £10,000,000.

New Big Glass Company.

Camden, N. J., Oct. 8.—The American Glass Company, with a capital stock of $1,200,000, to-day filed articles of incorporation in this city. The incorporators are James A. Chambers, a prominent glass manufacturer of New Kensington, Pa.; Elmer I. Phillips, of New Castle, Pa., and S. Lawrence Bodine and William Bodine, glass manufacturers of Bridgton. Stock to the amount of $300,000 will be issued at once, and additional stock will be issued from time to time until the limit, $1,200,000, shall have been issued.

Baltimore and Boston Tied.

Worcester, Mass., Oct. 8.—The Baltimore and Boston teams of the National League played an exhibition game here yesterday afternoon.

The town did justice to its first opportunity to witness a contest between League champions, and turned out royally, giving both teams a good reception.

The score at the end of the sixth inning was 7 to 7.

The final score was: Baltimore, 11; Boston, 10.

A Mile in 1.36.

Philadelphia, Oct. 8.—Jimmy Michael lowered the world's one-mile record at Willow Grove yesterday, covering the distance in 1 minutes and 36 seconds. Michael made two trials, failing on the first on account of the chain snapping on the "quad." He was forced to go the mile behind a sextet, his time being 1 38 4-5, one second better than the previous track record, made during the L. A. W. meet by Arthur Gardiner. After a rest of a half hour he made a second trial, having a sextet and "quad" to pace him.

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Dr. Carman, of Franklin place, is having his residence painted.

—A new lodge of Elks will be started in Passaic this winter. Several of the Elks from this city will be in attendance.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. T. C. Smith and Miss May Stelle, of Madison avenue, returned today after a visit at Westerly, R. I.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Randolph, of West Front street, have gone to Brooklyn to visit relatives.

A Valuable Prescription.

Editor Morrison, of Worthington, Ind., "Sun," writes: "You have a valuable prescription in Electric Bitters, and I can cheerfully recommend it for Constipation and Sick Headache and as a general system tonic it has no equal." Mrs. Annie Stehle, 2025 Cottage Grove Ave., Chicago, was all run down, could not eat nor digest food, had a back ache which never left her and felt tired and weary, but six bottles of Electric Bitters restored her health and renewed her strength. Prices 50c and $1. Get a bottle at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

Mr. and Mrs. George Duffert, of Whitehouse, are guests at the home of Walter C. Williams, of West Third street.

A few weeks ago the editor was taken with a very severe cold that caused him to be in a most miserable condition. It was undoubtedly a bad case of la grippe and recognizing it as dangerous he took immediate steps to bring about a speedy cure. From the advertisement of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the many good recommendations included therein, we concluded to make a first trial of the medicine. To say that it was satisfactory in its results, is putting it very mildly, indeed. It acted like magic and the result was a speedy and permanent cure. We have no hesitancy in recommending this excellent Cough Remedy to anyone afflicted with a cough or cold in any form.—The Banner of Liberty, Libertytown, Maryland. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Mrs. George Reighton, of Park avenue, has been very ill for a week past but is now improving.

Those who believe chronic diarrhœa to be incurable should read what Mr. P. E. Grisham, of Gaars Mills, La., has to say on the subject, viz.: "I have been a sufferer from chronic diarrhœa ever since the war and have tried all kinds of medicines for it. At last I found a remedy that effected a cure and that was Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy." This medicine can always be depended upon for colic, cholera morbus, dysentery and diarrhœa. It is pleasant to take and never fails to affect a cure. 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

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Mr. and Mrs. Samuel H. Edwards, Miss Helen Edwards and Bert Edwards, of Carthage, N. Y., arrived in Plainfield yesterday and were guests at the home of J. E. Morse, of Franklin place. They have now taken possession of their new home on La-Grande avenue.

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FULL TAMMANY TICKET.

Withdrawal of Ruppert, and Host of Other Surprises.

New York, Oct. 8.—The Tammany Hall Convention, to name a county ticket, was called to order at 2½ o'clock yesterday afternoon.

It was a typical Tammany crowd, noisy and good-natured, and as the celebrities came in they were received with cheers.

At 2.10 o'clock Maurice Holahan, who had been selected to preside at the convention, rapped for order, and then made a speech, roasting Mr. Platt's party with true Tammany vigor. He announced that the only issues of the campaign are "low taxes, home rule, personal liberty, and the excise law."

John W. Keller was named for permanent chairman. He made a speech the principal feature of which was that he voted for Bryan and helped nominate Judge Van Wyck.

After the reading of the platform John C. Sheehan came forward and presented a resolution directing the convention to proceed to the nomination of candidates for two Justices of the Supreme Court, two Judges of the City Court, a Sheriff, a County Clerk, a Register and four Coroners.

The following is the full ticket nominated:

For Justices of the Supreme Court—Charles H. Van Brunt and Francis M. Scott.

For Justices of the City Court—John Henry McCarthy and Edward F. O'Dwyer.

For Sheriff—Thomas F. Dunn.

For County Clerk—William Sohmer.

For Register—Isaac Fromme.

For District Attorney—Asa Bird Gardiner.

For President of the Borough of Manhattan—Augustus W. Peters.

For Coroners—Edward T. Fitzpatrick, Jacob E. Bausch, Edward W. Hart and Antonio Zucca.

Grady, it will be observed, is not on the ticket. Another piece of news is the withdrawal of Jacob Ruppert, Jr., from the city ticket, on which he had been nominated for President of the Council.

THE MYSTERIOUS WILSON MURDER

Titterman, the Suspect, Thought to be Demented and His Story Untrue.

Philadelphia, Oct. 8.—The man who surrendered himself to the police on Monday and said that he was one of the murderers of William C. Wilson, the librarian, giving his name as William Harris, has been identified as John Tittermary. He is well known to the authorities.

The police now believe that Tittermary is demented. In many particulars the story which he told when he surrendered himself seemed probable, but his alleged confession has been found to be untrue.

The man Monk, whom Tittermary described as one of his accomplices, was in prison at the time of the murder, where he was serving a sentence for robbing railroad cars. Tittermary was examined yesterday for the purpose of ascertaining his mental condition, but the result of the examination has not been made public.

MAIL TUBE SERVICE.

Dr. Depew Sends the First Parcel—A Cat Sent Through the Tube.

New York, Oct. 8.—At fifteen minutes past noon yesterday Chauncey M. Depew wrapped a small silk American flag around a Bible and copies of the Constitution of the United States and President McKinley's inaugural address. He put them into a special "carrier," which he placed in the opening of the new pneumatic mail tube from the Post-Office to the Produce Exchange. One minute later the "carrier" was started for the Exchange Post-Office station. It arrived there in a second or two over a one minute. This was the inauguration of the Greater New York mail tube service. When completed next January, the system will comprise six pneumatic tubes, two of which will connect the General Post-Office Building with the Produce Exchange, two with the branch station at Forty-fourth street and Lexington avenue, and two with the main office in Brooklyn.

After the sending of the first "carrier" others went and returned in rapid succession. The returning ones brought all sorts of curious things, among others being a handsome, live, Angora cat.

Hazleton Deputy Missing.

Hazleton, Pa., Oct. 8.—The whereabouts of Henry Diehl, one of Sheriff Martin's deputies, who disappeared on the day of the Lattimer shooting, is still a mystery, and efforts to find a trace of him are being made. The missing man is 42 years old.

His wife is prostrated. She and her five children are in abject poverty. Diehl left without even telling his wife of the shooting. The theory that he has been murdered is not generally accepted.

Queen's View of Us.

London, Oct. 8.—Vanity Fair yesterday said:

"The Queen-Empress was very much grieved at the attitude of the United States eighteen months ago, and it is an open secret that Her Majesty, who has made a close study of the American people, holds almost pessimistic views in regard to the stability and future of the Republic.

"The Queen's long conversation with Sir Wilfrid Laurier, when that statesman was in England, would make most interesting reading."

Big Fire in Detroit.

Detroit, Oct. 8.—Fire early yesterday morning destroyed five large buildings and two smaller ones, with all their contents, in the centre of the business part of this city. The total loss is close to $700,000. The fire started on the stage of the Detroit Opera House, and was not discovered until the rear wall of the theatre had been blown out by the explosion of a calcium light. It was four hours from the time the fire started before it was under control.

Epidemic of Diphtheria.

New London, Oct. 8.—Diphtheria is epidemic in Montville. Fifteen cases are reported, and several deaths have occurred. Antitoxin does not prove effectual, and tracheotomy has been performed in several cases. Physicians from other towns are assisting in caring for the patients.

$400,000 BY SWINDLING

E. C. Gibson's Operations Extended All Over the Country.

HOTELS WERE VICTIMIZED

He Got $1,000 from Banker Henry Clews—A Cleveland Woman Swindled Out of $6,000—Passed Bad Checks.

New York, Oct. 8.—Chief of Detectives McClusky had at Police Headquarters this afternoon a man whom he charges with being one of the greatest swindlers ever known in this country. His operations, McClusky alleges in his complaint, have covered a period of years and have netted him at least $400,000.

The man under arrest is Emmet C. Gibson, alias George A. Sherin. He said that he was 39 years old and lived at the Hotel Bartholdi. He was arrested at the Grand Hotel, at Thirtieth street and Broadway, by Detectives Evanhoe and Connelly.

Gibson is a lawyer, and was, he says, once president of the Akron Street Railway in Ohio. He says that he is now vice-president of the road.

The specific charge against Gibson is that he passed a bogus check on Aug. 6, 1896, for $620 on the manager of the Imperial Hotel. He tendered the check in payment for a board bill of $265. That is one of his methods, Detective McClusky says. Another method is selling bogus stocks and bonds.

Gibson had an office in the rear of Henry Clews' place in the Mills Building. He swindled Henry Clews, it is charged out of $1,000.

A list of the hotels where he is said to have passed bad checks is as follows: Hotel Netherlands, Continental Hotel and the Fifth Avenue Hotel, of this city: the Cadillac and Lincoln hotels in Pittsburg, the Hollander Hotel, of Cleveland, Ohio, the Bristol Inn, of Akron, Ohio, and the Parker House, Boston.

He was arrested on Jan. 1, 1897, on the complaint of the proprietor of the Parker House in Boston for a board bill of $400. He is said to have given a bad check for $500 in payment and pocketed the change.

Gibson hired as his secretary W. H. Campbell, and is said to have swindled him out of $350.

A widow in Cleveland, Ohio, is said to have lost $6,000, which she was induced to invest in a motor at Gibson's suggestion.

Examinations for Consuls.

Washington, Oct. 8.—The President has recently designated a number of persons to take examinations for appointments as United States Consuls, and if the requirements are met, the commissions will be soon made out. In the list are two men from Maryland, Howard Carroll, a nephew of ex-Gov. John Lee Carroll, who will be appointed Consul to Messina, and Talbott Albert, who will be sent to Brunswick, Germany. Mr. Carroll is not satisfied with the small post given him, which pays only $1,500 a year, and through members of the State delegation in Congress is endeavoring to secure some more important place.

The plan now pursued by the President in selecting Consuls is to order them to appear for examination and announces the appointments just before they are ready to sail for abroad.

Debs Campaigns in the East.

New York, Oct. 8.—Eugene V. Debs, the labor agitator, arrived in this city and addressed last night a meeting of the Social Democracy, of which he is the founder, in Brevoort Hall. Debs is going to remain in this section of the country for the next five or six weeks. He is here to boom his Social Democracy scheme. To-morrow night he will address a meeting to be held in the Grand Central Palace. He will be the guest of honor at a banquet at the Hotel Bartholdi on Sunday night. From this city he will go to Philadelphia, then to Pottstown, and afterward on a trip through New England.

The Robberies at Vassar.

Poughkeepsie, Oct. 8.—The mystery of the series of robberies at Vassar College that plagued the officials for several years has apparently been cleared up by the arrest in Kingston of a former servant at the college, known variously as Cora and Catherine Simmonds and Ruby Livingston, and the recovery of a gold watch stolen by her on May 6 last from the room of Miss H. Bickmore Long, of Tenant's Harbor, Me.

Venezuela's Chief Dying.

New York, Oct. 8.—Gen. Joaquin Crespo, President of Venezuela, is said to be dangerously ill, and very little hope is entertained of his recovery.

President Crespo is about 50 years old and is a native of Barcelona, Venezuela. He is a shrewd, conservative business man, rich in lands and herds—a veritable cattle king of the South. He is also a successful soldier, whose iron nerve has endeared him to his followers.

Sent Back the Money He Stole.

Saratoga, Oct. 8.—Herbert F Howe, of Cambridge, Mass., who was employed by George C. Howe, of the Mansion House, and recently disappeared with $325 of his employer's money, has sent it back. The police were unable to locate the absconding cashier

Mr. Dana Is Weaker.

New York, Oct. 8.—The chances are now against the recovery of the Hon. Charles A. Dana. He is gradually growing weaker. At no time during his present illness has so much anxiety as to his condition been expressed as this morning. Mr. Dana is at his Summer home in Roslyn, L. I.

Miss Cisneros Escapes.

Havana, Oct. 8.—Senorita Evangelina Cassio y Cisneros, the little Cuban patriot held a prisoner by Gen. Weyler, made her escape from the Casa de Recogidas in a mysterious manner last night.

Salem Cotton Mills on Full Time.

Salem, Mass., Oct. 8.—The three Naumkeag steam cotton mills, which have been running on short time since July, began on a full-time schedule today.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Fair Tonight and Probably Fair Saturday; Warmer.

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 67 Degrees.

A GREAT EDITOR.

Our telegraphic columns record the critical illness of Charles A. Dana, the best known editor in this country. Mr. Dana's death, which seems imminent, would be a distinct loss to journalism. He is the last of the great New York editors who towers above and withstands the grinding tendency of modern journalism to obscure the personality of its members. Even now, when Mr. Dana has not written a line for weeks, his paper is distinguished as a champion of a certain Mayoralty candidate in the seething political caldron of Greater New York—its opinions oftener quoted than any other journal espousing the same cause. They are pointed out for either condemnation or approval not because it is a newspaper influence simply, but because there is the popular knowledge that they reflect the mind of Dana. In other days he was there personally to see that his ideas were the public policy of the paper; but now that he is not there in person, the character of the man is so indelibly stamped into every department of the newspaper by its actual conductors' long association and training with the master hand that no difference is noticeable. Strip the Sun of the popular regard that it is Dana who is the fountain head, and the Sun's influence would wane. The Sun editorials are distinguished simply because Dana is the responsible editor.

SEEMS LIKE NEW STATION.

RAILROAD SIDINGS BEING REMOVED.

The Work is Understood to be the Preliminary Steps Towards Establishing the Improvement.

It looks very much as though the Central railroad intends to erect another station opposite the North Avenue station at an early date. The company has given orders to General Section Boss Higgins that the side tracks in that locality must be removed at once. Already a portion of the siding that runs into Morgan Bird's yard has been removed and the rest will be treated likewise very soon. Under the circumstances the company will be unable to give Mr. Bird a siding at that point as the room will be needed for the new station. The sidings that are used by Rushmore & Co. will also be taken up. The railroad company will be unable to give the firm another siding unless it be run in from the bridge. To do this permission from the City Council would have to be secured. This, it is thought, confident the Council will not extend.

It is known that the railroad company desire to purchase the Rushmore & Company property and have offered something like $100 per front foot, but the firm, it is understood, ask about $300, and this price is considered too high. It is not known just what the outcome will be.

The D. C. Ivins & Co. siding will be taken up, and another one will be given them further east in the vicinity of the gas works. The tracks that will be taken up will be placed in the freight yard for use.

The plans are now completed for the new station and it is confidently believed that before long the work will be started.

LEGAL HAPPENINGS.

Numerous Suits Started in Justice Newcorn's Court.

Several cases were to come up for trial in Justice Newcorn's court yesterday. The contract case of Murphy against Smith was adjourned for thirty days. The four contract cases against Macaroni and Varette, the lessees of the Berkley Heights brickyard, brought by four of their workmen who are suing for wages alleged to be due, were adjourned until the 13th.

Summons were issued in the following contract cases: Reed & Coddington against Kionki, returnable on the 15th, Neuman Brothers against Peck, returnable on the 15th, American Lucal Oil Company against Wyckoff and others, returnable on the 11th. Empire Novelty Company against Dickenson, returnable on the 3th.

—Additional locals on third page.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

C. E. Hepburn and family, of the borough, have moved to East Second street.

A. B. Hill, of Trenton, was the guest of J. A. Blatz, of Somerset street, yesterday.

H. R. Richardson, of LaGrande avenue, is out of town on a business trip for several days.

Stella and Mamie Hill, of West Fourth street, are convalescing from a very serious illness.

Miss Laura Streeter, of Somerville, has returned home after a visit with relatives on Park avenue.

Stephen Beeching and family, of Washingtonville, have returned from a few days visit out of town.

Editor Frank W. Runyon, of The News, was able to drive out today for the first time since his illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton, of Altoona, Pa., are spending the winter at the home of W. C. Williams, of West Third street.

Dr. O. R. King and family, of Putnam avenue, who have been visiting at Morristown, returned home last evening.

Miss Estella Bittenbender, of East Front street, who has been spending the summer at Stroudsburg, Pa., has returned home.

Arthur Cannon, of the Plainfield Beef House, has returned from Massachusetts, where he was called to attend the funeral of his father.

Former Street Commissioner R. A. Meeker, of West Front street, has returned from a stay in the White Mountains, where he has been superintending some work.

Rev. A. E. Main has just returned from the centennial of the organization of the Seventh-Day Baptist church at Leonardsville, N. Y. Rev. Dr. A H. Lewis was chosen delegate from the Plainfield church but was unable to attend on account of the illness of his wife, and Rev. Mr. Main went as alternate.

INJUNCTIONS FOR TROLLEY.

BOUND BROOK FIGHT STILL ON.

Is is Claimed That the Bound Brook Council Acted Illegally in Granting a Franchise Tuesday Night.

The Brunswick Traction Company, when they secured the franchise to construct their trolley line from the eastern limits of Bound Brook to Talmage avenue in that borough, believed that they had completely euchred the New York and Philadelphia Traction Company in its effort to get the right of way over the disputed territory. But the latter corporation had not played its last card.

Yesterday, Judge Codington, of this city, counsel for the New York and Philadelphia Traction Company, appeared before Judge Magee in Trenton and made application for injunctions restraining the Brunswick Company from building the road under the franchise and restraining the Bound Brook Council from granting any more rights to the company until they proved that their action Tuesday night was legal.

Judge Codington argued that the Council had no right to grant the franchise for half the distance when the original application was for right of way from one end of the borough to the other, and also that the application had been changed to suit the purposes of the partial franchise without proper hearings being given to those concerned.

Judge Magee immediately ordered that the injunction be granted.

They were served on the Bound Brook Council and the Brunswick Traction Company last night and this morning by Judge Codington. Until they are disposed of the Brunswick Traction Company cannot do any work in Bound Brook under the franchise granted them on Tuesday evening.

It is not a remedy put up by any Tom, Dick or Harry; it is compounded by expert pharmacists. Ely Bros. offer a 10 cent trial size. Ask your druggist. Full size Cream Balm 50 cents. We mail it. ELY BROS., 56 Warren St., N. Y. City. Since 1861 I have been a great sufferer from catarrh. I tried Ely's Cream Balm and to all appearances am cured. Terrible headaches from which I had long suffered are gone.—W. J. Hitchcock, late Major U. S. Vol. and A. A. Gen., Buffalo, N. Y.

THEATRICAL.

Local sports, whose finances would not permit them to witness the fight at Carson City last March, will have an opportunity of seeing the contest, as reproduced by the veriscope, at Stillman Music Hall, on Friday and Saturday. The pictures are the same as were seen at the Academy of Music, New York, some time ago. Four exhibitions will be given, including two matinees. Prices 25, 35 and 50c.

—Additional locals on page 3.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—A sociable will be held in the parlors of the Congregational church this evening.

—Grant avenue is being macadamized between Seventh and Eighth streets.

—Miantonomoh Tribe of Red Men will meet this evening for its regular meeting.

—The Plainfield Camera Club will hold an important meeting on Monday evening.

—Tomorrow Sebring places on sale a special line of men's business suits at prices that defy competition.

—The Columbia signs have been removed from the windows of the salesrooms of the Eldridge Bicycle Company.

—T. J. Lyness, agent for the Wheeler & Wilson Sewing Machine Company in this city, has a handsome new wagon.

—Miss Laura Powers, of Cranford, is now in charge of the cloak department at Woodhull & Martin's dry goods store.

—On the evening of October 21st Cypress Commandery, Colored Masons, will give a reception in the Pierce Cycle Academy.

—The residence of Dr. J. H. Tomlinson, of LaGrande avenue, is being improved by a new coat of paint on the woodwork.

—S H. Schlief, the baker, of Park avenue, is now making fresh, daily, charlotte de russes and chocolate eclairs. None better made.

—John Johnson, of Hackettstown, has been secured to take charge of the domestic department of Woodhull & Martin's dry goods store.

—Flynn brothers, 318 West Front street, can fill your shoe wants in any shape, color or style. They handle the best goods at a reasonable profit.

—J. R Blair, the hatter, of 126 Park avenue, will tomorrow place on sale a full line of fall and winter underwear His prices are reasonable. Give him a call.

—Charles Lister, formerly with the Plainfield Cycle and Sporting Goods Company, will probably conduct a cycle business of his own in the near future.

—The horse attached to L. A. Hummer's butcher wagon, fell at the corner of Park avenue and Second street yesterday, and broke the shafts to the wagon.

—Jerusalem Lodge, No. 26, F. and A. M., will hold a special communication this evening to work the Fellowcraft degree. The meeting will be called at 7:30 sharp.

—The millinery department of I. Lederer is the place you can get some of the finest selections of trimmed hats and bonnets in the city. This department is under the charge of Miss May Flanagan.

—Next Sunday Rev. L. E. Livermore will preach at the Park Avenue Baptist church, owing to the fact that Rev. J. W. Richardson, the pastor, was called to Boston on account of the death of Mrs. Richardson's sister.

—Wednesday evening, while Roy Radford, of Park avenue, was watching the football practice at the Westervelt avenue grounds, the lamp on his bicycle exploded. Luckily there was no one in the immediate vicinity.

SONGS AND RECITATIONS.

Efforts of Entertainers Provided a Pleasant First Church of Christ Sociable.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the First Church of Christ gave a creditable entertainment last evening in the church on Grove street. The programme opened with a recitation, "What the Choir Sang About the Bonnet," by Mabel Hand; reading by Ada VanHorn; vocal solo, "Bennie Came Back to the Farm," by Ethel Reynolds; recitation, "How Lulu Takes Care of Kittie," by Alice DeMott; reading by Henry Staats; song and chorus, "Sweet Long Ago," by Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Hand, Mr. VanMiddlesworth and Miss VanMiddlesworth. Sadie Hand gave a pleasing recitation entitled "When Mamma Was a Little Girl." Another recitation, "Entertaining Her Sister's Beau," was given by Mattie DeMott. The programme closed with a dialogue entitled "The Happiest Man in the Country."

ILLEGAL L. A. W. HOTELS.

Complaint Made Against One at Westfield—Investigation Will Follow.

Local Consul Thomas A. Cuming, of the L. A. W., is now investigating a complaint made by a well-known Plainfield wheelman that a Westfield hotel is displaying an L. A. W. sign without authority from the league and refuses to give the usual concession to members. Mr. Cuming will be supported in the matter by the State officers who will press the matter to an issue. It is his intention to make an example of this offender, as there are others who are guilty of the same offence

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A Piano Sensation!

During this month we're going to sell good Pianos at the previously unheard of price of $170 cash, or $190 on easy monthly payments.

We bought nearly a hundred from different makers during the summer. These are good pianos that we guarantee for five years.

We have also marked down for this month the prices on all of our regular lines of Hardmans, Gablers, Voses, Sterlings and Standards. There is decided saving for the buyer who comes during this sale.

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NOTICE!

The North Plainfield Republican Primary will be held in the school building, Somerset street, on Monday, the 11th inst., at 8 p. m., for the purpose of electing 5 delegates to attend the County Convention to be held at Somerville Wednesday, the 13th of October, 1897.

B. A. Hegeman, Jr.,
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Linen Canvas for facing	12c, 16c, 18c, 20c yd
Linen Collar Canvas, white, black, tan	19c yd
Fine Crinoline, white, black, slate	5c, 10c yd
Paper Muslin, yard wide, all colors	7c yd
Genuine Hair Cloth, black or gray	25c yd
Taffetta Skirt Lining, yard wide	10c, 15c yd
French Cambric Waist Lining	10c, 12c, 15c, 18c, 25c yd
Double Faced Waist Lining	13c, 15c, 18c, 25c yd
Double Skirt Belting, shaped ready for use	10c yd
Special lot Rustle Skirt Lining	7c yd
Patent Hump Hooks and Eyes, white or black	3c card
Best 100 yard Spool Silk, black and colors,	7c spool
Pure Rubber Lined Dress Shields	10c pair
Dress Stays, Japanned or silvered	5c doz
200 yard Machine Cotton, white or black	2c spool
Handsome new patterns of Fall Flanneletts	10c yd
Extra good quality of new Outing Flannel	7c yd
The best unlaundered Shirt in the State	50c each
Extra quality double width Table Felt	48c to 65c yd
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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Mrs. Egbert is entertaining company from out of town for a few days.

C. B. Holmes has returned from an extensive business trip in the west.

Miss Mary Shepard is visiting friends in New York State for a time.

Mrs. Slape and family, of West Front street, have moved to 331 East Fifth street.

Miss Williams has returned to her home in Westfield after a visit with Miss Janie Churchill.

Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Runyon and Walter Runyon have moved to the house owned by Cyrus Boice.

It is expected that this year's registry will show about 325 names. The canvass is now about completed.

Mrs. A. J. Skinner, of New York, who has been in town visiting friends, has gone to Westfield for a visit.

Miss Bessie Benton, of New York, will spend the remainder of this week with Mrs. John Herbert, and will return home next Monday.

Next Thursday evening the Junior Christian Endeavor Society of the Presbyterian church will hold a tea in the chapel of the church.

The pulpit of the Presbyterian church will be occupied next Sunday morning by Rev. J. O. McKelvey, pastor of Warren chapel, Plainfield.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Presbyterian church will hold an entertainment entitled "A Festival of Days," in the chapel of the church on Nov. 11th.

Mrs. A. A. Lake, Rev. A. I. Martine, Mrs. Whitney and Mrs. T. C Bodine are attending the Christian Endeavor State convention now being held at Paterson.

A meeting of the board of directors of the Building and Loan Association was held last evening for the purpose of arranging matters for several loans to be made soon.

At the meeting of the fire company last Tuesday evening Walter Apgar resigned as a member. It was decided to deposit $25 in the Savings Bank, Plainfield, as a starter for a fund to meet necessary expenses.

SCOTCH PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Twilight Council No. 7, Jr. O. U. A. M., meets tonight.

The Knights of Pythias held an interesting meeting last night.

Rev. J. S. Braker will lead the prayer meeting in the Baptist church tonight

Mr. and Mrs. William Lee have returned from a visit with relatives in Paterson.

Miss Sadie Walpole was the guest yesterday of her sister, Mrs. Demarest, of Plainfield.

A great many complaints are heard of the poor condition of the roads in Fanwood borough.

A number of Scotch Plains people attended the funeral of Miss A. Kate Martine, at Plainfield, yesterday.

A race took place from South Orange to Scotch Plains yesterday afternoon, between trotting horses owned by Chas. Smalley, proprietor of the South Orange hotel, and John Welcher, also of South Orange, for a wager. The distance of 13½ miles was covered in 43 minutes by Mr. Smalley's horse, which won the race. After the race the entire party stopped for refreshments at Emery's hotel.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they do is tenfold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by druggists, price 75c per bottle.

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WESTFIELD

WATCH AND CASH GONE.

VICTIM'S SEARCH WARRANT FAILED TO RECOVER THEM.

Suspected Man's Trunk Was Searched by a Constable Unsuccessfully—Football News and Personal Items of Interest.

James Gunn and Ellsworth Groom are two colored men employed to take charge of the farm of Mr. Miller, near Westfield, on the Springfield road. On Wednesday Groom was discharged and had his trunk taken to the Lehigh Valley Railroad station at Garwood, preparatory to his leaving town. Shortly after the trunk was taken away, Gunn discovered that three ten dollar bills and a gold watch worth $40 were missing from his room, and suspecting Groom of the theft, went before Justice Collins late on Wednesday night and secured a search warrant to examine the trunk. Groom and Constable Marsh drove to the Picton station and the officer searched the trunk, but found no trace of the stolen articles. Groom was allowed to take possession of the trunk and left town with it yesterday. The two negroes were not on friendly terms, and Gunn is still mourning the loss of his savings, and the failure of the officer's search to recover them.

Wesley Sheperson, the negro who was badly cut about the head with an axe during a quarrel on Wednesday night, is now much improved and has been pronounced out of danger. His assailant, Thomas Bird, is in the county jail awaiting the action of the Grand Jury.

The Westfield Township Committee holds a meeting in the Westfield Club hall tonight for the purpose of giving a public hearing upon the question of granting a franchise to the Elizabeth and Plainfield Railway Company to run its tracks through the town.

The Westfield Club's football team will play its second game in the Journal trophy series with the Crescents, of Plainfield, on the North Broad street grounds tomorrow afternoon. The game will be called at 4 o'clock.

The Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist church held an interesting meeting at the home of Mrs. S. S. Mapes, on Prospect street, yesterday afternoon.

Arthur Spooner has rented F. A. Ernst's house on Mountain avenue and will take possession November 1st. Mr. and Mrs. Ernst and family will move to Brooklyn.

The Sunday-school of the Methodist church will meet at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon, and will hold its sessions at that hour throughout the winter.

A successful chicken supper was held at the home of Mrs. A. Goodwin, at Mountainside, last evening, for the benefit of the Mountainside chapel.

The Westfield Junior football team will play a team from Plainfield on the North Broad street grounds to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

A large delegation of Westfield Christian Endeavorers are in attendance at the State Christian Endeavor convention at Paterson.

The Township Committee are having the trees along all the Westfield streets trimmed, thereby improving the appearance of the town.

The sale of Westfield property for delinquent taxes was advertised to take place in the town rooms this afternoon.

Rev. William A. Rice, D. D., of Newark, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clotworthy, of Mountain avenue.

H. B. Kurzhals, of Asbury Park, a former resident of this place, has returned from a visit with friends in town.

The names of George B. Hoyt and George R. Rockwood have been proposed for membership in the Westfield Club.

Franklin E. Reed, of Rahway, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Ingram, of Elmer street, yesterday.

The Normal Bible Class will meet in the Public Library rooms on Broad street this evening at 8 o'clock.

The A. O. V. holds its monthly meeting tonight at the residence of Miss Beth Morehouse.

Mrs. F. A. Ernst, of Mountain avenue, has returned from a visit with friends in Brooklyn.

Twenty-one new members were received into the Methodist church last Sunday morning.

Charles W. Schoonover and family, of Mountainside, have removed to New York city.

The Westfield Star football team will play the Dunellen Juniors at Dunellen tomorrow.

The officers of St. Paul's church have received the deed for the church property.

Central Council, No. 131, Jr. O. U. A. M., holds a meeting tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Scofield have removed to Plainfield.

—Perseverance Lodge, K. of P., meets this evening and initiates two candidates in the first rank.

A Liniment to Rely On.

No matter how careful you are, you can hardly hope to escape bruises, strains and bodily aches. If you elude them, some other member of the family will not, and so a liniment is needed in every home. There are three reasons why

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NEW WAY OF LOSING THEM.

GOOD WHEEL TAKEN, OLD ONE LEFT.

The Operator Was a Young Woman, But She Was Caught in the Act and Her Purpose Defeated.

Thousands of bicycle riders leave their wheels standing in the street open to the prey of bicycle thieves and malicious people. The experience of Mrs. George O. Stevens yesterday may suggest to many that an ounce of prevention is worth several pounds of cure in the case of a bicycle and the possibility of its loss.

During the afternoon Mrs. Stevens had occasion to go to the postoffice to buy a postal card. She rode to the office on her bicycle and left it in front of the big window that lights up the corridor While waiting for one of the desks to become unoccupied so that she might wriite a message on the card and mail it then, Mrs. Stevens was gazing casually out of the window. A moment later two young women, dressed in bicycle costume, and each guiding a wheel beside them, took up a position in front of the window. They stood apparently unoccupied for a moment. Then they engaged in conversation. This was followed by one of the young women standing her wheel against one of the big stone columns that support the archway of the Babcock building. She walked over to Mrs. Stevens' bicycle and seemed to be looking at the cyclometer.

Mrs. Stevens reasoned that it was just an exhibition of woman's curiosity to know the make of the wheel and to see how many miles the cyclometer registered. The investigating young woman felt of the tires. Then she looked the whole machine over and walked back to her friend. They resumed their conversation. Then both turned and looked at the wheel again. The young woman who had inspected the bicycle looked cautiously down the street, then up the street, and finally glanced inside the postoffice lobby. Mrs. Steven's was in a position where the young woman could not see her very well.

Apparently satisfied that she had not attracted any one's attention, the young woman took hold of the bicycle she had left standing against the stone column and guided it over beside Mrs. Stevens'. The girl's actions were becoming decidedly interesting to Mrs. Stevens.

The young woman deliberately took hold of Mrs. Steven's wheel and moved it to one side. Then in its place she stood the one that she had appeared with. She glanced furtively up and down the street and grabbing Mrs. Stevens' wheel walked birskly to the curb and started to mount it.

Mrs. Stevens thought it was time to call halt. She hurried to the door and saw that the wheel that had been left was far inferior to her own. She stepped out on the sidewalk and said in a determined tone:

"Say, miss, hadn't you better leave that here?"

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Golden Text: If any man suffer as a Christian, let him not be ashamed.—1 Pete iv: 16. Oct. 10, 1897.

17, 18. "Make haste and get thee quickly out of Jerusalem, for they will not receive thy testimony concerning Me." In our last lesson Paul was on his way to Jerusalem in spite of the Spirit's warning that he should not go (chapter xxi, 4, 11, 12.). He had not been many days in Jerusalem when the Jews of Asia laid hold of him in the temple, drew him out and would have killed him had he not been rescued by the chief captain with a band of soldiers and carried into the castle. He asked permission of the captain to speak to the people, and having obtained it he addressed them in Hebrew from the castle stairs. He described his former life and the manner of his conversion, and has now come to the Lord's message to him at Jerusalem. The child of God who is willing to be wholly the Lord's, may be sure of the Lord's guidance in all things, and if it should be necessary, an angel from heaven or the Lord Himself will see to it.

19, 20. "And I said, Lord, they know that I imprisoned and beat in every synagogue them that believed on Thee." It is all right for us to confess to God all our sins, but it is not for us to argue or reason with Him when He commands us to do anything or go anywhere. He knows where and how He can make the most use of us. He knows who will receive testimony through this one or through that one, and it is for us to say, "Here am I, send me where Thou wilt and when Thou wilt.

21. "And He said unto me, Depart, for I will send thee far hence into the gentiles." We cannot expect the full blessing of the Lord unless we are ready for that work to which He has called us (Acts xiii, 2). May it not be that many ministers who cannot seem to find an open door at home are being called far hence to some of the millions who have never heard of Christ and cannot hear till some one shall tell them? Let each Christian ask, "Am I really willing and obedient and does my heart and say honestly, Lord, what wilt thou have me do?"

22. "Away with such a fellow from the earth, for it is not fit that he should live." That the same privileges should be set before uncircumcised gentiles as before circumcised Jews was to them intolerable, and it was for this same thing that Peter was called to account (chapter xi, 2, 3). I am not sure but the same spirit in a worse form is seen to-day when people of one church or denomination look down upon and make little of work not done by themselves. The ambition of churches or boards or societies to excel each other instead of all uniting to honor Christ and complete His church is tainted with the same spirit.

23, 24. "The chief captain commanded that he should be examined by scourging that he might know wherefore they cried so against him." Paul had been speaking in Hebrew (xxii, 2), of which language probably neither captain, centurions nor soldiers understood a word, and the idea was that a little suffering might bring from him a confession of his wrongdoing.

25. "Is it lawful for you to scourge a man that is a Roman and uncondemned?" This he said to the centurion who stood by while the soldiers bound him with thongs preparatory to scourging him. While Paul was willing to suffer all that was necessary for Christ's sake, and unjustly, too, here was something wholly uncalled for, from which his Roman citizenship might deliver him. I am writing this on the North Pacific ocean on my way to Japan as I start on my tour round the world for Him that I serve.

26. "Take heed what thou doest, for this man is a Roman." Thus said the centurion to the captain. As far as heaven is above the earth, so far are the privileges of heavenly citizenship above all those of earth. The devil could not touch Job, neither could he have Simon Peter without asking permission of God (Job 1, 10; Luke xxii, 31, R. V.), and he that toucheth a child of God toucheth the apple of His eye (Zech. ii, 8). Let us rejoice in our heavenly privileges and walk worthy of them.

27. "Then the chief captain came and said unto him, Tell me, art thou a Roman? He said, Yea." So a believer should be ready always to give to every one that asketh as definite an answer concerning his standing in Christ. Paul did not think or hope that he was a Roman citizen. He knew it and said yes. Any one who has truly accepted Christ is accepted in Him and has redemption, even the forgiveness of sins (Eph. i, 6, 7), and should never hesitate to confess it to the glory of God. It is not honoring to God to think or hope that we are saved. We should know it. (I John v, 12, 13), and live it and ever gladly acknowledge it.

28. "And the chief captain answered, With a great sum obtained I this freedom. And Paul said, But I was freeborn." The heavenly citizenship cannot be bought by money, or good works or any merit whatever on our part. "Neither their silver nor their gold shall be able to deliver them." "Not by works of righteousness which we have done" (Zeph. i, 18, Titus iii, 5). See also Rom. iv, 5; Eph. ii, 8, 9. The only way to become a child of God, an heir of God and a citizen of heaven is by a new birth, a birth from above, even as our Lord said in John iii, 3, 5, 7, and I believe a careful study of Jas. i, 18; 1 Pet. i, 23; Eph. v, 26, with John vi, 63, will make it very plain that the new birth is wrought in us by the word of God and the Spirit of God concerning our Lord Jesus Christ.

29, 30. Paul was saved from scourging at that time, and we will in some way be saved from all that it is not best for us to endure (I Cor. x, 13). The captain was still in doubt as to the real cause of the uproar, and so called the chief priests and council together that he might set Paul before them. But Paul's testimony before the council caused such a disturbance that the chief captain had to rescue him again and bring him to the castle. Then followed the discovery of the plot to kill Paul, through Paul's nephew, and his being sent under a guard of soldiers to Felix, the governor of Caesarea.

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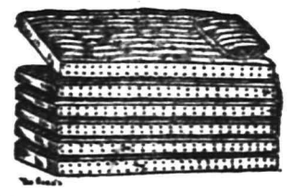

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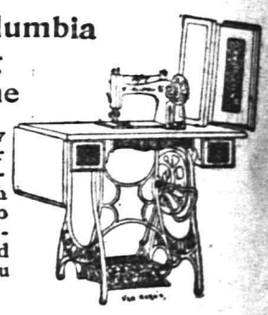

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PLAINFIELD AND NEW YORK.

Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 8 00, 8 00, 8 30, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 9 15, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday, 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 10, 11 16 a. m.; 12 26, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 22 p. m.

Leave New York, foot Liberty street, at 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00 a. m.; 12 00 m., (12 45 and 1 00 Saturdays only) 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 00, 3 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, (5 15 except Saturdays) 5 30, 5 45, (6 00 except Saturdays) 6 15, 6 50, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45 p. m.; 12 15, 1 00 night. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00, 9 00, 9 15 a. m.; 12 m.; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00 p. m.; 12 15 night; 1 00 a. m.

Leave New York from Whitehall street at 7 00, 7 55, 8 25, 8 55, 9 55, 11 55 a. m., (12 45 Saturdays only) 1 00, 1 25, 2 25, 3 25, 3 55, 4 25, 4 55, 5 25 (5 55 except Saturdays) 6 25, 6 55, 7 50, 8 25, 9 10, 9 55, 11 30 p. m., 12 10 night. Sundays—At 7 00, 8 55 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 2 30, 3 55, 5 25, 6 55, 7 25, 8 25, 9 50 p. m., 12 10 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 50, 8 00, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 01, 52, 10 08, 11 16 a. m.; 12 26, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 18, 7 55, 8 38, 9 03, 10 05 a. m.; 12 10, 1 15, 1 35, 2 35, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 28, 6 42, 6 19, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 05 p. m. Sunday, 7 15, 9 05, 9 30, 10 35 a. m.; 1 10, 1 35, 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 20, 10 20 p. m.

Passengers for Newark please change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a.m 1 01, (1 40, Saturdays only) 2 11, 2 32, 3 35, 4 36 5 03, 5 15, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 16, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 25, 11 29, p. m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 06, 9 55, a. m; 2 03, 3 39, 6 35, 8 30, 10 15, 11 14 p. m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35 45, 8 13, 9 02, 9 48, 11 45, a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05 2 25, 4 25, 5 28, 6 08, 6 40, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05 p. m Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a. m; 12 05, 1 20, 5 15, 6 35, 7 53, 8 05, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON,

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a. m., 1 01, 2 11, 4 55, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 9 09 a. m; 2 03 6 35 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a. m; 12 32, 4 05, 7 00, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 52 a. m; 6 30 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 9 54 a. m; 5 03, 5 15 p. m

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 19 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge, Phillipsburg, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Mantcoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

1 01 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for station on D., L. & W. R. R.

3 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, MauchChunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

4 55 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Scranton, Wilkesbarre, Tamaqua, Shamokin, (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

5 03 and 5 15 p. m., way or Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

5 03 a. m. Sundays for Easton.

1 01 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 19 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 15 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, etc., and at Junction for D., L. & W. R. R.

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For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 37, 8 13, 9 28, 10 27 a. m.; 1 15, 3 51, 5 22, 5 54, 7 03 p. m. Sundays, 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10 27 a. m.; 1 15, 3 51, 5 22 p. m.

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For Trenton, 5 17, 8 44, 9 46 p. m.; 1 01, 2 17, 4 29, 5 34*, 6 39* 8 21, 9 37* p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a. m.; 2 25, 4 55, 5 09, 6 35* p. m.; 1 17 night.

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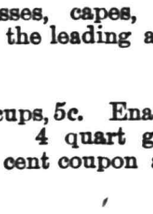

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FATAL FOREST FIRES

Ten Persons Thought to Have Perished in Manitoba.

FLAMES STILL SPREADING

Heavy Damage Done in Michigan and Indiana by Flames Sweeping Over Dried-Up Prairies—Potatoes Roasted in the Ground.

Winnipeg, Man., Oct. 8.—The forest fires that have been raging in Manitoba, close to the boundary line, for the past ten days, have broken out more furiously than ever. Ten or twelve persons are reported to have been burned to death, and the fire is rapidly spreading towards North Dakota. Hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of timber has been destroyed besides grain and farm buildings. It is feared that the fires will get beyond the control of the settlers.

At Beausejour, Man., seven persons are reported to have been burned to death. Mrs. O. W. Thomas her young son and a daughter, had a race with the flames for several miles. They lost a team of horses, which they kept on the run. Sparks from the burning timber were blown into the dry grass of a prairie which they were compelled to cross and soon they were surrounded by the flames. The frantic horses started to run straight ahead into the burning timber. Before they had gone far the carriage overturned and they were thrown down an embankment into a small creek. This probably saved their lives. They were badly burned.

A report from Morris, Man., says a prairie fire has been raging there and that one family of four persons is known to have perished. The fire is supposed to have been started by the spark of an engine.

Potatoes Roasted in the Ground.

Niles, Mich., Oct. 8.—East and north of this city, marsh fires still continue. Farmers have fought the flames night and day for a week and are exhausted. They have moved their household goods to places of safety and have sacrificed their homes.

Near Berrien Springs, on what is known as the Big Meadow, hundreds of acres of potatoes have been roasted in the hills. The fire is the worst that has occurred in this vicinity since 1871.

Large Fires in Indiana.

Fort Wayne, Ind., Oct. 8.—Forest fires are raging in the eastern part of this county and farmers have organized to fight the flames. Last evening the little town of Edgerton and Baldwin were threatened with fire and were saved only after hard work. Barns, corn in shock, and acres of Winter wheat which was dried up have been destroyed.

LUETGERT'S FATE NEAR.

State Continues Its Attack in the Luetgert Trial.

Chicago, Ill., Oct. 8.—The State yesterday continued its attack begun the day before on the defense set up by Adolph L. Luetgert to the charge that he murdered his wife and destroyed her body in a sausage vat.

The State's attorneys are at present dealing with the allegation that Mrs. Luetgert is still alive, and they have brought out some damaging testimony against Matthew Scholey, who swore that he saw her in Kenosha, Wis., on May 4 and 5. Witnesses have now declared that they would not believe Scholey under oath, and two of them have sworn to conversations with Scholey since he was a witness, in which he said he "was satisfied with what he got for testifying," and that "Luetgert made a good job of it, anyway."

As to Luetgert's contention that he was making softsoap in the big vat at the time it is alleged he was boiling his wife's body, the State, through Frank Moan, custodian for the Sheriff, has shown that there were many cases of all kinds of soap in the factory when he took possession, so that Luetgert did not need to make any. Neither did the factory need cleaning.

So far as the evidence is concerned the famous Luetgert trial is nearing its close. It is expected that the rebuttal evidence of the prosecution will all be in by to-morrow night. Some rebuttal on the part of the defense will follow on Saturday and both sides are expected to rest their cases Saturday afternoon.

Never before in Chicago has the interest in a murder trial been sustained from start to finish as it has been in the Luetgert case.

Luetgert was moved to deep profanity in the county jail to-day by the visit of a professional hypnotist. The man of hypnotic science asked Luetgert's permission to hypnotize him. With a richly flavored German oath, Luetgert observed as he stood behind the bars:

"If I was out there in the corridor I'd hypnotize you with one poke on the jaw. I'd put you to sleep good and plenty, you humbug."

Blow to Silver.

London, Oct. 8.—Your correspondent is informed from a trustworthy source that the Indian Government, in reply to a further pressing invitation by the English Cabinet to consider Senator Wolcott's proposal, has answered that it cannot reopen the question of the Indian currency, and it will not be a party to the reopening of the mints for the free coinage of silver.

In well-informed English circles it is not believed that Lord Salisbury's Government will dare to override the decision of the Indian Government.

Senator Wolcott's mission must thus be considered a failure.

Postmasters Appointed.

Washington, Oct. 8.—Fourth-class postmasters were appointed yesterday as follows:

New Jersey — Hawthorne, Passaic, Charles S. Story; Millbrook, Warren, George R. Spaugenburg; Union, Edwin W. Woolley.

New York — Moscow, Livingston, Frank M. Tilton.

Pennsylvania — Belle Valley, Erie, Daniel Shuter; Glen Mills, Delaware, Newlin Mendenhall; Port Carbon, Schuylkill, Jacob L. Lurwick; Stonchburg, Berks, Kate F. Searle; West Milton, Union, Ephraim Datesman.

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HAPPENINGS AMONG THE LOCAL FOOTBALL PLAYERS.

Games That are to be Played and Points About Teams and Individual Players That May Prove Interesting to Cranks.

This evening the candidates for the Plainfield A. A. team will meet for practice on the Westervelt avenue grounds. All football players are invited to practice with them.

The eleven of the Stevens Institute is very anxious to arrange a game with the Plainfield A. A. this season, and arrangements will probably be completed in a few days. The college boys would receive a mighty welcome here.

Fred J. Barker, who was quite a football player in Newark, will be another candidate for the Plainfield A. A. eleven. He has the ability to stand a great deal of heavy work, is fearless and knows the game. With practice he will make a good line man.

The football eleven of the well-known Murray Hill Athletic Club, of New York, will play the eleven of the Plainfield, A. A. tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. The game will be a hotly contested one. It will be the opening game of the season in Plainfield.

The Plainfield Crescent team will play its second game for the Journal trophy at Westfield on Saturday afternoon. When the showing that the team made against Elizabeth last week is considered, the team feels confident that they will be able to make a fair showing against Westfield.

The Crescent eleven of this city played a hard game against the Elizabeth Y. M. C. A. in the first game for the Journal trophy. Two of the players were almost new at the game and had to be picked up at the last moment to fill in the vacant positions. When the team is in good condition the result will be different and the Plainfield boys are confident that they can administer a defeat to the Elizabeth team when they come here.

Fred H. Freeman, last year's captain of the Plainfield team, will return to the gridiron again and try for the Plainfield A. A. eleven. Freeman has made a great reputation for himself at half, but this year he will probably appear at quarter or end as he prefers one of those positions. He is still, however, one of the best half-backs to be found in the city and will be a valuable man to the eleven. It was rumored at the first of the season that he would not play, but he was out for practice again on Monday night and showed a great deal of interest in the team.

—There will be no match racing at the Gentlemen's Driving Park tomorrow afternoon.

P. B. Hodge, of Plainfield avenue, was in Somerville yesterday on business.

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FEAST IN THE WILDERNESS.

Novel Entertainment Given in Mt. Bethel Mission.

The Earnest Workers of Bethel chapel gave a novel entertainment in the chapel last evening, entitled, "Feast in the Wilderness." The chapel was well filled with a large and appreciative audience, and the programme was pleasing in every detail During the evening there were four addresses. The subject, "The Fountain," was assigned to Rev. Dr. W. R Richards, while Rev. E. A. Mitchell, of Elizabeth, spoke concerning "The Manna." Rev. C. E. Herring had for his subject, "The Quails," and Rev. M. E. Hall talked on the subject of "The Grapes." Each address was thoroughly interesting and listened to attentively by those present. The programme opened wtth a piano solo by Alfred White. This was followed with prayer by the pastor, Rev. Mr. Tilden. A vocal duet by Miss Edith Johnson and Mrs. Hall preceded the addresses as mentioned above. The audience was generous in its applause of each number presented and the performers deservedly won it. Following the entertainment, refreshments were served by those in charge and the remainder of the evening was passed in having a good, social time.

Those in charge of the affair were as follows: President Mrs. Mary Walley; chairman, Mrs. Hester A. Barrett; Mrs. Fisher, Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Wyckoff, Mrs. VanBlake, Miss Dorsey, Mr. and Mrs. Brown, Miss Holton, Mrs. Reasoner, Henry Johnson, Zachriah Peterson, Mrs. Mary Hall.

"The Fountain" was represented by lemonade; the "Quails" by chickens; the "Grapes" by the fruit, and the "Manna" by cake. All of the above were on sale and a goodly sum was realized from the sales.

TO STUDY CHURCH HISTORY.

Young People of the M. E. Church Will Organize a Reading Circle.

A meeting of a number of the members of the Epworth League of the First M. E. church will be held this evening to organize a reading circle. The meeting will be held at the home of Miss Ida Angleman, 540 West Front street. The purpose of the proposed circle is to read and study church history and kindred subjects. It is proposed to take up the Epworth League reading course for 1896 7 or part of it. The members of the League and their friends are invited to be present at the meeting.

Discussed Church Matters.

At the home of Dr. Carroll, on Westervelt avenue, last evening, took place a conference of the members of Grace M. E. church. All of the various societies of the church were represented. Rev. H. J. Johnston, pastor of the church, presided. The conference was called for the purpose of discussing plans for winter work. The conference was satisfactory and interesting and was productive of much good. No definite action was taken in any of the matters discussed, but as a result there promises to be some very active work this winter in Grace church.

Relief Association Officers.

The annual meeting of the Plainfield Relief Association was held this morning in the Y. M. C. A. building, at which time the following officers were elected for the ensuing term: President, Mrs. L. V. F. Randolph; vice-president, Mrs. J. Kirtland Myers, secretary, Mrs. C. E. Brookes; treasurer, Mrs. Lapsley.

A board of managers, consisting of fifteen members, was also elected.

The report of the secretary, Mrs. Brookes was an admirable one, as was also the report of the former treasurer, Mrs. Woltman.

TWO SURPRISES.

Both in the West End and Carried to a Happy Consummation.

Mrs Wm. Snyder, of Lebanon, who is visiting at the home of her brother, Wm, Thompson, of 131 Liberty street, was given a surprise party by Mrs. Thompson last evening. The time was passed pleasantly with games and sociability until a late hour, when refreshments were served. During the evening a select musical programme was rendered.

Last evening a complete surprise was tendered to Mr. Glaentzer, of Clinton avenue. The affair was arranged by some of the neighbors. There were about forty present.

Frank Howland Takes a Wife.

Frank Worth Howland, of this city, and Miss Anna Delle Sime, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Sime, of Brockport, N. Y., were married at the home of the bride's parents last Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock. The marriage was attended by a number of friends and relatives of the couple. Mr. Howland is employed as draughtsman at the Scott Press Works. Mr. and Mrs. Howland will reside at 335 East Sixth street, this city.

—Oak furniture is always stylish and durable. Powilson & Jones, East Front street, are making a specialty on tables, sideboards and chairs.

TRYING TO COMBINE ON BLISS.

The New York Situation at Washington.

Washington, Oct. 8.—Rumors have been revived in Washington connecting the name of Secretary Bliss with the Mayoralty contest in Greater New York. Several Low people were in the Interior Department, and it is said that they repeated the overtures made to the Secretary some time ago to unite the warring factions of the Republican party in the city on himself. At the department nothing can be learned as to the truth of the statements, but it is known that the Secretary does not intend to become involved in the contest; and it is believed, further, that the Administration will not take any part in the contest.

The Low people in Washington seem to be more anxious to effect a compromise with the Tracy people than do the latter. Another interesting piece of information is the statement that overtures are being made by the Low forces to the Tracy adherents to effect a compromise by uniting on Mayor Strong. Not much faith is placed in this rumor by New York Republicans in Washington.

It was stated on good authority that if some agreement was not reached within a short time Senator Platt would again visit this city for the purpose of further consulting with the President and Secretary Bliss concerning the New York situation. It is feared that if the Administration does not soon take some action to effect a compromise between the two factions it may involve the Legislature. The loss of the seats in New York and Brooklyn would bring the Republican majority in the State Legislature down to a very small figure, and the turning over of a few additional districts in the State outside would give the Democrats an excellent chance for controlling the Legislature on joint ballot.

Salisbury's Poor Memory.

London, Oct. 8.—The misunderstanding that has arisen over the Behring Sea conference is due entirely to one of Lord Salisbury's extraordinary freaks of memory. He does not now deny that Ambassador Hay verbally informed him in July last of the intention of the United States to invite Russia and Japan to participate in the conference, but declares that he instantly replied: "Oh, no; Great Britain will not participate on such conditions."

Ambassador Hay did not hear any such reply, and interpreted Lord Salisbury's attitude as a tacit consent to take part in the conference. Col. Hay had no intimation of the British objection to Russia and Japan until a few days ago. This is by no means the first time that Lord Sailsbury has affirmed that he had said what may have been in his mind, but which was not expressed.

Lattimer Riot Cost the State $95,000

Harrisburg, Pa., Oct. 8.—Gov. Hastings has issued a congratulatory order to the Third Brigade and Philadelphia City Troop for their work in the Hazleton riot cases. The cost of the troops at Hazleton, exclusive of transportation charges and supplies for the commissary and quartermaster departments, was $95,000.

One of the Lattimer Deputies Missing.

Hazleton, Pa., Oct. 8.—No trace of the whereabouts of Henry Diehl, one of Sheriff Martin's deputies, who disappeared the day of the Lattimer shooting, can be found. He is 42 years old His wife is prostrated. She and her five children are in poverty. Diehl left home without even telling his wife of the shooting.

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Canada and the United States.

London, England, Oct. 8.—Mr. W. S Fielding, Minister of Finance of the Dominion of Canada, has arrived here to negotiate a loan of £2,000,000 to take up outstanding obligations of Canada In an interview, Mr. Fielding said:

"The Canadian Government is well aware that a number of influential men in both parties of the United States are dissatisfied with the present state of trade between the United States and Canada, and it is quite possible this will lead to some action. If the United States approaches the Canadian Government on the subject it will be met in the right spirit.

"We strongly believe that it is for the advancement of Canadian as well as imperial interests that there should be friendly trade relations with our neighbors."

Clark Howell Is for Van Wyck.

Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 8.—In the Constitution to-morrow Editor Clark Howell, National Democratic Committeeman from Georgia, will say that the newspapers of Greater New York are booming Henry George in the hope of splitting the Democratic vote. He says that Van Wyck is the "regular Democratic nominee for Mayor of Greater New York," that no national issues are at stake in this campaign and that the organization which nominated Van Wyck "gave a hearty support to the Chicago platform and Mr Bryan and the national campaign last Fall."

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At Plainfield, in the State of New Jersey, at the close of business.

OCTOBER 5TH, 1897.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$334,995 89
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		367 81
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		50,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds		1,140 00
Stocks, securities, etc		82,960 00
Banking house, furniture & fixtures		75,800 00
Due from National banks (not reserve agents)		9,375 32
Due from State banks and bankers		2,790 93
Due from approved reserve agents.		94,171 20
Checks and other cash items		3,020 71
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		955 07
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.		
Specie	$19 137 00	
Legal-tender notes	15 562 00	34,699 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		2,250 00
Total		$691,525 93

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$150,000 00
Surplus fund	30,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	39,285 91
National Bank notes outstanding	43,810 00
Due to other National Banks	28,351 49
Due to State banks and bankers	377 52
Dividends unpaid	396 00
Individual deposits subject to check	390,897 74
Demand certificates of deposit	4,465 52
Certified checks	3,713 75
Cashier's checks outstanding	228 00
Total	$691,525 93

State of New Jersey, County of Union, ss:

I, William F. Arnold, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

WM. F. ARNOLD, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of October, 1897.

J. C. Pope, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
Charles Hyde.
J. F. MacDonald.
J. F. Hubbard.
Directors.

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One of the leading wholesale manufacturers in New York has failed and their entire stock was sent to us to be sold at less than forty cents on the dollar they cost to manufacture. The house was noted in New York, and only the very best and choicest lines were handled by them. Recollect these will be sacrifice prices and will last but three weeks. A great opportunity for money-saving clothing buyers.

The very finest tailor-made clothing in the world will be sold at retail for less than half the prices that other stores ask for inferior goods. As this is such a rare occurrence, we respectfully invite all intending purchasers of clothing to give their personal attention and call early, as the choicest goods will most naturally go first. The sheriff must be paid in cash and this elegant stock of fine clothing will consequently be sacrificed at an enormous loss. We will sell you fine fall and winter suits, fall and winter overcoats, ulsters, heavy-weight trousers, coats and vests, handsomely and elegantly made, equal to the best merchant tailor's work, for less than the actual cost of the labor in making these fine garments. Here is your opportunity to purchase a suit or overcoat for what the lining would cost at any tailoring establishment in the city. A few prices will tell the whole facts. Means a saving of 60 per cent. on every dollar spent. We deal only in reliable clothing, and will not undertake to sell one dollar's worth of clothing unless we know that what we sell will give the buyers as good wear as if he paid us what the garment was worth. Men's winter all wool suits, sizes from 33 to 44, that are sold all over Plainfield at $7.50 and $8 00, are sold here at $3.75; if not satisfied with this suit in any way, bring it back and get your money. Men's fine clay-diagonal heavy weight suits, silk-lined, worth $22 00, at $7.50. Men's satin lined dress suits in cutaway, worth $22.75, at $8 50 We offer 600 dark colored good suits in mixed cheviots and cassimers at $3 50, $4 50, $5 00 and $5.25, worth easily from $8.00 to $12 00. All wool men's pants at 85c. Heavy cheviots and cassimere pants at 95c, $1 10, $1.25 and $1 50, worth double. Fine double breasted heavy black cheviot suit handsomely made, at $5.25, that other stores ask $15 00 for. Elegant Prince Albert dress suits, very fine imported cloth, wholesale price $18 00 to $25.00, sale price $9.50, Extra fine dress pants, over one hundred styles in stripes and silk mixtures, neat checks and cords, $1.25 $1.50, $1 65, $1 90 and $2.25, worth from $3 75 to $5.50.

Bring this with you and if not shown everything here as advertised we will pay your car fare. Boys' neat double breasted suits, all wool warranted, with double knee and double seat, $1 00 1 25, 1.50, 1.75 and 2.24, worth three times as much. Men's fine covert cloth fall overcoats, in light and dark shades, silk-lined, worth $16 00, at $5.00, latest styles Men's heavy diagonal fall overcoat, fine finish, worth 12 00 to 15 00, at $5 50. Men's fine black melton overcoat, blue or black, elegantly made, at $6 50, worth 12.00. Men's imported kersey overcoats silk lined, French facing, worth 22.00, at $8 25. Men's dress overcoats at $3 25, worth 10 00. Buy your overcoat now and you will save sixty cents on every dollar. Men's ulsters, dark blue, all wool, waterproof cloth, worth 18 00, at $6.50 Very fine ulsters at $5.50 and $6 50, worth double. A good ulster for drivers at $2 50 and $3.00, worth from 6 00 to 8.00. Extra fine dress suit for young men and boys, long pants actually valued at 12 00 to 15 00, sale price at $4 50. Young men's single or double-breasted blue or black cheviot suit at $3 50, regular price 10 00 A good youth's suit at $2 50, worth 7 50. Bring anything back within fifteen days, that is not entirely satisfactory. Men's extra fine brown plaid suits at $3 50, $4 50 and $5.00, worth from $9.00 to 15 00. Men's winter bicycle suits at $2 00, $2 50 and $3, worth from 5 00 to 12.00. Remember, no other store in Plainfield can sell you such fine clothing for any less than three times these prices. We have over three thousand suits to choose from. All wool clay diagonal sack suit at $5 90, worth from 12 00 to 15.00. Over one thousand woolen knee pants from 15c to 60c. Everybody living within tweny-five miles of Plainfield should visit this great sheriff sale.

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Best Smoked Hams	9½c lb	Durkey's Salad Dressing	20c bottle
Heinz's Baked Beans	7c can	Best Saltenes Wafers	11c lb
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BOROUGH RECORDER THOMAS HAS CHANGED HIS MIND

After Interviewing the Corporation Counsel He Says That His Court Docket Is Open for Inspection.

Huntington S. Thomas combines the work of gathering news with that of dispensing of justice in the Borough Recorder's court, over which he presides by power of appointment from the Mayor of that municipality. His acts are criticised oftener, no doubt, than any other official in the borough—not always, however, because they smack of unjustness, but frequently because they conform simply with what the law says, and seem harsh to those who feel their effect. It is evident, however, that he erred seriously the other day when he declined to permit an inspection of the docket containing the record of the arrest and fine of Charles E. Sage, the milkman, of Washingtonville, charged with leaving his horse untied in the street, and the legality of which is questioned. Pope & Runyon, the lawyers who were denied the request, received the following epistle from the Recorder, under date of Oct. 7th:

[redacted] October 7th, 1897.

Messrs. Pope & Runyon:

Gentlemen—I am advised by Charles A. Reed that I should have shown you my docket of borough cases when you asked for it this morning. Pardon me for not doing so. I understood it was private. The docket can be seen by you or anyone else at my office on Somerset street any time I am there.

Respectfully,
Huntington S. Thomas.

I am in my office mornings from 7 to 8 o'clock every day.

WANT TO STAND ALONE.

EFFORT TO MAKE AUXILIARY INDEPENDENT OF THE MAIN BODY

Degree of Pocohontas Anxious to Become Their Own Governing Body, but Strong Opposition is Made from Red Men.

There is an unusual stir among the members of the Degree of Pocohontas, that well-known auxiliary to the Improved Order of Red Men, in Plainfield and throughout the State. There promises to be a contest in that organization that will shake it to its very foundations and may end in the disruption of some of the councils in this State.

Ever since its organization a number of years ago, the Degree of Pocohontas has been subordinate to the Red Men. It was composed of the wives, mothers and sisters of the Red Men and sufficient of the chiefs from the tribes to look after affairs. There was no direct governing body but the different councils were allowed representatives at the Great Council of the Red Men. Now some of the more ambitious of the members of the Degree of Pocohontas deem that that organization has grown to sufficient size to be able to govern itself. There are thirty-six councils in the State, including in their membership some thirty-five hundred men and women.

It was planned to institute at Trenton in November and so it was arranged at a meeting that was held of delegates from the different councils in the State. There was a protest at this from some of the councils, including those in this city, claiming that the gathering of delegates was called by misrepresentation and that the end was secured through the same means. The opposition made a decided kick agasnst the plan and will continue to do so.

It is claimed in favor of the formation of a great council that the order is large enough to govern itself and would thereby obtain the benefits of self government. The opponents of the scheme denounce it as the plan of some of the members to raise themselves into office with the accompanying honor and salaries. It is claimed that the great council will be an unnecessary expense and that the cost of it will be too large to be easily supported by the present number of councils.

One of the leaders of the opposition is Justice V. W. Nash, of Paughcaughnaughsinque Council, of this city. Although not an officer, he is well known by the great chiefs of the Red Men and will obtain a hearing before the great council fire of the Red Men of the State this winter. The great council of the order will probably be instituted but the opposition will make a strong effort to have the governing body of the Red Men annul it and put the Degree of Pocohontas back where it has been since its organization, an auxilliary body of the Improved Order of Red Men.

Juniors Invited.

The Junior Christian Endeavor Societies and Epworth Leagues of Plainfield and vicinity are cordially invited to take part in a public demonstration to be held in conjunction with the Elizabeth District Epworth League convention to be held in this city Oct. 28th. It is desired to have all the Juniors meet at the First M. E. church to start for a short march at 4 p. m. The line will return to the church for a service of song and a short address. H. J. Johnston and W. C. O'Donnell, for the convention.

According to City Grades.

A new stone sidewalk and curb has been laid in front of the residence at the corner of Franklin place and Putnam avenue, owned by Mrs. Depew. The sidewalk and curb are laid according to the new city grades, while the surrounding ones are according to the old grades. There is six inches difference between the height of the new sidewalk and those adjoining. The line of the curb is also changed.

REUNITED FOR ACTIVE WORK.

Congregational Church Members Talk Over Plans for Work This Winter.

The members of the Congregational church held their fall reunion in the church last evening under the auspices of the Ladies' Association. The women provided a pleasant time for those who attended. While there was no elaborate programme, all joined in making the occasion enjoyable. During the evening Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor of the church, gave an interesting informal talk concerning the work for the coming winter. A feature of the evening was the piano selections rendered by Miss Nellie Winckler and Miss Eva Wilkins, who played several duets. The largest portion of the time was devoted to sociability and making plans for the fall and winter work.

The Sunday-school rooms where the sociable was held were prettily decorated with flowers, while here and there was placed a banquet lamp to add beauty to the scene. The committee in charge consisted of Mrs. F. D. Fuller, Mrs. Millard, Mrs. Seeds and Mrs. Messerschmith. These sociables will be held on the evening of every second Friday, except during January.

A Domino Club Formed.

The young people of Willow Grove have of late been seeking for some pastime to help make the coming winter evenings enjoyable, and decided to organize a domino club, as many of the young people do not play cards. A meeting was held last evening at the home of Miss Chrissie Goodman, Ashbrook, and a domino club with a membership of twenty-two was formed. The object is to meet every other Friday night and to play progressive dominoes. The officers selected are as follows: President, Mr. Stoll; vice-president, Miss Edith Darby; secretary, Miss Tillie Lambert; treasurer, Mrs. Stoll

A Speaker From the Far East.

Dr Thompson, of Brooklyn, formerly a missionary to India, will make an address tomorrow evening at the First Baptist church, under the auspices of the Temple Builder's Society of the church. The society has interested itself in the Yerkes chapel at Teto, India, and as Dr. Thompson has personal knowledge concerning the chapel and the work there, his address will no doubt be one of great interest. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Mr. Martine Sends Condolence.

James E. Martine this morning sent the following letter of condolence to Mrs. John B McPherson, whose husband died quiet unexpectedly last night:

Mrs. J. B. McPherson. My Dear Madam—The death of your distinguished husband saddens me. The country has lost a statesman and a patroit, our party a firm adherent and honest champion, his friends a loyal supporter. For years I have had and esteemed his friendship. Please accept my sincere sympathy in your bereavement.

J. E. Martine.

Arranged to Attend a Funeral.

Court Plainfield, No. 1,144, Independent Order of Foresters, met last evening, received three applications for membership, initiated one candidate, ordered paid the death benefit of their late Brother N. M. Westergaard, and made arrangements to attend his funeral in a body from the lodge rooms on Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock. The High Court representatives held back their report until the next meeting.

Public Patriotic Lecture.

Major R. M. J. Reed, of Philadelphia, will deliver the address of the evening at a public patriotic lecture at Washington Hall, Tuesday evening, under the auspices of Washington Camp, No. 30, Patriotic Sons of America. All are invited.

Disorderly Young Man.

John Lamore, nineteen-years-old, was arraigned before City Judge DeMeza, this morning, on the charge of being disorderly at Music Hall last night. Sentence was suspended.

ENDEAVORERS GO HOME.

END OF THE BIG STATE CONVENTION IN PATERSON.

Interesting Reports of the Work Throughout the State Are Read and Several Addresses Made—Election of the Officers.

The third and last day of the Christian Endeavor State Convention at Paterson was marked by an increase in the number of visiting delegates. Last night there had registered at the Convention headquarters more than four thousand five hundred visitors, a larger enrollment than ever made at any previous convention.

Two important meetings were held in the morning. At Association Hall Rev. Dr. Clark presided, and, after the song service and devotional exercises, Rev. George H. Ingram, of Trenton, the head of the press department, made a interesting report, showing that much work had been done in his branch. Other reports were on correspondence and missionary work by Dr. W. R. Ward, of Lyons Farms, and Miss Alice B. Spangenberg, of Netherwood, respectively.

Rev. Dr. Frederick J. Stanley delivered the principal address on "The City of Nations, the Crisis of Centuries as the Twentieth Opens." Simultaneously Rev. Charles A. Savage, of Orange, presided at the First Baptist church.

The report of chief interest was that of Rev. A. W. Spooner, of Camden, superintendent of junior work in the State, which showed very favorable progress both in the finances and numbers of that department. An interesting address was also made by Rev. Dr. W. G. Puddefoot, superintendent of the American Missionary Association. At each of these meetings the report of the treasurer showing the healthy financial condition of the State Union was read, as was that of Secretary Ida B. Stephens, of Hackettstown.

The latter stated that there are in the State 1,109 societies of Christian Endeavor, of which 751 are young persons, 373 are juniors and five are intermediate.

One mother society is about being organized. Fifty-three young persons', forty-seven junior and five intermediate societies, 105 in all, have have been added to the roll-call this year. The total membership is 40 075, of whom 12,075 are juniors. From these societies, 2,295 have united with the church, 725 coming from the juniors. They are active along many lines of Christian work, 231 young persons' societies have engaged in evangelistic work and 402 have missionary committees. The Y. P. S. C. E. has given $12 567.51 to missions, and juniors $3 072.81, making a total of $15,642.36.

A census, though very incomplete, shows 878 members giving a tenth of their income to missions, so the report stated. At noon praise services were held on several street corners in the city, and at half past two o'clock in the afternoon two meetings were held.

President French presided at the First Baptist church. The devotional exercises were led by Rev. D. W. Hutchinson, and addresses were made by Rev. Luther R Dyott, of Newark; Rev. F. B. Everett, of Trenton; and Rev. W. C. Bitting, of New York. Rev. John T. Kerr, of Elizabeth, presided at Association Hall, and the devotional exercises were led by Rev. Powhatan Bagnall, of Paterson. Rev. Frank B. Everitt, of Trenton, reported on evangelistic work, and then followed the principal address of the day, by Rev. Dr. Francis E. Clark, of Boston, Mass, the father of the Christian Endeavor organization.

Meetings were held at the First Baptist and Second Presbyterian churches in the evening. Officers of the State society were elected as follows:

President, Rev. Dr. Cornelius Brett, of Jersey City; first vice-president, Rev. Dr. J. Clement French, of Newark; second vice-president, Rev. L. H. Dyott, of Newark; third vice-president, T. E. Davis, of Bound Brook; secretary, Miss Ida B. Stephens, of Hackettstown; treasurer, E. E. Anthony, of Plainfield; executive committee, Rev Dr. Lewis W. Midge, Princeton; Rev. Charles Harris Jones, Bayonne; A. B Johnson, Orange; Rev. E. W. Thompson, Paterson; Willard L. Hamilton, Newark; Rev. C. C. Tilley, Bridgeton, and Arthur E. Farrier, Jersey City.

A resolution was adopted that the first week in December be devoted to special study.

Reader of Unusual Merit.

C. W. Emerson, president of Emerson College of Oratory, says of Miss Harris, who is to appear at Y. M. C. A Hall Tuesday evening, Oct. 12th: "I gladly recommend Miss Harris as a reader of unusual merit. Her interpretations are always intelligent and in good taste. I believe she will do much in elevating public taste."

IN A HYPNOTIST'S POWER

WAVE OF HAND AND SHARP GLANCE OF EYE SEEMED TO BE THE POWER.

Two Plainfield Young Men, Who Were Not Confederates, Did Remarkable Things at the Command of Sevengala—Boy Asleep.

It was altogether a novel sight to a Plainfield audience last evening at Washington Hall, to see the far-famed power of hypnotism exerted on two young men of this city, whose position precluded the possibility that they were confederates of the hypnotist. Then the audience was treated to the sight of seeing a man put to sleep for twenty-four hours.

When the hypnotistic part of the programme began, Prof. Sevengala called for subjects from the audience. The professor was a tall man of muscular build with bright eyes that seemed endowed with power. Two of his employes came forward and after some waiting, two well-known young men followed. In the first test, the subject stood in the centre of the stage with closed eyes. He was told, if he felt any inclination to fall back, to let himself go. Then the hypnotist made strange motions about the head of his subject, touched him lightly on the head and back and then drew his hands away from the body of his subject after the fashion commonly credited to the hypnotist. The body of his subject swayed slightly and then fell backwards into the arms of the waiting Sevengala. The two employes suscumbed easily to the hypnotistic influence. It took several trials to put the two Plainfielders in a trance.

A somewhat similar test was then tried, only that the hypnotist stood in front of the subject and gazed directly into his eyes and finally caused him to fall forward. Both of the Plainfielders fell as did the others.

The Professor remarked that it was possible to resist the influence, but if the subject made no resistance he could, in almost every instance, hypnotize him. Then the subjects sat in a row and closed their eyes. After a few passes, he commanded them to open their eyes, but told them that they could not. The local subjects did, but afterwards admitted that they had not thought of the test but of the audience.

One of the local subjects, George Graves, then stood up in front of the audience and the hypnotist told him that he was about to have his hands tied behind him with a strap. The hypnotist snapped his fingers as he might a strap, and then pretended to strap the subjects hands behind him although he really had no strap. He made a few passes about the head of his subject and then commanded:

"Pull your hands apart. You can't You can't!" And although the subject struggled it was half a minute before he could separate his hands, although they were bound by no strap. He afterwards told his friends that he really believed at the time that his hands had been bound and could seem to feel the strap. Graves is employed by Hillier & Co, whose laundry and dyeing establishment is located on North avenue. Graves is considered a very reliable young man. The other local subject was Charles Peterson, who is employed by Street Commissioner A. J. Gavett.

Then Prof. Straganella, whom the hypnotist said was the best subject he had ever found, was hypnotized and directed about among the audience and performed various things that had been whispered to the hypnotist by different people in the audience. The subject had his eyes closed and the hynotist only used the words "Come" and "Go" to direct him, so that it seemed very difficult to believe that there was any system of signals between the two.

Paul Smith, of Punxsutawney, Pa., a young man who accompanied the professor, sat down on the stage and the hypnotist proceeded to exercise his powers over the young man and put him to sleep. He was first weighed by Charles Betts. He was then placed on a stretcher and carried to Harry Werner's clothing establishment and put on exhibition in the window. Those who have had a close look at him declare that he appears to be fast asleep. Sometimes he rolls and tosses in his sleep but continues the slow regular breathing of a man asleep. The Professor has invited the doctors of the city to examine the man. He will be waked at the entertainment this evening after sleeping twenty four hours.

Preceding the hypnotistic exhibition, there was a very creditable exhibition of alleged mind-reading and of so-called spiritualistic work in a cabinet by Dr. and Mrs. Ford. Four men from the audience failed to discover the workings of the wonderful cabinet. An entire new programme will be presented tonight.

TO DETERMINE LICENSE OR PROHIBITION SENTIMENT.

Exact Wording of the Remarkable Resolution Offered by Councilman Runyon.

Since the introduction of the resolution into the Common Council Monday night by Councilman Runyon, seeking to find the exact sentiment of the voters towards the matter of liquor licenses, there has been a good deal of conjecture as to just what the resoluion contained. For the first time The Press gives the resolution as received by the Council:

Resolved, That it is desirable to obtain the sense of the voters at the ensuing charter election, whether they are in favor of continuing the present system of high license to regulate and control the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors, or in favor of prohibition; and to that end

Resolved, That the City Clerk be directed to print upon each official ballot at such election, beneath the list of candidates thereon, the following, viz:

"For the proposition on this ballot which is not cancelled with ink or pencil, and Against the proposition which is so cancelled. The proposition: Let the Common Council continue the present system of high license to regulate and control the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

A "PIG" PARTY.

Guests Required to Draw Pictures of How a Hog Looks to Them.

Miss Hall, of Rockview avenue, gave an informal "pig" party to a few of her friends. The party received its rather remarkable name from the principal amusement of the evening. The guests were all required to close their eyes and draw sketches of a pig Miss Ethel Green and Rowland Western won the prizes for sketching the most artistic grunters. The rest of the evening was spent in dancing, playing games and enjoying the refreshments. Those present were: Miss Ethel Green, Miss Fannie Western, Miss Ethel Marsh, Miss Bertha Hall, Meredith Dryden, Robert Turrill, Brereton Platt, F. E. Buchingham, John H. VanWinkle, Jr., and Rowland Western.

Death of a Young Man.

The death of Neils M. Vestergard, aged twenty-two years, occurred at his home in Elizabeth on Thursday. The funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence of his brother, Michael Vestergard, 219 Stebbins place. Death was caused by consumption and the departed was taken to the Elizabeth Hospital, where he died on Thursday.

Telephone Solicitor Here.

H. C. Harlow, a special agent in the employ of the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company, is now located in Plainfield, and will call on the people of this city to solicit business for the company he represents. Mr. Harlow comes to Plainfield highly recommended and will no doubt make many friends for the telephone company and himself.

Economy.

Economy does not consist solely in saving money; it is equally serviceable in the saving of strength, time and trouble, and in this last direction it will be found vastly beneficial by giving timely attention to the eyes. A free examination at Collier's will advise you how far this attention is required.

Knights Templar Field Day.

The annual field day of the Knights Templar, of this State, will be held in Morristown next Thursday. There will be dress parade, inspection and review. A banquet will be held in the evening. Last year it was held in this city.

Pear Tree in Full Bloom.

Andrew Zeisz, of 412 New street, has a curiosity in his yard that is attracting considerable attention. It is a pear tree in full bloom. The blossoms are exactly similar to those that appeared on the tree in the spring.

Accused of Abusing Her Child.

Mrs. Anna Robinson, colored, was arrested and brought before City Judge DeMeza this morning on the charge of abusing her child. The complaint was dismissed after the Judge heard the evidence.

Mrs. Hill Cleared.

Mrs. Lillie Hill, of West Front street, was discharged by Judge DeMeza this morning on the charge of using profane language. The complainant withdrew the charge.

Paid $5 for Fighting.

Stephen Murphy appeared before City Judge DeMeza this morning for sentence on the charge of fighting. He was fined $5.

—Additional locals on page 3.

—One medical and one surgical case was admitted at the Hospital yesterday.

—Jacquett's slaughter sale needs no fulsome praise in a newspaper way—the prices are the most eloquent and convincing thing about it. All the stock, latest in style and finish, is going for a mere song.

—As an evidence of the success of Brooke and his famous Chicago Marine band in the east, last spring, it is stated that at his appearance in Boston at the Boston Theatre, the receipts were $1.000 while the best advertised band in the east, in the same theatre a short time after drew only $781. It is gratifying to see this young and accomplished conductor coming into favor. Music Hall Thursday.

LOOKS WELL FOR ROGER.

THE YOUNG MAN SAID TO HAVE A GOOD SHOW FOR ASSEMBLY.

He is Willing to Retire in Favor of Judge Codington, If the Latter Wants It—G. O. P. Primaries Called for Monday Evening.

One week from next Monday, the Plainfield Republicans will formally begin their campaign that precedes the election of the State and county officers. On the evening of that day the primaries will be held in this city and delegates will be elected to the county convention to nominate three assemblymen and a surrogate for the county of Union. A meeting of the county committee was held a week ago, as was stated in The Press at the time, and the primaries called for that night, but a meeting of the city committee was held last evening and the action of the county executive committee seconded and the call made for this city.

There was little other work for the committee to do but the members discussed the present political situation in the county and city and numerous suggestions were made regarding plans for the fall and winter campaign.

There will probably be little excitement at the primaries for it is understood that the city will send a solid delegation for Roger F. Murray as nominee for the Assembly as Plainfield's share in the nominations. Assemblyman Codington refuses to have anything to say regarding his chances for a renomination but those in the inside confidently predict that he does not want the nomination and will withdraw in favor of Mr. Murray. Murray has strong backing for the office but is credited with having said that he would refuse to run against the present occupant should the latter want the nomination. The wise ones, however, are very confident that Murray will receive the nomination as far as Plainfield is concerned.

ARTICULAR MENTION.

Brief Items of More or Less Interest to Plainfielders.

Rev. Mr. Jones, of Grove street, is critically ill at his home.

Hiram H. Titus, of Trenton, was in this city on business today.

Miss Stackhouse, of East Sixth street, is visiting in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Burton Jones, of Grove street, is recovering from a slight illness.

Mrs. J. H. VanWinkle, of Duer street, is detained at home with a severe illness.

Miss Clara Woltman, of West Seventh street, is visiting friends in Philadelphia.

Washington Lee Simmonds and wife, of New Orleans, are guests of Plainfield relatives.

Miss Margaret Schuck, of Vine street, has been visiting her sister at Alton, returned home today.

Mrs. David Bodine and daughter, of Somerset street, who have been visiting at Mt. Carmel, Pa., for two months, have returned home.

Nicholas Messerschmidt, of 80 Jackson avenue, for many years a resident of Plainfield, is critically ill. It is thought that he cannot live the day out.

Mrs. B. A. Hegeman, Sr., of Sycamore avenue, who has been ill for the past month, has so far recovered as to be able to take a carriage ride this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. King, of West Second street, have returned home from a visit of several days with friends and relatives in Newark, Passaic and Paterson.

Mrs. Robert Dryden, Mrs. W. R. Codington and family, and Charles Nightingale left this morning for Mount Minsi, Pa., where they will spend Sunday. Assembyman Codington will join the party later.

—Additional locals on page 3.

—John Hallstrom and family have removed to 113 Somerset street.

—William Pryor was arraigned before Judge DeMeza on the charge of nonsupport of his wife, Elizabeth Pryor. He will be examined this afternoon.

HE'S A KING OF BEATS

Emmet C. Gibson Held to Bail for Wholesale Swindling.

SAYS THAT HE IS INNOCENT

Gibson's Schemes as "Promoter" and "Financier" Involved Millions. Several of Boston's Prominent Business Men Among the Victims.

New York, Oct. 9.—Emmet B. Gibson, who, according to the police of this and other cities, is the prince of all-around swindlers and check kiters, was arraigned in Jefferson Market Police Court yesterday on the specific charge of having passed a worthless check for $640 upon the proprietors of the Imperial Hotel.

The other charges against this man, if proved and pressed, would send him to prison for many more years than he is likely to live, for it is alleged that during his career he has obtained, in various ways that were illegal, over four hundred thousand dollars. His victims, it is said, are numbered by the score. From New York to the Mississippi his name is known; from New York to the Mississippi he has "worked" his schemes. He has the reputation of stopping at nothing to gain his ends.

He thought nothing, it is stated, of obtaining thousands from some millionaire and then of defrauding a small hotel out of a paltry sum.

He got $1,600 from Henry Clews & Co., it is alleged, and many thousands from John Wanamaker.

In Washington there are many citizens who remember the suave Gibson to their sorrow.

Besides the Imperial Hotel and the Hotel Netherland, it is alleged Gibson swindled these hostelries:

Continental, Walton and Stratford, Philadelphia; Buchtel, Akron; Du Quesne, Pittsburg; Hollenden and Weddell, Cleveland, and Cadillac, Detroit.

When arraigned, Gibson had nothing to say, except that he was innocent, but the victim of circumstances. He was held in $1,000 bail for examination on Oct. 12.

"I am entirely innocent," said the prisoner to the reporters. "I am no more guilty than you are."

An attorney, representing the German National Bank, of Pittsburg, appeared in court and served papers on the defendant for contempt of court. It is said that he was summoned to be examined in supplementary proceedings at Pittsburg in February last and failed to appear.

Boston Has Known Gibson.

Boston, Mass., Oct. 9.—Emmet C. Gibson, who is under arrest in New York, is remembered by several prominent business men here, who have had dealings with him during the past three or four years. Only one of them, however, Herbert B. Church, seems to have suffered severely. Mr. Church claims that Gibson's security given for a $20,000 loan proved worthless, and caused Mr. Church's failure. Mr. Church said he did not realize one cent on the securities he held from Gibson.

GOV. PINGREE RETURNS.

Michigan's Chief Executive Says Venezuela is a Great Country.

New York, Oct. 9.—Gov. H. S. Pingree, of Michigan, whose whereabouts and business movements have lately puzzled the entire nation, left for home last evening. He arrived from Venezuela yesterday morning on the Red D line steamer Venezuela, and when seen at Quarantine looked the picture of perfect health. He said it was his first vacation in nine years, and he enjoyed the trip immensely.

"Venezuela is a great country for young men," said the Governor. "The opportunities are many and living is cheap.

"No, I didn't go down to invest any money. It was simply a recreation trip I had planned many months ago.

"But about my reception in Venezuela. I tell you it was all any American could desire. Ignacie Andrade, the new President-elect, called on me, and under an escort of about a hundred soldiers we took a drive about the city. The band played 'The Star-Spangled Banner,' and you can believe it sounded good to my ears.

"The new President has the kindliest feeling towards the United States, and has, among other things in his office, a bust of Grover Cleveland.

"Just think of it! Flour is $15 a barrel there, and potatoes as high as $2 a bushel! In Michigan last year you could buy potatoes for 10 cents a bushel. But it will be some time before you can do that in Venezuela. The country is rich, but undeveloped."

IS IT MRS. FLEMING?

Washington Advices Say She is Bound for the Yukon.

New York, Oct. 9.—Acording to a dispatch from Port Townsend, Wash., Mrs. Mary Alice Almont Livingstone Fleming, who was acquitted of the charge of poisoning her mother in this city last year, is at St. Michaels, at the mouth of the Yukon River, bound for the Yukon gold fields.

The dispatch from Port Townsend states that Mrs. Fleming has been at St. Michaels ever since she arrived on the steamer Humboldt. She lived in a tent, and was protected by a lad of 14, whom she called her nephew. They are now on the Seattle No. 1, heading up the river. She is said to have grub-staked two men in Seattle, but they had differences going up on the steamer, and the latest talk was that she proposed doing her own mining.

She said, it is claimed, that she represented a New York syndicate. She had a pocketful of gold, and paid all her gallant woodchoppers liberally, often refreshing them all with beer, which costs there about one dollar a bottle.

Princess Kiulani to Go to Hawaii.

San Francisco, Oct. 9.—Princess Kiulani and her father, Mr. Cleghorne, have engaged passage from here on the steamship Australia for Honolulu on Nov. 2. The Princess will leave England on next Saturday, sailing from Liverpool for New York. It is expected that she will spend a week in San Francisco.

THE NEXT CONGRESS.

Will Attempt to Pass Some Sort of a Currency Bill.

Washington, Oct. 9. — Republican Congressmen in Washington say that, in their opinion, the work of the coming session will be confined to very few subjects. It is expected that an attempt will be made to pass through Congress some sort of a currency bill, but in view of the opposition to be encountered in the Senate, it is doubtful if any bill can be framed which will be satisfactory to both houses.

Representative Wadsworth thinks the session will be a short one. Most of the Congressmen seen do not think that the session will last beyond the middle of June or the first of July. Owing to the fact that the Congressional elections will occur one year from November, it is believed that an attempt will be made to confine legislation as much as possible to such topics only as it is absolutely necessary to touch.

UNCLE SAM WILL ACT.

Recall of Weyler Must Be Hurried, or Trouble May Ensue.

Washington, Oct. 9.—A prominent Cuban of this city, who is in frequent secret communication with the Junta in New York, but who, for prudent reasons, does not care to have his name appear in print at this critical period, is authority for the statement that the Cubans in the United States have reason to believe that if the Spanish Government does not hurry up the recall of Weyler, the influence of the McKinley Administration will be speedily exerted to let the civilized world know that the United States cannot longer tolerate the barbarous warfare in the island.

In addition to the butcheries which are reported from time to time, the United States, on the score of trade, will have to interfere. The Cuban thinks there will be some interesting developments through the State Department in the course of the next two weeks.

JOHN R M'PHERSON DEAD.

Former U. S. Senator Expires at Taylor's Hotel, Jersey City.

John R. McPherson, former Democratic Senator from New Jersey, died at 11.30 o'clock last night at Taylor's Hotel, Jersey City.

He had been ill since 1892, but his sickness did not take a serious turn till last Tuesday. On Friday last, accompanied by his trained nurse, C. M. Beach, who had been with him since 1895, Mr. McPherson went to Barnegat, N. J., to spend Sunday.

On Monday the Senator was at Lakewood and purchased a lot there, intending to build a house. Upon his return to Taylor's Hotel he complained of pains about the heart and went to bed. His death is attributed to acute inflammation of the bowels.

WEYLER'S FATE SETTLED.

The Decree Recalling Him to Be Drawn To-day.

Madrid, Oct. 9.—The Cabinet, at its meeting to-day will formulate a decree recalling Capt.-Gen. Weyler from Cuba and appointing Gen. Ramon Blanco in his stead. The decree will give notice of the appointment of four divisional commanders.

The Heraldo says that 20,000 troops will accompany Gen. Blanco when he goes to Cuba, in November.

Mill for Negroes Only.

Columbia, S. C., Oct. 9.—A contract to furnish machinery for a 10,000-spindle cotton mill and 250 looms in which no white person will be permitted to work except in the capacity of instructor or foreman has just been signed here. The idea of having a cotton mill operated exclusively by colored labor originated with W. S. Monteith, a white lawyer of this city. Mr. Monteith, with his brother, son and nephew as corporators, obtained a commission for the Elmwood Manufacturing Company from the Secretary of State. The capital stock of $100,000 is to be paid in installments. Of this amount 750 shares of 100 each have been subscribed for by Columbia negroes. Mr. Monteith and a few other business men will take the remainder.

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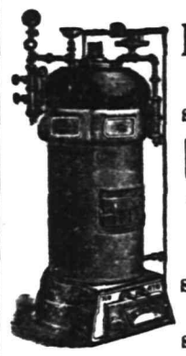

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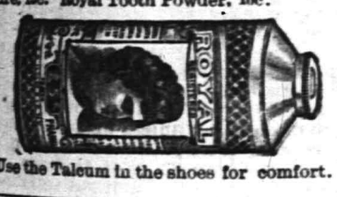

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NOTICE is hereby given to the tax-payers of the City of Plainfield that the taxes assessed in said City for the year eighteen hundred and ninety-seven are now due and payable, and that if said taxes be not paid before the

20th Day of December

next, the names of the defaulters with their respective taxes, will be returned to the City Judge for prosecution. The Commissioners of Appeal in cases of taxation in and for the said City will meet at the Council Chamber, No. 109 Park avenue, Plainfield, N. J., on the

4th Tuesday of November

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

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Miss Etta Raybert, of North avenue, has returned from Newark, where she has been visiting Mrs. C. E. Scudder.

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—William Lawrence, of Sherman avenue, is detained at home as the result of playing football and having his ankle fractured a few days ago. He will be kept at home for many weeks.

A Valuable Prescription.
Editor Morrison, of Worthington, Ind., "Sun," writes: "You have a valuable prescription in Electric Bitters, and I can cheerfully recommend it for Constipation and Sick Headache and as a general system tonic it has no equal." Mrs. Annie Stehle, 2025 Cottage Grove Ave., Chicago, was all run down, could not eat nor digest food, had a back ache which never left her and felt tired and weary, but six bottles of Electric Bitters restored her health and renewed her strength. Prices 50c and $1. Get a bottle at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

—Next Thursday evening a musicale will be given in Metuchen at which time Bert Harold, of this city, will assist.

A few weeks ago the editor was taken with a very severe cold that caused him to be in a most miserable condition. It was undoubtedly a bad case of la grippe and recognizing it as dangerous he took immediate steps to bring about a speedy cure. From the advertisement of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the many good recommendations included therein, we concluded to make a first trial of the medicine. To say that it was satisfactory in its results, is putting it very mildly, indeed. It acted like magic and the result was a speedy and permanent cure. We have no hesitancy in recommending this excellent Cough Remedy to anyone afflicted with a cough or cold in any form.—The Banner of Liberty, Libertytown, Maryland. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Miss Nellie Brown, of Woodbridge, is the guest of Miss Mabel Pruden, of East Second street.

Those who believe chronic diarrhœa to be incurable should read what Mr. P. E. Grisham, of Gaars Mills, La., has to say on the subject, viz.: "I have been a sufferer from chronic diarrhœa ever since the war and have tried all kinds of medicines for it. At last I found a remedy that effected a cure and that was Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy." This medicine can always be depended upon for colic, cholera morbus, dysentery and diarrhœa. It is pleasant to take and never fails to affect a cure. 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

The Misses Gibbons, of East Sixth street, acted as bridemaids at the Townsend-Morbrey wedding in Bayonne Wednesday evening.

A pain in the chest is nature's warning that pneumonia is threatened. Dampen a piece of flannel with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bind over the seat of pain, and another on the back between the shoulders, and prompt relief will follow. Sold by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

—Miss Bertha LaRue, of Liberty street, has accepted the position of stenographer in the office of a prominent New York firm.

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250,000 MAY STRIKE

Workmen of All the Shipyards in England Likely to Go Out.

DEMAND EIGHT-HOUR DAY

The Engineers Are in Straits and Beg for Aid—Employers Refuse to Meet the Strikers in Conference.

London, Oct. 9.—The Engineer's Union, whose members are now on strike, has issued a manifesto which reveals the fact that its struggle with the employers has reached the most momentous crisis in the history of trades unionism in England.

The employers maintain the position announced by them a week ago, refusing to meet the strikers in conference and declining to depart in the slightest degree from the stand which they have taken until the men return to work unconditionally. The employers are aware of the straits to which they have driven the hitherto wealthiest union in the country.

The manifesto roundly denounces the employers' rejection of the overtures of the strikers. Their insistence upon the absolute submission of the workmen to their terms, the pronouncement declares, means their intention to crush the entire organiation of trades unionism of the country.

"We appeal to our fellow trades unionists generally," the manifesto continues, "to answer the challenge of the Federated Employers. The Engineers' Society has sustained its struggle alone until the present time, but financial aid is now imperatively necessary."

The manifesto then makes an appeal to the public to subscribe funds, to the end of checkmating the dominance of the Employers' Federation. It denies that the engineers' union has made any unjustifiable demands. It is fighting the battle of all who think that trades unions are essential, and declares that it intends to go right on as it has done to the finish.

The circular does not say what the finish will be unless vast and immediate outside subscriptions are forthcoming, but the tearful rhetoric of many passages of the manifesto shows that the engineers are aware that they are on the edge of the last ditch.

The public is getting impatient at the absolute cessation of shipbuilding in accordance with the naval programme, and at the daily spectacle of contracts being diverted to foreign builders, but the fact that several firms of high reputation have tried the eight-hour-a-day plan and found that they absolutely could not continue it, has convinced most persons that the Employers' Federation is fighting a just fight.

The deadlock is such that a strike throughout the shipbuilding yards of the country is probable next week, involving 250,000 men.

M'KINLEY'S CUBAN POLICY.

A Protest Will Be Made Against the Spanish Minister's Course.

Washington, Oct. 9.—While the regular meeting of the Cabinet, held yesterday, did not result in any important action, it had an interesting bearing on the Cuban question. There are indications that the Administration does not intend to allow the Spanish Ministry to postpone consideration of the situation in the perturbed island until next March without a protest or something more emphatic from the United States. The announcement in Madrid that this policy had been determined on, met with severe criticism by some member of McKinley's official family, and developed a feeling of hearty Americanism that will undoubtedly be productive of decisive measures by the President to bring the war to a close if the present Government of Spain persists in its reported intention to delay the proposed Cuban reforms, or thwart the desire of this country for some speedy settlement. According to trustworthy authority, the President and his Cabinet are convinced that the Sagasta Ministry can do something to ameliorate the condition of things in Cuba without resorting to what they consider the temporizing expedient of calling a general election to determine the political character of a new legislative government.

Minister Woodford has expressed to the Spanish authorities the earnest desire of President McKinley that the inhuman concentration order of Weyler's, by which thousands of non-combatants are forced to remain in the large towns where food is so scarce that many are dying of starvation, be revoked, and the suffering people permitted to return to their farming and other means of livelihood. This request, it was maintained at yesterday's meeting, can be complied with at once, and does not require submission to the Cortes.

The state of affairs prevailing in Havana, where members of the volunteers are parading the streets, shouting for the retention of Weyler, was also discussed at the Cabinet meeting with reference to the safety of Americans in the Cuban capital. Some fear was expressed that the riotous demonstration of the volunteers might cause an attack on the United States Consulate-General, but Mr. Springer, who is acting as Consul-General in the absence of Gen. Lee, has not sent any alarming telegrams on the subject to the State Department.

Bishop Brewster's Consecration.

New York, Oct. 9.—The Rev. Chauncey B. Brewster, coadjutor Bishop-elect of the diocese of Connecticut and the present rector of Grace Episcopal Church, Brooklyn Heights, will be consecrated on Oct. 28. By the appointment of Bishop Williams the consecration will take place in Trinity Church, New Haven. At the same time there will be celebrated in Trinity Church the centenary of the consecration of Bishop Jarvis, the second Bishop of Connecticut.

An Injunction Defied.

Pittsburg, Oct. 9.—Trouble may occur at the Plum Creek mines to-day. The non-union men refused to go to work yesterday while the marchers from Camp Isolation were at the mines. Acting upon an order from Supt. De Armitt, Deputy Sheriff Young served an injunction upon the strikers and warned them that if they made a similar demonstration to-day all would be arrested. The men say they will march, despite the injunction.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Generally Fair Tonight and Sunday; Cooler; Frost in the Interior Sunday Morning.

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 75 Degrees.

COMING EVENTS.

October 11—German classes for beginners and more advanced students will be organized at Y. M. C. A. at 8 p. m.

October 11—First, second and third year classes in mechanical drawing will meet at Y. M. C. A. at 7:45 p. m.

October 12—First and second year classes in mathematics at Y. M. C. A. at 7:45 p. m.

A NOTABLE DEATH.

A notable loss to the list of New Jersey public men is sustained in the death of former Senator John Roderick McPherson, which occurred in Jersey City last night. Though not prominently before the public in the last few years, Senator McPherson was for many years an important factor in politics of State and Nation. As a Democrat he was high in party councils as long as he was actively identified with the party organization. In 1876 he was elected to the United States Senate to succeed F. T. Frelinghuysen. He was re elected in 1883, and at the end of his second term refused to be again a candidate. He was a staunch supporter of President Cleveland. He was a man of aristocratic appearance. His Scotch ancestry was noticeable in his speech. Although not a great orator, he was an agreeable speaker. He was self-reliant and alert, and had a deep knowledge of parliamentary law and practice.

The Union County Democratic Executive Committee met late Thursday afternoon and decided to hold the county convention Tuesday, Oct. 19th, at Turn Hall, Elizabeth. The primaries were called for Friday evening, Oct. 15th. Candidates for Surrogate, three Assemblymen and a Coroner will be named. There was a full attendance at the meeting and so far as could be learned ex-County Clerk Crowell remains a strong favorite for the nomination for Surrogate. The Republican candidate will probably be Surrogate Parrot.

The pathway of the Brunswick Traction Company seems to be strewn with injunctions.

The underground wires will mean greater safety for the lives of Plainfield people.

The bonfire smudge is scheduled.

JUNIOR WORKERS.

Aids Who Will Assist the Trinity Society President.

The Junior Christian Endeavor Society of Trinity Reformed church met Thursday afternoon and the president, Lida Wyman, appointed the following as her committees for the ensuing year:

Lookout—Chairman, Hattie Randall; Anna Holder, Lena Boham, Luther Sheppard, Freddie Smith, Allen Connelly.

Prayer meeting—Chairman, Lucy Coriell; Bessie Wilson, Edith Caleen, Bessie TenEyck, Crissie Mobus.

Missionary—Chairman, Kate Bodine; Dora Wilson, Pansy Luckey, Ida May Tier, Lulu Vail, Morris Brokaw.

Music—Chairman, Grace TenEyck; Hattie Randall, Lucy Coriell, Bessie TenEyck, Hazell Martin, Anna Randall.

Birthday — Chairman, Ada VanDoren; Etta Tremley, Emma Yeager, Cornelius Schenck, Edward Honeyman.

Social—Chairman, Lydia Wyman; Katie Bodine, Ada VanDoren, Samuel Bogart, Luther Sheppard, Albert Yeager.

Scrap book—Chairman, Violet VanWinkle; Annie Bodine, Edmund Taylor, Bessie Randall, Herbert VanDoren.

Flower—Chairman, Bessie Reighton; Lottie Coddington, Arthur Williams, Gussie Kreitling.

—Additional locals on third page.

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For Infants and Children.

The fac simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way

Miss Elizabeth Eick, of Elizabeth, is the guest of friends in Plainfield.

Miss Warman, of New York, is visiting her parents in the borough.

Miss Grace Crane, of East Second street, is visiting relatives in Brooklyn.

Mrs. Horsley Barker, of Grove street, is visiting friends on Staten Island.

Reporter Elderton, of the Courier-News, is able to be out today after a short illness.

Charles Barras, of Stebbins place, is able to be out again after an illness of three weeks.

Miss Fanny Western, of Washington Park, is entertaining company from out of town.

Dr. Edward Rushmore returned yesterday from his outing in the Adirondack Mountains.

F. S. Rose, of New York, formerly of Lincoln place, was visiting Plainfield friends yesterday.

J. T. Clawson, of West Front street, has returned after spending four months at Long Branch.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward F. Randolph, of West Front street, will return tomorrow from their vacation.

Gordon Burton, of Philadelphia, is the guest of his father, Charles W. Burton, of Watchung avenue.

S. S. Swackhamer, of Codington & Swackhamer, was in Somerville yesterday on business of the firm.

Miss Stevens, of Lambertville, who has been visiting the Misses Graves, of Liberty street, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Taylor, of Mount Vernon, O., are in Plainfield for a few days calling on former friends and acquaintances.

William L. Sperry, superintendent of the Cumberland Hydraulic Cement Works, at Cumberland, Md., is visiting his mother in Plainfield.

Charles Hayes, of West Eighth street, expects to leave Plainfield next Monday for the south, where he will remain for an indefinite length of time.

George Sanders, of Orchard place, who has been confined to his home for some time past with a severe illness, was able to be out today for the first time.

Miss Jessie Munger, daughter of H. Raymond Munger, of Washington avenue, is visiting the summer camp in the Adirondacks of Charles W. McCutchen.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. James, of Sycamore avenue, are entertaining a little guest who will probably remain permanently in this city. It is a boy and arrived yesterday morning.

The many friends of Charles Myers, Jr., will be glad to learn that he is improving from his recent accident, and will be able to leave the hospital in about two weeks.

Miss Isabel Butler, of East Front street, Miss Lilian Fritz, of Park avenue, and Miss May Kirkner, of West Eighth street, have gone to Stamford, in the Catskills, to spend two weeks.

George W. Julian, of Irvington, has two visitors this week in the person of Aaron M. Powell and his wife, Anna Rice Powell, editors of The Philanthropist, the organ of the American Purity Alliance.

Mrs. D. J. Yerkes, Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. B. J. Shreve and Mrs. Spratt were among those who attended the annual meeting of the Woman's Baptist Home Missionary Society held at Rahway yesterday.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they do is tenfold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by druggists, price 75c per bottle.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

This is the season when the small boy goes forth on a pleasant afternoon and, visiting the cornfield of some unwary farmer, purloins one of his yellow pumpkins. The contents of the pumpkin is removed and in some hidden corner, the small boy converts it into a jack-o'lantern with which he tries to scare his timid sister on an evening. The watchful farmer is keeping a careful eye, however, on his property and woe betide the small urchin that tries to appropriate a pumpkin under his nose.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Look at the display of art goods in Peck's window.

—Stone Square Lodge, F. and A.M., meet as usual on Monday evening.

—Plainfield Council, Royal Arcanum, will hold a meeting on Monday evening.

—John Kilian, from New York, has started a bakery business at 316 Liberty street.

—Rev. A. C. Nickerson will remove from 727 Richmond street to 109 West Seventh street, in a few days.

—The Hamilton Quartette gave a successful concert in the Mt Olive Baptist church Thursday evening.

—There will be a meeting of the T. A. B. Association on Monday evening at the clubhouse on West Fourth street.

—The governors of the Park Club meet on Tuesday evening, when the committees for the year will be appointed.

—There will be some initiatory work to be done at the meeting of Queen City Lodge, No. 225, I. O. O. F., Monday evening.

—Miss Elsie Van Zandt's dancing class opened with a large attendance Thursday evening. The class will be held in Miss Scribner and Miss Green's school.

—At the camp fire to be given by Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., next Tuesday evening, the Woman's Relief Corps and Sons of Veterans will be present.

—At a meeting of the W. C. T. U., held on Wednesday, a vote of thanks was tendered to the publishers of The Daily Press and the News, for the many favors extended to them during the past year.

—A recital by Prof. Livingston Barbour, of Rutgers College, will be given in Vincent chapel Thursday evening, under the auspices of the Young Ladies' Mission Circle of the First M. E. church.

—Persons taking pleasure in beautiful and artistic furniture should visit the store of Garret Q. Packer and see his fall and winter stock. The assortment includes some reproductions of antiques, Martha Washington tables.

—A farewell dinner was given on September 28th in honor of Messrs Sidney and Gerald Ollif at the residence of Mr and Mrs Percy Van Alstyne, 28 Manhattan avenue, New York city. Covers were laid for twelve

—Justice Newcorn has issued summons in the contract case of Kersting against Dunn, returnable on the 13th. Execution has been issued in the cases of Rogers against Scott, on contract, Sternberg against Ryan, in tort, Sternberg against Frazee, in tort.

—There is on exhibition in the show window of Titsworth's store on North avenue a complete miniature bureau, which was made entirely of cigar boxes by Mr. Foreman, of New Brunswick. It has been donated to the Independent Fife and Drum Corps for their fair, to be held soon.

—Borough Clerk James K. Arnold has just completed arrangements to have a commodious barn and wagon house erected on the rear of his lot on Manning avenue. During the past seventeen years Mr. Arnold has rented such accommodations as he needed, but he is now convinced that it would be better to have a suitable place owned by himself.

—Noah Dove Encampment, I. O. O. F., met on Thursday evening, and listened to a number of addresses from some members who had not been present for a number of meetings. Arrangements had been made to confer the second degree upon a candidate, but as he failed to appear the ceremony was postponed until the next meeting which takes place the 21st.

—Morey & LaRue, proprietors of the city steam and hand laundry, 19 Somerset street, have the most improved method for handling the finer fabrics in lace curtains. They give a domestic finish to all linens. They call for and deliver goods. Postal card or telephone call will bring one of their wagons to your door. Their wagons run to Westfield, Fanwood, Metuchen, Netherwood and Dunellen.

—Doane & Edsall say their new fall and winter stock is about all in now, and it surpasses anything they have ever shown in elegance of make and style, and that the value is the best they have ever given. They are making a specialty of medium priced goods, as well as carrying a good assortment of the fine grades. They guarantee to do as well by the people as any house in New York city or anywhere else. See new ad.

Mothers Praise Hood's Sarsaparilla, because, by its great blood enriching qualities, it gives rosy cheeks and vigorous appetites to pale and puny children.

Hood's Pills are the favorite family cathartic and liver medicine. Price 25c.

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A selection of trimmed Hats and Bonnets that is pleasing. Not grotesque styles, which no one cares to wear, but a charming collection of stylish, sensible, wearable

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With an endless variety of shapes, from the ordinary grades to the expensive, rich beautiful feathers and plumes, and all the requirements of hat trimming we can undoubtedly please the most fastidious.

J. Lederer.

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During this month we're going to sell good Pianos at the previously unheard of price of $170 cash, or $190 on easy monthly payments.

We bought nearly a hundred from different makers during the summer. These are good pianos that we guarantee for five years.

We have also marked down for this month the prices on all of our regular lines of Hardmans, Gablers, Voses, Sterlings and Standards. There is decided saving for the buyer who comes during this sale.

It would be worth your while to buy now, even if you don't want the Piano until Christmas; we'll store it for you without charge.

FIVE TIMES LARGER STOCK OF PIANOS THAN ANY OTHER HOUSE IN THE STATE.

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We have just received our new

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Trousers to order, $5, $6 and $7

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FALL AND WINTER

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MEN, BOYS AND CHILDREN.

One of the leading wholesale manufacturers in New York has failed and their entire stock was sent to us to be sold at less than forty cents on the dollar they cost to manufacture. The house was noted in New York, and only the very best and choicest lines were handled by them. Recollect these will be sacrifice prices and will last but three weeks. A great opportunity for money-saving clothing buyers.

The very finest tailor-made clothing in the world will be sold at retail for less than half the prices that other stores ask for inferior goods. As this is such a rare occurrence, we respectfully invite all intending purchasers of clothing to give their personal attention and call early, as the choicest goods will most naturally go first. The sheriff must be paid in cash and this elegant stock of fine clothing will consequently be sacrificed at an enormous loss. We will sell you fine fall and winter suits, fall and winter overcoats, ulsters, heavy-weight trousers, coats and vests, handsomely and elegantly made, equal to the best merchant tailor's work, for less than the actual cost of the labor in making these fine garments. Here is your opportunity to purchase a suit or overcoat for what the lining would cost at any tailoring establishment in the city. A few prices will tell the whole facts. Means a saving of 60 per cent. on every dollar spent. We deal only in reliable clothing, and will not undertake to sell one dollar's worth of clothing unless we know that what we sell will give the buyers as good wear as if he paid us what the garment was worth. Men's winter all-wool suits, sizes from 33 to 44, that are sold all over Plainfield at $7.50 and $8.00, are sold here at $3.75; if not satisfied with this suit in any way, bring it back and get your money. Men's fine clay-diagonal heavy-weight suits, silk-lined, worth $22.00, at $7.50. Men's satin lined dress suits in cutaway, worth $22.75, at $8.50. We offer 600 dark colored good suits in mixed cheviots and cassimers at $3 50, $4 50, $5.00 and $5.25, worth easily from $8.00 to $12 00. All wool men's pants at 85c. Heavy cheviots and cassimere pants at 95c, $1 10, $1.25 and $1 50, worth double. Fine double breasted heavy black cheviot suit handsomely made, at $5.25, that other stores ask $15.00 for. Elegant Prince Albert dress suits, very fine imported cloth, wholesale price $18 00 to $25.00, sale price $9.50, Extra fine dress pants, over one hundred styles in stripes and silk mixtures, neat checks and cords, $1.25, $1.50, $1 65, $1 90 and $2.25, worth from $3.75 to $5.50.

Bring this with you and if not shown everything here as advertised we will pay your car fare. Boys' neat double-breasted suits, all wool warranted, with double knee and double seat, $1,00, 1 25, 1.50, 1.75 and 2.24, worth three times as much. Men's fine covert cloth fall overcoats, in light and dark shades, silk-lined, worth $16.00, at $5.00, latest styles. Men's heavy diagonal fall overcoat, fine finish, worth 12.00 to 15.00, at $5.50. Men's fine black melton overcoat, blue or black, elegantly made, at $6 50, worth 12.00. Men's imported kersey overcoats silk lined, French facing, worth 22.00, at $8.25. Men's dress overcoats at $3 25, worth 10 00. Buy your overcoat now and you will save sixty cents on every dollar. Men's ulsters, dark blue, all wool, waterproof cloth, worth 18 00, at $6.50. Very fine ulsters at $5.50 and $6.50, worth double. A good ulster for drivers at $2 50 and $3.00, worth from 6 00 to 8.00. Extra fine dress suit for young men and boys, long pants actually valued at 12 00 to 15 00, sale price at $4 50. Young men's single or double-breasted blue or black cheviot suit at $3.50, regular price 10.00. A good youth's suit at $2.50, worth 7 50. Bring anything back within fifteen days, that is not entirely satisfactory. Men's extra fine brown plaid suits at $3 50, $4.50 and $5.00, worth from $9.00 to 15 00. Men's winter bicycle suits at $2 00, $2 50 and $3, worth from 5.00 to 12.00. Remember, no other store in Plainfield can sell you such fine clothing for any less than three times these prices. We have over three thousand suits to choose from. All wool clay diagonal sack suit at $5.90, worth from 12 00 to 15.00. Over one thousand woolen knee pants from 15c to 60c. Everybody living within tweny-five miles of Plainfield should visit this great sheriff sale.

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New York Clothing Co.,

Next door to Music Hall, Plainfield, N. J.

M. WEINBERGER, Manager, Car fare paid to all out of town buyers. Don't miss this sale, it will pay you to come at once. Sale takes place rain or shine. Don't forget the place; it is 214 West Front Street, next door to Music Hall. Look for New York Clothing Co.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Mrs. Isaac Laing has been the guest of Plainfield friends.

There was bowling on the green at Mr. Schepflin's residence this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Churchill are entertaining company from Brooklyn for a few days.

Mrs. Emily Apgar, who has been very ill, is convalescing, and is able to be about the house.

Miss Jennie Tingley has returned from Bound Brook, where she has been visiting friends.

The Presbyterian church is being treated to an attractive coat of paint. W. H. Kuhn is doing the work.

Rev. A. I. Martine will occupy the pulpit at the Presbyterian church tomorrow, morning and evening.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church held a meeting yesterday afternoon in the chapel of the church.

Jacob Johnson has secured his brother to run his place at the end of the trolley line, while he is busily engaged in another line of business.

Jack Auten entertained Preston Apgar, of Junction, yesterday. Mr. Apgar was formerly a resident of the borough and his old friends were glad to see him.

Paxson VanArsdale has sold his blacksmith shop to C. H. Adams, formerly of New Market. Mr. VanArsdale has been in ill-health for a long time and he feels as though he will not be able to return to work for sometime to come.

For a long time the organ at the Presbyterian church has not been al together right, that is, two reeds were broken and consequently two keys could not be used. Yesterday a man from Somerville was engaged to repair the instrument thoroughly, which he did.

Master Theodore Hamilton celebrated the anniversary of his birthday yesterday, and in honor of the event he gave a party to a few of his friends in the afternoon. The time was passed in the usual pleasant manner, playing games, etc., after which refreshments were served.

Last evening Mrs. Egbert gave a reception and musicale at her home to a few of her friends. The members of the Schubert Club Ladies' Orchestra were present and rendered a number of classical selections. Mrs. Egbert received her guests and the hospitality evidenced was proverbial.

SCOTCH PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Miss Emma Clark visited friends in Plainfield, yesterday.

Fred Schmidt is able to be out again after his recentillness.

Mrs. S. A. Savage has moved into Mrs. Ross' house on Park avenue.

George Sheck, the barber, has returned from a visit to Bordentown.

Robert Walpole went hunting yesterday and bagged two fine woodcock.

Robert Woodruff, of Westfield, visited friends in Scotch Plains yesterday.

Dennis Crane has rented his farm and will go south for the improvement of his health.

Mrs. Myra Heath leaves today for Brooklyn, where she will spend a few days with her sister, Mrs. Fred Houghton.

The Junior Christian Endeavor Society of the Baptist church held its annual business meeting and election of officers at the residence of Miss Carrie Bettman, at Fanwood, yesterday afternoon. Miss Mary Westcott was elected president; Miss Addie Johnston, vice-president; Miss Cora Miller, treasurer, and Miss E hel Marsh, secretary.

Sprained His Shoulder.

Early this morning Milkman Sage, of Washingtonville, met with a slight accident while alighting from his milk wagon at the corner of Duer street and Park place. He slipped on the step and fell striking the large root of a tree close by. He landed on his shoulder which pained him to such an extent that he called on Dr. Zeglio who examined his shoulder. In the opinion of the doctor the injury was only a slight sprain.

WESTFIELD

FRANCHISE WAS DENIED

CITIZENS SO INSTRUCTED WESTFIELD OFFICIALS AT TROLLEY HEARING.

Arguments by Senator Voorhees and Frank Bergen—Senator Said That The Applicants Have Tired of Being Thrown About.

The Westfield Township Committee held a public hearing in the Westfield Club Hall last night upon the question of granting a franchise to the Elizabeth and Westfield Electric Railway Company to run a trolley line through the township. The route asked for in the petition is on the county road from Cranford to Middlesex street, in Westfield, through the town on Middlesex, Broad and Elm streets and North avenue, and on North avenue to the Fanwood township line. Col. E. W. Heine, of Newark, the secretary of the company, and State Senator Foster M. Voorhees, its counsel, spoke in favor of granting the franchise. The company asked for the county road, they said, because no capital could be secured to build a road on South avenue. The place for a trolley was where the travel was greatest. It was in the power of the Committee to impose reasonable restrictions upon the company, such as charging it a license fee yearly for a stated number of years and then compelling it to pay to the township a certain percentage of its gross earnings. The company did not expect to get something for nothing, but was willing to make any just recompense. Remarks were made by Martin Wells, Col. A. A. Starr, C. B Peddie, S. W. Reese, L. G. Cohen, Theodore McGarrah, E. L. Whitehead, James O. Clark, Charles N. Codding, John B. Green, Mr. Moorehouse, and others. Senator Voorhees went upon the platform and answered questions asked by the citizens. Much curiosity was shown as to who the incorporators were, and whether their intention was to build a road and operate it or to sell out the franchise after obtaining it. Mr. Codding suggested that the company go to the Board of Freeholders and obtain its consent before applying to the township. Senator Voorhees replied that the company was tired of being thrown about like a handball from one governing body to another, and that it did not make much difference anyway where the beginning was made. James O. Clark offered a resolution that Frank Bergen, who was present, be invited to explain his project to the audience. E. J. Whitehead offered as a substitute a resolution instructing the Township Committee not to grant a franchise for a trolley upon the county road. After the resolution was passed Mr. Bergen was invited to explain his plan for the widening of the county road and the construction of a trolley thereon, to be leased by the county to the corporation operating it. His remarks were listened to with much interest. Chairman Endicott then announced that the Township Committee would withhold its decision on the granting of the franchise until its next meeting.

At the sale of Westfield property for delinquent taxes, which took place in the town rooms yesterday, the property of J. K. McHaffery was sold to Mrs. Margaret Foster for thirty years, and the property of J. B. Swoope went to Margaret Ham, of Cranford, for thirty years. The balance of the sale was postponed two weeks.

Mrs. W. H. Morse will lead the Christian Endeavor missionary meeting in the Baptist church tomorrow evening. The subject will be "Enduring hardship for Christ's sake."

The Westfield Club football team plays the Crescents, of Plainfield, on the North Broad street grounds this afternoon. The game is called at 4 o'clock.

The Westfield Junior football team will play the Alis team, of Plainfield, on the North Broad street grounds this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Miss Mabel Holcomb, of Westfield avenue, will leave on Monday to spend a week with relatives in Brooklyn.

An offering will be taken for the Publication Society in the Baptist church, tomorrow morning.

Holy Trinity Roman Catholic church will hold a fair in Etta Hall next Wednesday and Thursday.

The offering in the Presbyterian church tomorrow morning will be for the educational fund.

Miss Bessie Elliot, of Westfield avenue, leaves Monday for a two weeks' visit in Rutherford.

William Terry, of South Broad street, has a Duchess peach tree in blossom.

William Dallas, of Prospect street, has returned from a business trip to Canada.

Mrs. J. D. Ritchie and Miss Medora Ritchie have returned from Asbury Park.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gomes, of Carleton place, are at Delaware Water Gap.

John D. Jacques is dangerously ill at his home on Prospect street.

Miss M. A. Frothingham is at St. Mary's School, Concord, N. H.

A Liniment to Rely On.

No matter how careful you are, you can hardly hope to escape bruises, strains and bodily aches. If you elude them, some other member of the family will not, and so a liniment is needed in every home. There are three reasons why

Henry's Electric Liniment

should be chosen.

It is thoroughly scientific and is calculated to do more than other liniments.

It has been used with utmost satisfaction by hundreds of your neighbors.

It is fully guaranteed. You can have your money back if it fails to suit.

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Crane & Clark, hatters, 120 West Front street, have a very fine line of underwear for gentlemen.

—The regular meeting will be held in the W. C. T. U. rooms at 4 o'clock, led by an earnest temperance worker.

—The tenth conference of the Y. M. C. A. begins this afternoon at Somerville. The meetings will continue tomorrow.

—All young men are invited to attend the young men's Bible class which meets at the Monroe Avenue church tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

—A recognition service for the officers and teachers of the Sunday-school will be held before the sermon at the Congregational church tomorrow morning.

—Neuman Brothers, the Watchung avenue grocers, received at 11 o'clock today a shipment of 50 baskets of excellent quality peaches, which will be sold this afternoon.

—The Bible training class of the Y. M. C. A. will meet as usual tomorrow at 9:30 a. m. E. R. Taylor will be present with helpful suggestions. Visitors will be welcome.

—The third of the series of free-will sociables given by Martha Washington Council, No. 23, D. of A., will be held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Mattis, 301 Madison avenue, Wednesday evening.

—Hugo Stomel, the inventor and builder of the horseless carriage now in process of construction in this city, has been ill for several days with lumbago. He is able to be out again, but will not be able to resume work at his invention until next week. The trial trip of the carriage has thus necessarily been postponed until next week.

OAK TREE.

John Teeple is able to be out again after his recent illness.

Mrs. S. K. Swenck is entertaining a friend from New York.

Miss Emma Teeple is visiting her uncle at South Plainfield.

Mrs. Ellis Campbell is entertaining a friend from Jersey City.

Miss Martha Kyle has given up her position as dressmaker in Plainfield.

Mrs. Charles C. Brower is entertaining her sister, Miss M. Sherman, of Freehold.

Samuel Tucker has left the employ of J. B. Brown and entered that of John I Holly.

MADE GOOD THE SHORTAGE.

Harry P. Barton Settled and Was Dismissed From Express Company's Employ.

Harry P. Barton, the employe of the United States Express Company who yesterday morning abandoned his wagon on West Second street and left the city leaving a shortage in his accounts, returned last night from New York, and paid Manager Mills the amount which he owed the company.

When questioned as to his object in leaving the city, Barton stated that he had gone to a sister living in New York to obtain the money necessary to make the accounts straight.

After making his settlement he was dismissed from the company's employ.

Fads in Medicine.

There are fads in medicine as in every thing else and a "new thing" frequently sells for a short time simply because it is new. But in medicine as in nothing else, the people demand and will be satisfied only with positive, absolute merit. The fact that Hood's Sarsaparilla has stood its ground against all competitions, and its sales have never wavered but have remained steadily at the top, demonstates, beyond any doubt, the intrinsic virtues of this medicine. The new things have come and gone but Hood's Sarsaparilla rests upon the solid foundation of absolute merit and its power to cure, and its sales continue to be the largest in the world.

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RANDOLPH'S
--DRUG STORE.--

A Pharmacy conducted in the interest of the People's Health. Nature's Wonderful gifts to alleviate the ills of life. Pharmacists having years of experience compound your needs. We solicit your continued confidence.

L. W. RANDOLPH, Prescription Druggist,
143 WEST FRONT STREET. TELEPHONE CALL 109.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The bicycle and sportsmen goods business at 147-149 North avenue, conducted by the Plainfield Cycle and Sporting Goods Co., has been purchased by the Bard Cycle Co., who will continue the business at the same address,

147-149 NORTH AVE.
Telepone 214 B.

A. M. Runyon & Son,
UNDERTAKERS,
No. 402 Park Ave. Tel. 40.
Office open night and day.
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Cases of woman and children a specialty.
132 CENTRAL AVE.
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DIED.

ROBERTS—In New York City, on Wednesday, October 6, 1897. Ida Manning, wife of Joseph Roberts.
Funeral service at the residence of her aunt, Mrs. Wm. H. Manning, 513 West Fourth street, on Sunday, October 10, 1897, at 4 p. m.

VESTERGAARD—At Elizabeth, N. J., on Thursday, October 7, 1897, Neils M. Vestergaard, aged 22 years, 5 months, and 11 days.
Funeral services at the residence of his brother, Michael Vestergaard, 219 Stebbins place, on Sunday, October 11, at 2 p. m.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

FIRST-CLASS help and first class places at the Swedish intelligence office, 23 Somerset place. s 23 tf

FOR SALE—Grandfather's clock, perfect time-keeper, in perfect order; mahogany case. Moraller's, 207 Park avenue. 10 4 6

YOUNG man wants situation of any kind; has had four years' experience as grocery clerk. Address A. M. Lisk, Mattawan, N. J. 10 6 4

YOUNG lady wishes situation as copyist, insurance or law office. Address Y, care Press. 10 7 6

WANTED—A boy about 14 to 16 years of age to work on a small place, to care for a horse, cow, etc. Inquire C. J. Ackerman, Clinton avenue, near Samptown. 10 8 2

TO LET—6 room cosy cottage on Linden avenue near Washington avenue. Inquire D. T. Kenney, 151 Grove street. 10 8 2

WANTED—A white girl for general housework; must have references. Call at 126 East Ninth street.

TO LET—New 6 room house, McDowell and Fourth streets; $12 per month. Inquire 722 West Seventh St,

LOST—$10 bill by poor grocery clerk. Finder will be rewarded by leaving at Press office.

LOST—In Plainfield, Oct. 8, gold buckle and charm for watch fob. Liberal reward given if returned to 1060 Central avenue. 10 9 4

LOST—Yesterday, a gold fraternity pin, star shaped, containing figures 13 on enamel. Reward at Press office.

ACTIVE person to appoint agents in nearby counties; $50 a month and expenses. Address SHEPP COMPANY, 1020 Chestnut street, Phila., Pa.

AGENTS get fifty cents on each dollar; no experience necessary; write for agent's outfit. Address The Catholic News, 5 Barclay St., New York. 10 9 4 s

A good horse for sale, no offer refused; no use for same. Inquire 207 Spooner avenue.

LARGE well furnished house wanted, first class location; might board owner. "Miss H." care Press.

LOST—A gold link cuff button. $1 reward for return to Mr. Heywood, Y. M. C. A. building.

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. 334 East Fifth streeet. 10 9 2

WOMAN wants position by the day or week at general housework Call Mrs. Rueaner Lavester, 335 Cottage place. 10 9 2

WANTED—A girl for light or general housework. Call at 402 East Fifth street, corner Franklin place. Reference.

JAROS sweaters at the womans' exchangs, Park avenue.

Plainfield's Busiest Store.

We sell goods cheaper than all other stores.

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Mark the well-beaten path that leads to this store, note the people as they come and go, ask the reason why they make this store the base of their supplies. They will tell you they have full confidence in our methods, 'tis the reason we are always busy.

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Infants' Caps.
Pretty silk caps....25c
Fine embroidered caps....37c
Childrens' tams....25c
Boy's caps....25c

Dress Goods.
54 in Ladies' cloth....49c
32 " Fancy plaids....12c
50 " Granite cloth....47c
50 " Boucle cloth....69c
38 " Fancy suiting....25c
Send for samples.

Sale Corset Waists.
Childrens nazareth waists 25c kind, 13c

Men's Underwear.
Heavy wool shirts....29c
" Natural wool shirts....38c
Extra fine wool shirts $1 quality...69c

Men's Furnishings.
Good strong suspenders....13c pr
Fine colored half hose....10c "
Extra fine black " ....13c "
All linen collars....10c
50c neckwear....25c
Fine C. S. handkerchiefs....10c
" Cambric " 5c

Sale of Canton Flannel.
Fine unbleached canton....5c
Extra heavey " 8c
Fine domet flannel....5c
Colored outing " 6c

Sale of Lace Curtains.
Lot of odds and ends.
Were $1.25 and $2 pr, now....49c ea
50 in Lace curtains....98c pr
Fine " " ....$1.25 pr
Curtain nets....12c yd

Sale of Ladies' Winter Underwear.
Fine ribbed vests and pants....25c
Natural wool " " " 50c
Heavy fleeced " " " 48c

Sale of Hosiery.
Ladies' seamless hose....10c
" extra fine " 13c
25c quality " 18c

Sale of Corsets.
Satteen corsets, heavily boned..50c pr
White, black and drab.

Sale of Blankets.
10-4 Cotton Blankets 49c pair, white or grey.
10 4 Grey Wool Blankets....$1.15
10-4 All Wool Blankets....2.98
Fine Crib Blankets....1.37

Silk Sale.
36 in Lining Silks....39c
Piety fancy Waist Silks....69c
Silk Chiffon, all shades....69c yd

Ribbon Sale.
2,000 yards of fine fancy Silk Ribbon worth 50 and 60c, go for....19c yd

Ladies' and Misses' Overgaiters.
All wool....69 and 79c pr
Ladies' Bicycle Leggings....98c
Ladies' Golf Hose....35c pr

Sale of Turkish Towels.
Unbleached Towels....7c ea
Heavy Unbleached Towels....10c ea
Fine Bleached Towels....13c ea
Extra Large " ....25c ea

Sale of Linens.
All Linen Crash....6c
All Linen Glass Toweling....8c
6 in Cream Damask....25c
Turkey red Linen....25c
Extra Heavy Damask Towels, tied fringe....25c
All Linen Dinner Napkins...$1.15 doz

Sale of Corset Covers.
Fine Corset Covers....9c ea
Trimmed " " ....19c "
Cambric " " ....
Lace trimmed....25c "
Ladies' fleeced lined Corset Covers ....25c ea

Sale of Childrens' Underwear.
White ribbed vest and pants
16 18 20 22 24 26 28
5 8 10 13 16 18 21cents
Childrens' combination suits....25c

Sale of Wrappers.
Cambric wrappers....69c
Outing flannel wrappers....98c
Black brilliantine skirts....98c

Kid Gloves.
Fine Pique kid gloves, two clasp and four button....50c pair

FALL OPENING!

Ladies, Misses, Children's and Infant's Wraps, Capes, Jackets, etc. Over 125 different styles. All of them exclusive, and of many styles we have but one garment. You are invited to call and inspect them. Miss Laura Powers in charge.

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REGIMENT OF CANDIDATES.

More Than 1,000 Running for Office in Greater New York.

New York, Oct. 9.—There are more than 1,000 persons running for elective offices in the Greater New York territory to-day and the returns are not all in yet. In the 1,552 election districts in the territory there are probably 25,000 men at the present moment who are devoting their time exclusively to politics. This is an underestimate, politicians say, rather than an overestimate.

It is not possible at the present time to give the exact figures even in the matter of candidates. If each party that is in the field had a candidate for each office to be filled, there would be almost sixteen hundred candidates running in the greater city; but as some parties indorse the candidates of other parties, the total number of actual candidates cannot be compiled at present. Besides, there are four days more for the nomination of independent candidates, so the last of candidates may still be largely increased.

So far, there are seven candidates in the field for first Mayor of the Greater New York. The Republican party, Tammany Hall, the Democratic party, the Citizens' Union, the Prohibitionists, the Socialist Labor Party and the No-Tea-No-Tiger party, has each its candidate. There would be eight candidates, but the Populists have indorsed Henry George.

NAVAL PROGRESS ABROAD.

All the Nations Increasing Their Power on the Sea.

Washington, Oct. 9.—A full account of what other nations are doing towards naval development is set forth in a special publication issued to-day by the Office of Naval Intelligence, in which it is shown that marvelous strides are being made, even by the smaller governments, in strengthening their forces on the sea. There is not a third-rate power, according to this publication, which is not making some effort to build a navy. Much stress is laid on the advances made by Japan, and attention is drawn to her liberal naval policy, lately decided upon. Italy is the only one of the more powerful countries supporting large naval establishments shown to be making little progress, and this is accredited to the depleted conditon of her finances.

Great Britain's last programme shows her far in the lead of all other governments, both in the extent of her present programme and in the number of vessels of all types building. France being second, Germany third and possibly Japan next.

New World's Double Team Record.

Glens Falls, Oct. 9.—More than three thousaind persons saw the lowering of the world's double-team record by John R. Gentry and Robert J. from 2.09, made by them at Belmont Park, to 2.08 yesterday. The track was not so fast as earlier in the week, owing to rain. It was fully two seconds slow, with a cold, fast wind blowing across the stretches. The first attempt was a failure, only 2.11 being credited to them. Driver Bowne seemed to be afraid to let them out around the turns. In the next two attempts Robert J. left his feet at the first turn each time, but the fourth time they paced from the start and showed one of the finest speed exhibitions ever witnessed. The first quarter was made in .32, the half in 1.04½, and the three-quarters in 1.87¼. Then Bowne turned on the electricity, and the pair responded nobly, the last quarter being covered in .30¾, a 2.03 clip. When the time for the mile, 2.08, was announced, the crowd went wild.

Postmasters Appointed.

Washington, Oct. 9.—The following fourth-class postmasters were announced yesterday:

New Jersey—Butler, Morris, John W. Stevens.

New York — Newkirk, Genessee, Frank A. Williams, Ohio, Herkimer, James W. Abeel; Oneida Castle, Oneida, Seiden D. Bridge; Orwell, Oswego, S. J. Olmstead; Protection, Erie, Fred Seigel; Summer Hill, Cayuga, Albert Moshier; Westernville, Oneida, John S. Howe; Wolcottsburg, Erie, John Meisner.

Pennsylvania—Abingdon, Montgomery, Charles A. Ambler; Dingman's Ferry, Pike, William Dusenberry; Freemansburg, Northampton, Catherine Van Billiard; Fribley, Lycoming, Charles W. Simmons; Northampton, Northampton, F. J. Roethline; Wanutport, Northampton, James P. Andreas; Willow Grove, Montgomery, Peter W. Triebels.

The Detroit to Watch Filibusters.

Washington, Oct. 9.—Secretary Long has directed that the cruiser Detroit be assigned to patrol duty on the Florida coast. Her assignment will increase the number of vessels engaged in watching filibusters, as she will take the place of the cruiser Marblehead, leaving three ships on that service, the same as last Winter. The dynamite cruiser Vesusvius will soon relieve another vessel of the patrol fleet, the gunboat Nashville.

Young Women Militia.

Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 9.—A movement is on foot here to obtain admission into the National Guard of the State for a company of well-drilled and disciplined young women. It was suggested by their appearance in public last night for the benefit of a charitable institution. They acquitted themselves so well that it was determined to make an effort to obtain the sanction of the State to their existence as a corporate military body.

Kilauea Boiling Up.

Honolulu, Oct. 1.—The smoking lava in the bed at the bottom of the lake in the crater of Kilauea has risen over a hundred feet in eight days, and is rising twelve feet a day, so that experts declare the volcano will soon equal, if not surpass, its previous great outbursts. When Congressmen Berry and Loudenslager were at the volcano a fortnight ago they were surprised to see a fountain of molten lava 200 feet in height play for an hour or more.

Treasury Overruled on Tariff.

New York, Oct. 9.—The United States Board of General Appraisers has overruled the Treasury Department, and decided that the Dingley Tariff bill did not cover in its operations the whole of the day upon which it was signed by President McKinley.

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ESTATE OF JOANNA K. MAXSON, deceased. Pursuant to the order of George T. Parrot, Surrogate of the County of Union, made on the application of the undersigned, Executors of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscriber at 202 West Eighth street, Plainfield, New Jersey, under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from the twenty-fifth day of September, 1897, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscriber.
10 9 10 EUGENE H. HATCH, Executer.

NOTICE!
The North Plainfield Republican Primary will be held in the school building, Somerset street, on Monday, the 11th inst., at 8 p m., for the purpose of electing 5 delegates to attend the County Convention to be held at Somerville Wednesday, the 13th of October, 1897.
B A. Hegeman, Jr.,
H. N Spencer,
Executive Committee.

Advertised Letters.
Plainfield, N. J., Oct. 4, '97.

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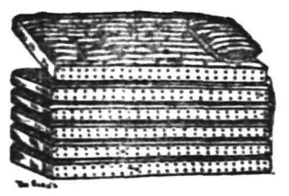
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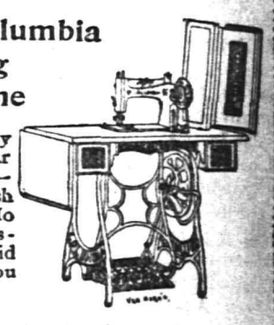
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Leave New York, foot Liberty street, at 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00 a. m; 12 00 m., (12 45 and 1 00 Saturdays only) 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, (5 15 except Saturdays) 5 30, 5 45, (6 00 except Saturdays) 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45 p. m.; 12 15, 1 00 night. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00, 9 00, 9 15 a. m.; 12 m.; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00 p. m.; 12 15 night; 1 00 a. m.

Leave New York from Whitehall street at 7 00, 7 55, 8 25, 8 55, 9 55, 11 55 a. m., (12 45 Saturdays only) 1 00, 1 25, 2 25, 3 25, 3 55, 4 25, 4 55, 5 25 (5 55 except Saturdays) 6 25, 6 55, 7 50, 8 25, 9 10, 9 55, 11 30 p. m., 12 10 night. Sundays—At 7 00, 8 55 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 2 30, 3 55, 5 25, 6 55, 7 25, 8 25, 9 50 p. m., 12 10 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 50, 8 00, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 01, 52, 10 08, 11 16 a. m.; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 18, 7 55, 8 38, 9 03, 10 05 a. m.; 12 10, 1 15, 1 35, 2 35, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 25, 5 42, 6 19, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 05 p. m. Sunday, 7 15, 9 05, 9 30, 10 35 a. m.; 1 10, 1 35, 2 40, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 20, 10 20 p. m.

Passengers for Newark please change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a.m 1 01, (1 40, Saturdays only) 2 11, 2 32, 3 35, 4 36 5 03, 5 18, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 16, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 9 26, 11 29, p. m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 06, 9 05, a. m; 2 03, 3 39, 6 35, 8 30, 10 15, 11 14 p. m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35 a. m, 8 13, 9 02, 9 48, 11 45, a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05 3 25, 4 35, 5 28, 6 08, 6 40, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05 p. m Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a. m; 12 05, 1 20, 5 15, 6 35, 7 53, 8 05, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a. m., 1 01, 2 11, 4 55, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m, Sunday at 5 45, 8 06 a. m; 2 03 6 35 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a. m; 12 32, 4 04, 7 00, p. m, Sunday at 7 15, 10 52 a. m; 6 30 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 9 54 a. m; 5 03, 5 15 p. m

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R R. Easton Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, & c with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk,

1 01 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for station on D., L. & W. R R.

2 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

4 55 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Scranton, Wilkesbarre, Tamaqua, Shamokin, (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

5 03 and 5 15 p. m., way or Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

9 06 a. m. Sundays for Easton.

2 03 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 03 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, etc., and at Junction for D., L. & W. R. R.

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Leave Plainfield at 3 37, 8 13, 10 27 a. m.; 1 15, 3 51, 5 32, 5 54 p. m. Sundays, (except Ocean Grove,) 8 52 a. m.; 3 20 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 37, 8 13, 9 28, 10 27 a. m.; 1 15, 3 51, 5 32, 5 54, 7 03 p. m. Sundays, 8 52 a. m.; 3 20 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10 27 a. m.; 1 15, 3 51, 5 32 p. m.

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Rumors in Havana that She Was Allowed to Escape by Gen. Weyler's Orders—He Wanted to Protect Berez.

Havana, Oct. 9.—Senorita Evangelina Cossio Cisneros, the beautiful young Cuban patriot who escaped from the Casa de Recodigas, is now on her way to the United States.

The escape of Senorita Cisneros was discovered yesterday morning when the Spanish prison guards called the roster of Recogidas.

She was missing, and a hasty examination of her cell was made. It was found that one of the bars that confined her had been filed through and bent outward, making an aperture just large enough to admit the passage of her body.

From the manner in which the steel bar was bent outward the prison authorities concluded that she alone could not have forced her way, but that aid was given to her by outsiders.

Casa in an Uproar.

The Casa de Recogidas was in an uproar in an instant. The corridors rang with hurrying feet and in short order several of the staff of guards were placed under arrest, suspected of connivance or carelessness.

The surrounding country was searched and every effort made to recapture the young patriot, but the searchers returned empty-handed to the wrathful censure of the governor of the prison.

SENORITA CISNEROS,

Senorita Cisnero's escape is believed in Havana to be the work of a band of young Cubans who were leagued for that purpose. According to the story, they managed to get two women arrested and placed in cells near Senorita Cisneros. These were furnished with tools and false keys and they entered her cell. At a signal four of the band broke the cell window irons and after an hour's work the Senorita was released.

Was It Weyler's Plan?

A rumor is in circulation in Havana that this was done by Weyler's planning; that he wished to protect his ally, Berez, and that, as he was to be recalled, he was afraid that his successor would deal harshly with Berez and release the girl. This, he felt, would be a reflection upon his actions in the case, hence he concluded that the safest way was to let the girl escape and end the case. A good many Cubans think that this is the true solution of the case.

No general who has led the Cuban forces to victory over the Spaniards has attained the world-wide prominence of Senorita Cisneros.

She destroyed and trampled upon a portrait of Gen. Weyler; she conspired against the Spanish crown; she attempted the life of Gov. Berez, of the Isle of Pines—at least, this is what the Spanish charged her with doing—and she was flung into Casa de Recogidas with the outcast women of the town.

Took Father's Place.

The father of Senorita Cisneros is Senor Cossio, who was a Cuban officer during the ten years' war. He was arrested and sent to the Isle of Pines for his patriotism when the present struggle menaced Spanish rule in Cuba. As his band of followers was thus left without a leader, beautiful Senorita Cisneros offered to place herself at their head and lead them to the main body of Gomez's army.

But a member of the band betrayed her into Spanish hands, and on July 27, 1896, she was sent to the Isle of Pines to share her father's captivity.

As Senorita Cisneros is young, beautiful and vivacious, she attracted the attention of Gov. Berez. He became infatuated with her and made her the unwilling recipient of his attention.

One day Gen. Cossio and several other Cubans resented an insult to Evangelina.

This is what the Spaniards construed as an attempt upon the life of Gov. Berez.

Senorita Cisneros fled to the home of a supposed friend and was delivered again into the clutches of the prison authorities.

American Sympathies Aroused.

American sympathy was at once aroused for the beautiful young patriot. Consul-General Lee left nothing undone in his effort to secure her release. The services and sympathy of even the Queen Regent of Spain and the Pope were enlisted.

Petitions were signed and forwarded to the Court of Spain, and it was only after many obstacles had been overcome that anything was done to alleviate the unhappy conditions of the beautiful young prisoner.

McKinley Will Vote in Ohio.

Washington, Oct. 9.—It was learned at the White House that President McKinley would probably go to Ohio to vote. The date of his leaving the city has not yet been decided upon.

SPORTS

Sun Rises 5: 5 a. m.
Sun Sets 5:30 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be lighted at 6:30 p. m.

WHIST.

The Orange Club was scheduled to play for the Park whist trophy at Elizabeth last Wednesday, but one of their players was unable to go and the Orange team had to forfeit their turn at the cup. Next Wednesday the Park Club four, of this city, will meet the Elizabeth Chess and Whist Club in Elizabeth.

GOLF.

This afternoon a seven men team, from the Hillside Golf Club, will meet the Elizabeth Golf Club at Elizabeth. Next Saturday the Plainfielders will play the Morristown Field Club in this city, and on October 30th the Elizabeth Club will come to Plainfield for a return game.

CYCLING COMMENT.

It is expected that over 300 riders will participate in the bicycle carnival and parade to be held in Somerville soon. About $40 in prizes will be given and a lunch served after the parade.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The regular inspection of the city police will take place in the Council Chamber at 5 o'clock this afternoon.

—Walter Manning, of L. L. Manning & Son, is erecting a monument in Fairview cemetery, Westfield, today.

—J. H. Manning, secretary of the Y. M. C. A., will lead the East Third Street mission service tomorrow evening.

—Jerusalem Lodge, No. 26, F. and A. M., held a special communication last night and conferred the F. C. degree on four candidates.

—G. Q. Packer has had a telephone placed in his furniture store by Manager Runyon, and you can talk with him by calling up 125-A.

—The next meeting of the Union County Medical Association will be held in the Y. M. C. A. Hall next Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

—The iron girder for the new Watchung avenue bridge arrived yesterday and is now being placed in position. Sheriff J. F. Kirk is the contractor.

—Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum, will meet next Monday evening and entertain the grand officers, among whom will be Grand Regent W. Holt Apgar, of Trenton.

—A meeting of the Borough Council will be held next Monday evening when the report of the Watchung Avenue Commissioners will be considered at an executive session.

—A novel sight is to be witnessed at Denton's nursery on Prospect Hill. It is a pear tree on one side of which is a handsome display of blossoms and on the other side are to be seen pears.

—It is likely that an operation will be performed soon on Edward Marcellus, Jr., who was kicked in the face a few days ago. The eye will have to be removed and a glass one put in its place.

—The Plainfield High School cadets held a meeting yesterday and held the first drill of the season. Forty-one cadets were mustered in line including the new recruits from the North Plainfield High School.

—In New York on Wednesday last occurred the death of Mrs. Ida Manning, wife of Joseph Roberts. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon from the residence of her aunt, Mrs. William H. Manning, 513 West Fourth street, at 4 o'clock.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

[Notices under this head are published by The Daily Press free of charge, when supplied fresh each week by authority. Copy must be in hand by 10 a. m. Saturday to insure insertion, and should be supplied Friday when possible.]

St. Joseph's (R. C.) Church—Rev. William. H. Miller, pastor. Masses at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school, 2:30; evening devotions, 8.

St. Mary's (R. C.) Church—Rev. P. E. Smyth, pastor. Masses at 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:30 a. m.; evening devotions at 8. Sunday-school, 2:30 p. m.

Mission Church of the Heavenly Rest, Clinton avenue, William Winans Moore and Francis Gregory Moore, lay readers—Morning service at 11 o'clock. Sunday-school at 9:45 a. m. Evening prayer at 4 o'clock.

St. Stephen's Church, Rev. S. P. Simpson, rector—*Holy Communion*, 7:30 a. m.; morning prayer, litany and sermon, 11; Sunday-school, 9:45 a. m.; evening prayer and sermon, 7:45. Trolley cars run past the church every twelve minutes.

Trinity Reformed Church—Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph. D., pastor. Services will be held in Y. M. C. A. Hall. Divine worship and preaching by the pastor at 10:30 a. m and 7:30 p. m. Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m. Evening subject, "Holy in all Manner of Conversation."

Congregational Church, Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor.—Morning service at 10:30 Sunday-school at 2:45 p. m. Christian Endeavor service at 7:30 p. m. A recognition service for the officers and teachers of the Sunday-school will precede the sermon at the morning service.

Grace Church, Rev. E. M. Rodman, rector, Rev. F. Appleton, curate—Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m.; morning prayer and sermon at 10:30; Sunday-school at 3 p. m.; evening prayer and sermon at 7:30. Subject for the evening, "The Lambeth Conference."

Reform Hall—4:15 meeting will be led by T. R. Crosley.

First Presbyterian Church—Rev. Chas. E. Herring, pastor. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Morning subject, "Christ the Teacher;" evening, "Mr. Mills and Orthodoxy."

East End A. M. E. Zion Church, Fillmore avenue, Rev. C. Jackson, pastor.—Preaching at 3 p. m. and 8:30 p. m. Sunday-school at 11 a. m. Evening subject, "The Cross Bearer."

All Souls' Church, Park avenue, (Unitarian,) Rev. A. C. Nickerson, pastor—Preaching service at 10:45 a. m. by the pastor. Subject, "The Informing Spirit." Sunday-school at 12 m. The pastor will begin a series of talks on the religious teaching of Dr. James Martineau, the distinguished English philosopher and theologian.

First Baptist church, Rev. D. J. Yerkes, D. D., pastor—Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m. The pastor will occupy the pulpit both morning and evening.

Monroe Avenue M. E. Church, Rev. William C. O'Donnell, pastor—Services at 11 a. m. and at 8 p. m. Sunday-school at 3 p. m. Epworth League, 7:15 p. m. Morning subject, "The Great Command;" Talk to Juniors, "King Tobacco;" evening, "Morality and Religion in New Jersey."

Grace M. E. Church, Rev. Henry J. Johnston, pastor—Preaching services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m. Epworth League at 7 p. m. Morning subject, "Where Judgment Began;" evening, "The Soul's Requirements."

Y. M. C. A., 4:15 p. m.—The meeting will be conducted by Robert Love. E. R. Taylor and others will give brief interesting testimonies. The male choir will sing. All men are invited.

W. C. T. U. Rooms, 9:15 a. m.—This service will be a consecration and praise meeting.

First M. E. Church, Rev. Winfield C. Snodgrass, pastor—Service at 10:30 a. m. Autumnal Day, with sermon to old people. Sunday-school rally and roll-call at 2:30 p. m. Epworth League service at 6:45 p. m. Sunday-school vesper service at 7:30 p. m.

First Church of Christ—Francis M. Applegate, of New York, will occupy the pulpit both morning and evening. Morning theme, "Seeking God's Approval;" evening, "The Points of Christian Living."

Charles S. Smiuck and family, of Somerset street, left this morning for Stroudsburg, Pa., where they will remain for a time.

—The building at the corner of Park avenue and Second street, owned by G. F. Randolph, of West End Park, is about to be painted.

Off for the Klondike.

New York, Oct. 9.—The Pacific Mining and Trading Company is the name under which a party of eighteen gold-hunters will set sail to-day for the gold fields of Alaska by the all-water route. The gold-hunters expect to arrive at Cook Inlet early in March. It is not their intention to proceed directly to Alaska. The first stop will be made at Rio de Janeiro for supplies. At San Francisco the ship's company will be augmented by several men who are expected to make the journey overland and by six experienced gold miners. These old miners will take charge of the prospecting expeditions.

Shot Himself Before His Wife.

New York, Oct. 9.—Charles Ward, a woman's tailor, committed suicide yesterday in the presence of his wife by shooting himself through the mouth in his office at 347 West Fifty-ninth street. Mrs. Ward was standing quite close to her husband when he fired the fatal shot, and she caught him in her arms as he fell backward to the floor. An ambulance was summoned from Roosevelt Hospital, but the man was dead before its arrival. Mrs. Ward sat on the floor beside the dead body of her husband and kissed him again and again. The police had to use force to tear her away from the dead body.

DUN'S REVIEW.

The Business of the Week Shows a Steady Increase.

New York, Oct. 9.—The weekly Saturday trade review of R. G. Dun & Co., gives the following:

While failures were the smallest ever known in any quarter since 1892, and business payments through banks the largest by $268,000,000 ever known in September, the speculators who profess anxiety about Cuba, or fever at the South, or a municipal election, still have some influence. Helping them just now is the fact that after extraordinary purchases for replenishment of stocks *from any section* or town, there must necessarily be for a time less buying from that quarter. Yet business is still increasing, the productive force steadily enlarges, the distributions of wages affords an increasing fund for purchase, and the foundations are laid for a larger business hereafter. The week's exchanges are 8.8 per cent. larger than in 1892.

Crop reporters, who have widely differed, now agree in putting the yield of wheat about 580 to 590 million bushels, which is nearly 200 million bushels more than will be required for home use, keeping stocks as they were July 1, the lowest for seven years. As foreign reports indicate a larger demand, and exports since July 1 have been nearly as heavy as in the best past year, with 2,985,784 bushels from Atlantic ports, flour included, for the last week, against 2,240,571 last year, the recovery of 1½ cents in price for the week is not without reason. Western receipts continue to exceed last year's, 8,001,220 bushels, against 7,243,969 for the week. With less favorable reports of yield, corn exports fall short slightly, with small difference in price. Cotton is unchanged in price, with larger consuming demand, though big crop estimates do not appear to be disputed.

Heavy crops mean greater business for railroads, and earnings have been increasing each week in September compared with last year, so that the aggregate of returns for the month, 12 8 per cent. larger than in 1896, are 1.8 per cent. larger than in 1892. Trunk lines show a gain of 4.3 per cent. and Western roads a small loss, compared with that year.

A large increase in the production of pig iron, with heavy realling sales of lots held on speculation, have caused a decline of 15 cents to $10.60 for Bessemer at Pittburg, though Grey Forge there has advanced 25 cents, and pig is stronger at Chicago and Eastern markets. But finished products grow stronger, with the demand outrunning the capacity of works in operation in many branches, so that delays in delivery are in sheets and tin plate bars embarrassing, and in some other branches orders cannot be filled within one or two months.

Wool has now reached an average of 20.37 cents per pound for 100 quotations of domestic by Coates Bros., of Philadelphia, showing a rise of 8 cents since a year ago, with a much heavier rise on some qualities, but following an average decline of 11 cents from March, 1893.

The exports of merchandise from New York show an increase so large that, notwithstanding heavier imports than have been expected, an enormous merchandise balance is assured, which must continue for months to come.

The complete returns of failure for September and the quarter, both by State and by branches of business given to-day, form the most encouraging report which it has been possible to make for several years. Failures for the week were 212 in the United States, against 296 last year, and 29 in Canada, against 46 last year.

An Anecdote of Speaker Reed.

The speech which goes down into history as Reed's first effort as a child was short, but the one which opened his way to fame as a man was shorter still, says a writer in The Illustrated American. It was delivered not long after he began his career in Congress. He had not up to that time taken much part in debate, but one day, while he was making a somewhat labored argument an older member tried to break him up by putting a question to him suddenly and demanding an immediate answer. Reed gave the answer readily. Then he paused, turned toward the speaker's desk, and drawled out: "And now, having embalmed that fly in the liquid amber of my remarks, I will go on again." The House roared. The galleries took it up. The newspaper correspondents sent it flying all over the country, and to his own surprise more than any one's else, Reed found himself a man of note from that hour.—New York Times.

WE desire to notify our former patrons that we have disposed of our business to the BARD CYCLE COMPANY. Our books will be with them during this month and we wish to have all accounts closed at an early date.

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Notice of Meetings
OF THE
Boards of Registry and Election
OF THE
City of Plainfield

In accordance with an Act entitled "An Act to Regulate Elections" approved April 18, 1876, with amendments and supplements, including the "Ballot Reform Law," and other general election acts in force July 4th, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the several Boards of Registry and Election of the City of Plainfield will meet at the various polling places in the said City on

Tuesday, the 12th Day of October,

1897, at 10 o'clock in the morning and continue in session, (recess from 1 to 2 o'clock,) until 9 o'clock in the evening, for the purpose of making such registration of voters and that the said Boards of Registry and Election shall also meet on

Tuesday, the 26th Day of October,

1897, at the place of the former meeting, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon and remain in session until 9 o'clock in the evening, for the purpose of revising and correcting the original registers. The places of meeting to be as follows:

First Ward, first district, at 120 E. Front St.
First Ward, second district, at 521 E. Second St.
Second Ward, first district, at 347 Watchung av.
Second Ward, second district, at 699 South av.
Third Ward, - - - at 114 W. Sixth St.
Fourth Ward, first district, at 114 W. Second St.
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Dated, City Clerk's office, Oct. 8, 1897.
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Serious Drouth in Indiana.

Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 9.—Reports from throughout the State, made in response to inquiries of the State Agricultural Board, show that the farmers are suffering greatly for lack of rain. There has not been a rain of any consequence in the southwestern section of Indiana for nearly three months. Corn is as dry as powder, while there is no grass for stock. Many farmers are compelled to haul water for miles, both for household use and for their stock.

Quarantine Against New York.

Vera Cruz, Mexico, Oct. 9.—The health officers say that there are no cases of yellow fever here at present. A rigid quarantine has been inaugurated here against New York and New Orleans, on account of the yellow fever epidemic in the Southern city. No explanation is given for including New York in the quarantine.

Hope and Lottie Collins Coming.

London, Oct. 9.—Among the passengers who will sail from Southampton for New York to-morrow on the American Line steamer St. Paul are Mrs. Elizabeth Vanderbilt, Lottie Collins and Anthony Hope.

Post-Office Robbed.

Rochester, Oct. 9.—The post-office in the village of Brighton, near this city, was entered early yesterday morning by burglars, who blew open the safe and stole $900 in stamps and $85.89 in cash. The robbers escaped.

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Heinz's Baked Beans	7c can	Best Salteenes Wafers	11c lb
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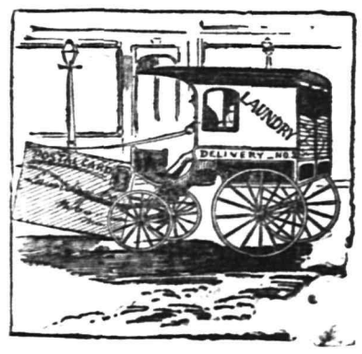

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	Were	Now
Men's Overcoats and Ulsters	$5 50	$3 98
" " " "	8.00	5 00
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Boys' Overcoats and Ulsters	4 50	2.75
" " " "	6.00	3.90
" " " "	4 50	3 00
Children's Knee Pants	150	1.00
" " "	1.00	.60
" " "	.75	.40
" " "	.50	.30
" " "	.35	.20
Children's Overcoats	4 50	2.18
" "	3.25	1.98

	Were	Now
Children's Overcoats	6.00	3.98
Children's Suits	4.00	2.98
" "	2.98	.98
" "	4.75	3 37
" "	4 87	3.37
" "	2 75	1.98
" "	2.75	.98
" "	8.00	4 25
" "	6.00	3 87
Men's Pants	1 75	.98
" "	2.75	1 12
" "	1 50	1.00
" "	1 37	.75
" "	2 50	1.48

	Were	Now
Men's Suits	9 50	5.48
" "	8.00	3.80
" "	9.00	6.98
" "	8.00	5.00
" "	5.50	2.98
Men's Working Shirts	.50	.29
" Shirts and Drawers	.50	.39
" Neckwear	.50	.39
" Sweaters	.50	.18
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END OF HYPNOTIC SLEEP

THE SUBJECT DEAD TO THE WORLD FOR TWENTY-FOUR HOURS.

The Sleeping Young Man Awakened by Sevengala, Whose Strange Actions Were Awe Inspiring—Subject All Right.

The sight of a man in a hypnotic sleep for twenty-four hours proved a great drawing card for the spiritualistic and hypnotic entertainment at Washington Hall by Dr. Ford and Prof. Sevengala, Saturday evening. In Saturday's Press it was told how Paul Smith, a young man from Punxsutawney, Pa., was put to sleep by the hypnotist, and was exhibited in the window of Werner's clothing establishment all day. Crowds of people stopped to look at the sleeping man and all sorts of strange stories were rife. It was stated that Saturday evening, when the twenty-four hours were up, the man would be awakened.

The programme at the entertainment was entirely different from the night before. Mrs. Ford showed her wonderful skill at mind-reading, which was quite remarkable, and Dr. Ford exhibited some wonderful magnetic tricks of the same order that spiritualistic mediums perform. He had a committee from the audience who were as much mystified by his tricks as the rest of the audience.

Then came Prof. Sevengala's part of the entertainment. He had several subjects from the audience and used them for simple tests to which they succumbed after several trials. One of his subjects was hypnotized and given a cane and then Prof. Sevengala told him that the cane was red hot but that he could not let go. The young man rushed about the stage in apparent terrible agony and rolled and fell on the stage until the hypnotist relieved him.

The same young man was hypnotized and put in a state of rigid catalepsy. He was laid across two sawhorses and a large stone, weighing fully a hundred pounds, was placed on his stomach. Then Charles Butts, who is empoyed at the Pond Tool Works, took a heavy sledgehammer and swung it with all his might, striking the stone squarely. The body of the young man bounded into the air for the height of several inches but still remained rigid and the subject showed no sign of having felt the blow. Women in the audience hid their faces and screamed when the blow was struck. The subject afterwards said that he knew nothing that happened except when he returned to consciousness, he was slightly sore where the stone had laid.

The transmission of thought by telepathy, as shown by Prof. Sevengala and Prof. Strananella, was truly wonderful, and the latter who was the subject and in a somnambulistic state, performed many strange things at the request of people in the audience, their requests being whispered to the hypnotist.

The event of the evening, however, was the awakening of the sleeping subject. The man was carried on the stage and laid there and the Professor began his movements to restore consciousness to the young man in the hypnotic sleep. He stationed several of his subjects from the audience at the head of the sleeper and requested them to keep the latter's hands away from his own head. He began his motions slowly and at a distance then gradually approaching. His motions became faster and more violent until he twisted and turned. The sleeping man began to writhe as though in agony. As the hypnotist approached very close, the sleeper seemed to try to roll away and hide his face.

"Wake! Wake! Wake!' Screamed the hypnotist as he placed his face right in front of his subject's. The young man writhed and tried to cover his face, but his arms were held. Then he opened his eyes and in a moment rose to his feet, apparently no worse for the sleep.

He was weighed at once and tipped the scales at 132 pounds. He weighed 140 when he went to sleep. He was weighed on both occasions by Charles Butts, who tested the scales with his own weight to see that they were correct.

While Smith was asleep his pulse varied from 70 to 78. Just before he was awakened it stood at 80, and directly afterwards it was beating 128 a minute. His pulse was taken by a disinterested man from the audience. After he was awakened, he went to McVey's hotel, where he partook of some soup and bread and drank a flask of sherry wine. He told a Press reporter that he felt all right, although a trifle sleepy, and had no memory of what had happened while he had been asleep. His pulse soon returned to its normal condition and he told the reporter that he would recover the lost weight in twenty four hours and probably weigh a pound more. He is rather stout and showed no signs of nervousness. In truth, the Professor was far more exhausted than his subject as he was compelled to keep awake all the time the other slept.

BIBLE'S THREAD OF UNITY.

DOCTRINE OF ATONEMENT HOLDS IT.

Rev. C. E. Herring Dissects the New Position in Church Taken by Rev. B. Fay Mills.

The recent change of Rev. B. Fay Mills to the ranks of Unitarianism was the subject for a sermon by Rev. C. E. Herring at the First Presbytarian church last evening. "Mr. Mills and Orthodoxy" was the title of the sermon.

"It is greatly to be regreted," he said, "that B. Fay Mills has concluded it wise to accept the conclusion of modern thought that the old theories have no longer any charm for him." Mr. Herring went on to say that when they were considering Mr. Mills as evangelist in connection with the Christian Endeavor convention in this city last year, they remarked that he said "come with Jesus" instead of "come to Jesus." Mr. Herring did not deem that the right idea. Jesus himself said, "Come unto Me." You cannot go with Him until you have gone to Him. Mr. Herring then went on to say that if Mr. Mills did not accept the doctrine of atonement, he could not appreciate the meaning of sacrifice. It was a thread running through the Bible and to remove it would destroy the unity of the Book. The highest thing in the world is holiness and not happiness.

"It seems to me," said the preacher, "that he has put that aside." He suggested the thought, however, that this might be only a transition period in his life. He has been interested, he said, in Gospel for society—he wants to convert the State and corporations and forgets the doctrine of atonement.

"I believe," continued Mr. Herring, "that if Mr. Mills is searching earnestly for truth it will be apparent to him in time." He told how Dr. Roumaine had taken the same course and finally returned to the truth. He then added that he hoped he would go through the same experience and find final light. The time of excitement will go by and he will get down to sober thought.

He had heard it said that the cause of Mr. Mills' trouble was a swelled head. Mr. Herring said that he did not like that. No one knows what his reasons were for doing what he did, but if his objects were sincere he will come back to the truth. Mr. Herring then spoke of accusing people falsely regarding their motives for their acts. Then followed an interesting discourse on the necessity of being careful in criticising the acts of others lest one fall himself.

SPRIG OF EVERGREEN THEIR TRIBUTE

Foresters Conducted the Final Obsequies Over Remains of Niles M Vestergaard.

The funeral services of the late Niles M. Vestergaard, who died in the Alexean Hospital last Thursday night, took place from his brother's home 219 Stebbins place, yesterday afternoon. Rev. George Kennedy Newall, of Hope chapel, conducted the services at the house, speaking words of comfort to the relatives of the departed.

The deceased was a member of Court Plainfield, No. 1144, Independent Order of Foresters, whose members, ninety in number, assembled at the house and marched in a body to Hillside Cemetery where the deceased was interred and where the service of the order was conducted by Chief Ranger John Allen and Chaplain W. Howard Toms, after a sprig of evergreen had been deposited by each brother in the grave. The Hymn, "Nearer My God to Thee," was sung, after which the circle of concord was formed and the ceremonies ended. The members were then formed in line again and marched back to their lodge room where they were dismissed by the marshal, Lewis DeCamp.

There were many floral pieces, among them a beautiful pillow with the emblem of the order from the court members. This is the first death that has occured among the members of the court since its institution six years ago.

The pall bearers were Francis Whitley, James Patterson, M. C. Hansen, Joseph Bird, George Weber, Jr., and Jens Jepsen.

An Interesting Out-of-Town Wedding.

Among the coming autumn weddings of interest to many circles is that of Miss Marie Graves, the youngest daughter of the late Robert Graves, to Herman Harjes, son of John Harjes, of the banking house of Morgan-Harjes, of Paris. The ceremony will take place October 20th at "My Fancy," the country place of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm W. Ford, at Babylon, L. I. Mrs. Ford is a sister of Miss Graves. Another sister is Mrs. Thomas B. Penton, of Rockview avenue, North Plainfield.

—Additional locals on page 3.

WON THEIR FIRST GAME

MURRAY HILL ATHLETIC CLUB DEFEATED BY LOCAL FOOTBALL TEAM.

Visitors Were Not as Strong an Aggregation as Was Expected—Home Team Also Weak—Large Attendance.

The football season opened for the Plainfield Athletic Association, Saturday afternoon. The eleven from the Murray Hill Athletic Club came out confident of defeating the home team without trouble. It was their first game, but they thought that the Plainfield boys were easy. When the local team began to break big holes in their line, their confidence turned to disgust and they played a very ragged game. The Plainfield A. A. finally won by a score of 28 to 0.

The opening was not a very auspicious one as the home management had hoped. The visitors, who came with the reputation of being more than a match for the Plainfield team, did not come up to expectations and they fooled most of the game. The local team was weak through the absence of several of the best players. There was a large attendance, however, and the last ten minutes of the game was exciting as both teams woke up and played a hard game.

The visitors were a little late in arriving while some of the local players failed to show up. At last both teams were ready and lined up for the game. Plainfield had the kickoff and Darling sent the ball far down the field. It was then taken up for a scrimmage and the Murray Hills lost it on four downs. The Plainfield line was weaker than usual and the opposing backs broke through, but the interference was fair and the ball was pushed rapidly down the field. The end plays gained the most. At last Cuming dove through centre and crossed the goal line after a five-yard run and scored the first touchdown. Darling kicked the goal. Score: Plainfield, 6; Murray Hills, 0.

Darling caught the kickoff, but Plainfield lost the ball on four downs, and the visitors began to brace up and carry the ball down the field for good gains when the ball was lost on a fumble and Rider ran with it for fifteen yards before being downed. Darling gained ten more on another fumble, and after several tackle plays Cuming circles left end for thirty five yards and another touchdown, while Hallock showed his ability as an interferer. Darling failed to kick the goal. Score, Plainfield, 10; Murray Hills. 0

Freeman scores the next touchdown after several minutes of play by a sharp dash through right tackle for twenty-five yards. Darling failed to kick the goal. Score, Plainfield, 14; Murray Hills, 0.

Darling returned the kickoff and then after a scrimmage time was called.

In the first two minutes of play in the second half, Freeman caught the ball on a fluke and ran sixty-five yards with both teams in pursuit to be tackled just as he fell over the goal line. Darling did not kick the goal. Score, Plainfield, 18; Murray Hills, 0.

Three kicks out of bounds gave the kickoff to Plainfield. The battle was carried down the field and Darling punted over the goal line. The ball was taken to the twenty-five yard line and then Plainfield took the ball on four downs. Darling went for twenty yards and Freeman covered the remaining ten, scoring a touchdown. Darling kicked the goal. Score: Plainfield, 24; Murray Hills, 0

After eight minutes of hard play, Serrell carried the ball over the line again, making the last touchdown, Darling failing to kick the goal. Score: Plainfield, 28; Murray Hills, 0. Time was called with the ball in the middle of the field.

Brown had to retire after the first half on account of a sprained ankle, and the other players were changed about, Barker giving way to give Hinrich a chance. Phillips made a good showing at end. The need of more team practice was shown. The teams lined up as follows:

Murray Hill A. C.		Plainfield A A.
Lane	right end	Serrell, Phillips
Dodsworth	right tackle	Hallock
Mitchell	right guard	Brown, Hinrich
Auerbach	centre	Barker, Cuming
Yates	left guard	Huntington
Murphy	left tackle	McClure
Jacobs	left end	Rider
Casey	quarterback	Waring
Dickson	right halfback	Cuming, Serrell
Gibbs	left halfback	Freeman
Taylor	fullback	Darling

Score—Plainfield A. A., 28; Murray Hill A.C., 0. Touchdowns—Cuming, 2; Freeman, 2; Serrell, 1. Goals from touchdown—Darling. Time of game—Two twenty minute halves. Referee—Harry Lovell. Umpire—Nathan Titsworth. Linesmen—A. Willis West and Laurens H. VanBuren. Time-keeper—Marion Ackerman.

Opposition to Workers.

Geo. C. Needham's class, this evening, meets in Young Men's Christian Association Hall. He will continue his addresses on Nehemiah. Subject for this evening, Chapter IV. Dr. Stearns has arrived from India. Mr. Needham will speak of his work this evening.

CLOSED ONE OF HIS EYES

WHIT FRAZEE'S UNPLEASANT CONFLICT WITH A FOOTBALL COACH.

Defeated Football Players Wanted to Paint the Town Red—The Expressman Said Something and Was Pummeled.

They mistook Plainfield for Jayville and discovered that there was considerable difference. As a result the innocent one had to suffer, and he who had taken no part in the painting of the town spent thirty six hours in jail.

The Murray Hill Athletic Club played football in this city Saturday afternoon, as is stated in another column, and the Plainfield boys defeated them 28 to 0. The strangers were out for a good time, and when they found that they were beaten they went out to do the town—that is, some of them did.

The Murray Hill team was composed partially of players from the Brooklyn Latin School. With them came George W. Yates, their coach, to watch them play and profit thereby in selecting the school team.

After the games the school boys marched down town. They tried to assist the Salvation Army, wanted to be hypnotic subjects and played all sorts of pranks about the streets. Yates wanted to get them home, but the boys thought that they were having too much fun and stayed. It was soon after 8 o'clock when Yates had managed to get two of the boys on the way to the station. The small boys had been hooting and guying at the players until Yates lost patience and slapped one of the youngsters across the face.

Then they returned from the station to look for the rest who had strayed away, and as they passed Rogers' bicycle store somebody made a remark about the blow that the youngster received. Words passed and it ended in Whitney Frazee having his eye cut open by a blow from the Brooklyn man's fist. John Keeley, who happened to be there at the time, stated in court this morning that Frazee laid down his bundles and struck the first blow. Frazee and two of his companions claimed that Yates was the aggressor and struck the express messenger when his hands were filled with bundles.

Then Yates and his companions walked away and took the trolley car to Netherwood. Sergeant Kiely took a hack and started in pursuit and arrested Yates at the Netherwood station as he was about to take a train for home. He was locked up and ramained in the condemned city jail with all the creeping and crawling things, until this morning, when he was arraigned before the City Judge.

Frazee appeared with his head all tied up in bandages. He said, however, that he did not want Yates severely punished. Yates pleaded guilty, but both stories were told and then the Judge fined him $8, which was paid.

IN THE KLONDYKE REGION.

Word Received That Robert Wyckoff is Doing Well.

Saturday evening a letter was received in this city from Robert Wyckoff, who is now in the Klondyke regions. The letter states that he is doing nicely and is well provided for. He, together with a party, including two old miners, have settled in a comparatively new town and their quarters are comfortable. They have plenty to eat and there is no fear of starvation. The roads in the vicinity of their cabin are deep with mud, and as soon as the ground becomes frozen they expect to start on their journey over the pass to the gold regions. On their claim, which they paid the Government $15 for, is any quantity of lumber, and this they are cutting and selling for fuel, and they receive a good price for it. Everyone in the party is hopeful that they will become rich and strike plenty of gold. Mr. Wyckoff says that his health is fine, and that he has not thus far experienced any hardships.

A Pleasing Reader.

Miss Anna L. Harris, of Boston, gave a very pleasing and instructive entertainment here last evening. Miss Harris is an artist in elocution and created a very favorable impression. Her rendering of "The Honor of the Woods," by Murray, was especially fine.—Syracuse Post. Tomorrow evening at Y. M. C. A. Hall.

First Tea of the Season.

The first "Tea" of the season, under the auspices of the Ladies' Christian Work Society of Trinity Reformed church, will be held at the home of Mrs. J. H. Tier, Sr., of Bank place, on Thursday evening of next week, October 21st. The entire proceeds will be added to the carpet fund. Such a worthy object will no doubt mean a large attendance.

ESCAPED BY USE OF LASH.

WARNECK A PLUCKY YOUNG DRIVER.

Encountered Desperate Tramps—Horse Urged to a Run and the Desperadoes Left Behind.

Richard Warneck, of 11 Steiner place, and Charles Vardon, of East Fourth street, had an exciting experience with three highwaymen near Oak Tree on Saturday night. Warneck is a driver for Morris Ballentine, a Watchung avenue butcher. Of late he has been working on a country route, which makes it necessary for him often to be out after dark at a distance from the city. On Saturday evening Warneck took his friend Charles Vardon along with him for company. The orders were heavy and it was after dark before the wagon was upon its return trip. At about 7 o'clock they reached the neighborhood of Oak Tree and drove on into a lonely stretch of road where the trees are thick on each side and no houses are near.

As they turned a curve in the road Vardon pointed ahead to a spot where a huge bon fire was burning. Around it in the bright light were gathered the forms of the men.

"Weary Willies," remarked Warneck. They drove on and soon the noise of the approaching wagon reached the ears of the men.

They looked in its direction for a moment and one of their number said something to the rest and walked away.

A minute later he had sprung from the bushes at the roadside and was clinging to the horse's head.

"Hold up, young feller," he yelled. Warneck lashed his horse into a gallop, and the fellow was forced to let go of the bridle to save himself from being trampled upon. The others stood ahead in the road and attempted to hold the plunging animal, but they could not. Warneck lashed the men fiercely with the whip, and the frightened animal soon left all three far behind.

FROM NEAR YERKES CHAPEL.

A Missionary From Far Off India Talks Interestingly.

An interesting meeting was held at the First Baptist church last evening under the auspices of the Temple Builders, a society of young men in the church organized for missionary purposes. George H. Batchelor, president of the society, was in charge. He stated that the society was formed in 1892, and on July 10th of that year the Yerkes Memorial chapel was erected at Teto, India, and is now supported by the society at an annual expense of $100. Mr. Batchelor then introduced Prof. G. N. Thompssen, a missionary, who has been laboring in India near the location of the chapel. Mr. Thompssen is an interesting speaker, and he related many things peculiar to the country in which he had lived. He enlightened very much his audience in mission work and enlisted their sympathies. At the close of the service a collection for the work was taken.

THEIR FIRST CONCERT.

The Plainfield Mandolin, Banjo and Guitar Club to Appear October 26th.

The Plainfield Mandolin, Banjo and Guitar Club, composed of local talent, will make its first appearance of the season on the night of Tuesday, October 26th, at Monroe Avenue M. E church, under the auspices of the Young Men's Association of that church. Last year the club made two very successful appearances, first in the entertainment of the Royal Arcanum and then at the commencement of the North Plainfield High School. At the entertainment this season, the club will be assisted by Miss Marion Short, of New York, an elocutionist of exceptional talent, who was received very favorably at the Crescent Avenue church in a recent entertainment.

SCALDED BY STEAM.

A Little Girl's Investigating Mind Resulted Seriously for Her Comfort.

Grace McVey, the six-year-old daughter of John H. McVey, the North avenue hotel keeper, was badly scalded upon the left hand by steam at 11 o'clock this morning.

Steam is used in the hotel for many purposes such as cleansing linen, and a high pressure is kept in the boiler in the kitchen.

Today while the laundress was absent, the child decided to investigate the workings of the faucet, and instantly her hand was enveloped in scalding steam. The screams of the child startled the inmates of the hotel. Her hand was treated with simple remedies and it is thought no serious result will follow the injury.

—A Sunday-school entertainment will be given at the Monroe Avenue church on Thursday evening of this week.

A PREACHER SLANDERED

REV. P. S. GIBSON STARTS A SUIT AGAINST MISS LUCY SWAN.

It is Alleged That She Accused Him of a Serious Offense and Mt. Olive Congregation is in a State of Turmoil.

Rev. Philip S. Gibson, pastor of the Mt. Olive colored Baptist church, of Liberty street, has troubles of his own, which have led him to bring suit in the Supreme Court for slander against Miss Lucy Swan, a young colored woman living in this city.

Miss Swan was at one time a member of the Mt. Olive church, but was expelled some time ago on charges of immorality. Ever since her expulsion from the church Lucy has proved a hoodoo to the congregation individually and collectively. For some time it was whispered that a man prominent in the church was paying undue attention to Lucy, and the matter came to a climax about two months ago when the girl preferred a previous charge against the officer in question, and a special committee was appointed by the church to investigate the matter.

By the time the girl was summoned before the committee she had changed her story, and the member under suspicion was exhonorated. Every one interested was relieved at what seemed the end of an unpleasant affair, when a new and more serious phase of the trouble appeared.

The girl announced that the guilty person was no other than Rev. Mr. Gibson, the pastor of the church.

The charge fell like a bombshell among the congregation, and nothing else was talked of. The matter first got noised about on Saturday, and the pastor and his friends when they heard of it indignantly denied the story. They are inclined to think it was animated by some of the pastor's personal enemies

Mr. Gibson demanded an examination of the charges by the church, and at the service last evening it was announced that a committee would be appointed in conformity with the pastor's wish to sift the matter.

Today Mr. Gibson, through his counsel, Codington & Swackhamer, brought a suit for $1,000 damages in the Supreme court against Miss Swan, alleging slander.

DR. KETCHAM MARRIED.

Former Plainfield Pastor Takes Unto Himself a Wife.

Rev. Dr. Kneeland Platt Ketcham, who for many years occupied the pulpit at the First Presbyterian church in this city, was quietly married to Miss Reta Eleanor Crane, daughter of Gilbert D. Crane, at her home in Boonton, N. J., on last Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The immediate relatives of the couple were the only ones present at the marriage. Rev. William H. Woolverton, of the Boonton Presbyterian church, performed the ceremony.

Dr. Ketcham has a charge in Freeport, L. I., where he will continue to live after the marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hatch, of West Eighth street, this city, were present at the marriage. Mrs. Hatch is a daughter of Dr. Ketcham.

FALL AND WINTER OPENING

Saengerbund Members Had a Jolly Time of It Last Night.

Last evening at the Saenger and Turner Hall, on Somerset street, occurred the regular fall and winter opening. There was a large attendance of members and friends and the occasion was a joyous one in every respect. The programme consisted of songs by the singing section; an address by President Henry Haurand; recitations by A. Wolf, M. Haubner, Otto Keller, Paul Postler, L. Selick; songs by Charles Dresselt William Classen and Charles Steuerwald. The programme closed with a comical farce which was played by A. Wolf and Otto Keller, after which refreshments were served in abundance. The opening was a complete success and everyone had a good time.

Convention Echoes.

Tonight at 8 o'clock at the Y. M. C. A. Hall, upstairs, under the auspices of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of Trinity Reformed church. E. E. Anthony will be the leader, and Miss Florence Hawkins is also expected to be present and make an address. Everybody is cordially invited to be present.

Borough Republican Primary.

This evening in the basement of the North Plainfield Public School will take place the Republican primary for the purpose of selecting delegates to attend the county convention at Somerville when nominations will be made for an assemblyman and surrogate.

George Cathers, of Somerville, called on friends in Plainfield yesterday.

WASHINGTON MATTERS

The President and Cabinet Getting Ready for Congress.

OFFICIAL HOLIDAYS OVER

Maj. McKinley May Not Go to Ohio to Vote—Importance Attached to the President's First Annual Message.

Washington, Oct. 11.—The McKinley Administration has returned to town for the Winter season of work and social functions. From now until Congress meets, on the first Monday in December, the Government workshops, including the executive mansion, will be hives of industry, which will be interrupted only by the brief political diversion at election time. The President and his secretary are at their desks, to remain there indefinitely, and at the Cabinet meeting Saturday all the members were present except Secretary of the Treasury Gage, who was delivering one of his characteristic addresses at Peoria, Ill.

To a delegation who waited upon him a few days ago to invite him to attend a country fair, President McKinley said that he must decline with regret, as he had returned to Washington with the determination not to leave it again for some time to come. Some people accept this statement as a deliberate announcement by the President that he will not go to Ohio on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November to vote at the election on the result of which depends the fate of his personal friend and political mentor, Senator Mark A. Hanna, chairman of the Republican National Committee.

On the other hand, those who are close to Maj. McKinley and know how deeply he is interested in the success of the Ohio Republicans this Fall, and particularly in the choice of a Republican Legislature, say that he will cast his vote at Canton, as he has done for many years past. It will be the first important election since his inauguration as President, and his friends say that he will make a point of setting a good example to his countrymen and to his fellow-townsmen. These same friends of the President, however, were not many weeks ago giving circulation to the report that he would make a rear platform campaign tour of Ohio during the present month. It is not at all likely that he will do so, and, indeed, it now begins to look as if Secretary Sherman would abandon his intention to take an active part in the Ohio campaign. He will probably go to Ohio to vote, and he may make one speech on national issues, but this is not at all certain, as the venerable secretary said the other day that he believed it had not been customary for members of the Cabinet to make campaign speeches.

The first regular annual message of President McKinley to Congress is awaited with more than usual interest, as it will undoubtedly contain recommendations for the enactment of legislation of the utmost importance, in addition to setting forth clearly and comprehensively the foreign and domestic policy of the administration. President McKinley has sent two messages to Congress during his term, Congress having met in extraordinary session on March 15 last, in response to his summons. It was understood that the session was convened for the purposes of passing a tariff bill and authorizing the appointment of a monetary commission. The first object was accomplished and the way thus cleared for legislative action upon the many questions of foreign and domestic administration. It is because of the general belief that at the coming session Congress will act favorably upon the President's recommendations and give his proposed administrative measures active and substantial support that unusual importance and significance will attach to his first annual message. Already the President has begun to outline some of the features of his forthcoming State papers. Many of the more important suggestions and recommendations to be made by the various members of the Cabinet have been brought to his attention, and may or may not be followed by him in his message.

One recommendation, at least, involving a radical change in governmental policy, is apt to receive executive approval. This is the plan of Postmaster-General Gary for the establishment of postal savings banks throughout the country, as already outlined in these dispatches. The Postmaster-General will set forth at length in his report his arguments in favor of the scheme, and there is reason to believe that the President will ask for its favorable consideration by Congress.

Luetgert Trial on the Stage.

Chicago, Oct. 11.—Inspired by the Luetgert trial, a local playwright produced "The Sausage Maker of Lakeview" at a Milwaukee avenue theatre last night. One of the characters is called Mary, another is a nameless widow, and the principal male character is made up to represent Luetgert. Mrs. Luetgert's name does not appear in the cast.

If the play succeeds the ambitious author will try to secure for the title role Mr. Luetgert himself, provided, of course, the sausage maker is not convicted.

The Long Drought Broken.

St. Louis, Oct. 11.—The long drought that has been so disatrous in this State, Nebraska, Texas and other Southwestern States, was broken yesterday by a copious rain fall. Kansas, however, did not share in the blessing, and the condition of a large part of the State is most distressing.

Stock is perishing for lack of water, railroads are burning fire guards for protection against prairie fires, and farmers are locking their wells against travelers.

Langtry Says She Won't Wed.

London, Oct. 11.—Mrs. Langtry, the "Jersey Lily," has caused to be published a statement contradicting the report that she is to be married to Prince Esterhazy. Her horses, it seems, are filling a larger place in her affections.

Blanco's Departure for Cuba.

Madrid, Oct. 11.—Gen. Ramon Blanco, who was appointed to succeed Gen. Weyler as Captain-General of Cuba, will sail for Havana to-morrow.

BIG FIND IN OLD MINE

Copper Ore Worth $1,000 a Ton Struck in New Jersey.

SOME GOLD MIXED WITH IT

Twelve Years in Ignorance—Owner Is Having a Percentage Assay Made and Is in No Hurry to Begin Operations.

New York, Oct. 11.—A new vein of gray copper ore, carrying a large percentage of silver and some gold, has been discovered in a low level of the old Schuyler copper mine in North Arlington, N. J.

The assay made last Thursday by one of the leading ore-sampling firms in New Jersey, gives this find the value of $1,000 to the ton of ore.

The discovery was a chance one, and was made by Mayor George Bayliss. The mine has been worked for nearly 150 years, but Mayor Bayliss has been taking building stone from it. His prospect shaft was in the rock face of one of the old quarries and struck a vein which showed on the surface a width of eight inches. Within fifteen feet of the mouth of the shaft the vein began to open out into a vein of gray metallic copper, which was strange to him. He sent samples to the assayers, and on Thursday, when he was told the ore was worth $1,000 a ton he was skeptical.

"Why," he said, "if it was pure copper it would hardly be worth more than that."

Then he was told it was not the copper that made the ore valuable, but silver and some gold. Mayor Bayliss is having a percentages assay made to find out the relative amount of the precious metals in the ore.

He has owned the copper mines and quarries for about twelve years. He has plenty of money to operate the mine after modern methods. He has received offers for a capitalization of the mine, but says that if it is valuable enough for others it is valuable enough for him to keep.

Last winter a man who called himself Oleum Nobody was arrested for living in the old mine shafts. He blamed Mayor Bayliss for his arrest, and when he was sent to the Hackensack jail he told a reporter he had made a valuable discovery in the mine, but would not disclose it because of his treatment by Mayor Bayliss. It is now believed that he knew the value of the ore.

GRAVE RESULTS OF THE STRIKE.

Work on Warships and Manufacture of Textile Machinery Stopped.

London, Oct. 11.—The factories at Blackburn engaged in the manufacture of textile machinery have been compelled to stop work, owing to the strike of the engineers. The strike is causing great delay in the construction of warships. No new ships can be laid down in the Admiralty dockyards, and material is wanting for the completion of a number of vessels. The battleship Goliath wants her stem and stern posts, and the battleship Ocean requires castings and engine fittings. Both vessels were to have been launched this month, but the strike has rendered this impossible. The battleship Canopus is lying at Portsmouth, waiting for her belt of armor, and the cruisers Furious and Gladiator are both waiting for their engines.

Mr. Siemans, of Siemans Brothers & Co. (Limited), speaking in behalf of the Employers' Federation, says that it is desired to get rid of trade unionism altogether. If this is not done the engineering trade of the country will go to the wall. He adds that it is impossible for the engineering firms to pay their men wages for fifty-four hours a week when they get only forty-eight hours' work from them.

Will They Stop the Big Liners?

The Executive Committee of the Amalgamated Engineers' Society threatens to withdraw the engineers in the ocean mail service in the event of a continuance of the present dispute.

The Prince of Wales, replying to an independent suggestion that he use his influence to bring about an amicable settlement of the strike in the engineering and allied trades, says he deeply deplores the disastrous situation, but feels that it would not be proper for him to interfere. He adds that he regrets that he is unable to do so.

The Strike May Spread.

London, Oct. 11.—There is no indication of an improvement in the engineering strike, and the embittered, determined struggle between the employers and the engineers, of whom 70,000 are now idle, continues with almost a certainty of bringing about a general strike throughout the shipbuilding establishments of the country, involving another 20,000 men. No one in authority has the smallest hope of a settlement being arrived at this side of Christmas, since the Employers' Federation has declined the mediation of the Board of Trade and has refused to confer with the men. The strike has already entailed the loss of $3,750,000, and it is calculated to reach $10,000,000 by Christmas.

The railroad employes threaten to add to the chaos. They are to hold a great conference at Birmingham in a few days and will formulate demands which the companies say it is impossible for them to grant, and in the event of the latter's refusal a general strike of 150,000 railroad workers, which will probably mean the turning out of 1,500,000 others, will follow.

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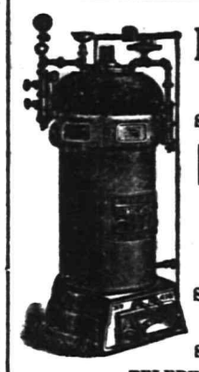

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—This evening in the basement of the North Plainfield School a Republican primary will be held to elect delegates to the county convention.

A few weeks ago the editor was taken with a very severe cold that caused him to be in a most miserable condition. It was undoubtedly a bad case of la grippe and recognizing it as dangerous he took immediate steps to bring about a speedy cure. From the advertisement of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the many good recommendations included therein, we concluded to make a first trial of the medicine. To say that it was satisfactory in its results, is putting it very mildly, indeed. It acted like magic and the result was a speedy and permanent cure. We have no hesitancy in recommending this excellent Cough Remedy to anyone afflicted with a cough or cold in any form.—The Banner of Liberty, Libertytown, Maryland. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Rev. Mr. Moffett, of Pine Bush, N. Y., who has been visiting Plainfield relatives, has returned home.

Mrs. W. J. Greenough, of Philadelphia, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Charles W. Matthews, of Grove street.

Those who believe chronic diarrhœa to be incurable should read what Mr. P. E. Grisham, of Gaars Mills, La., has to say on the subject, viz.: "I have been a sufferer from chronic diarrhœa ever since the war and have tried all kinds of medicines for it. At last I found a remedy that effected a cure and that was Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy." This medicine can always be depended upon for colic, cholera morbus, dysentery and diarrhœa. It is pleasant to take and never fails to affect a cure. 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward F. Randolph, of West Front street, returned this morning from a two weeks' vacation spent in New York State.

A pain in the chest is nature's warning that pneumonia is threatened. Dampen a piece of flannel with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bind over the seat of pain, and another on the back between the shoulders, and prompt relief will follow. Sold by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Miss Edith Horton and Miss Luella Crowther, school teachers in the borough school, moved Saturday from 21 Grove street to Sandford avenue.

Croup Quickly Cured.

MOUNTAIN GLEN, Ark.—Our children were suffering with croup when we received a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It afforded almost instant relief.—F. A. Thornton. This celebrated remedy is for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Smith, of Willow avenue, are rejoicing over the advent of a young son.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by L. W. Randolph.

Mrs. Benjamin Young has returned to her home at Rocky Hill, after spending the summer with her niece, Mrs Levi Kline, of Somerset street.

Electric Bitters

Electric Bitters is a medicine suited for any season, but perhaps more generally needed when the languid, exhausted feeling prevails, when the liver is torpid and sluggish and the need of a tonic and alterative is felt. A prompt use of this medicine has often averted long and perhaps fatal bilious fevers. No medicine will act more surely in counteracting and freeing the system from the malarial poison. Headache, Indigestion, Constipation, Dizziness yield to Electric Bitters. 50c. and $1.00 per bottle at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

John Daley, of Somerset street, is spending a few weeks on his son's farm, in Hunterdon county.

Stands at the Head.

Aug. J. Bogel, the leading druggist of Shreveport, La., says: "Dr. King's New Discovery is the only thing that cures my cough, and it is the best seller I have." J. F. Campbell, merchant of Safford, Ariz., writes: "Dr. King's New Discovery is all that is claimed for it; it never fails, and is a sure cure for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I cannot say enough for its merits."

Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds is not an experiment. It has been tried for a quarter of a century, and to-day stands at the head. It never disappoints. Free trial bottles at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

SEES SIGNS OF PROSPERITY.

Does Not, However, Attribute Them to Politics.

Philadelphia, Oct. 11.—Arthur Sewall, the nominee of the free-silver Democrats for Vice President of the United States at the last Presidential election, is at present in this city.

Asked if he thought there was apparent a revival of prosperity he said: "There is certainly more business being done, but I do not atribute it to politics. I imagine that the condition of the crops in Europe would have been quite the same even if Bryan had been elected, and it is certainly due to the condition of affairs abroad that our own affairs are improved. At any rate, there is an improvement, and I am glad to see it. In fact, part of my errand to Philadelphia is to ascertain whether it is going to pay us to increase the number and tonnage of our vessels."

Mr. Sewall would not commit himself as to the situation in New York City. Said he: "That is no fight of mine. I have no doubt it will all come out right. If Van Wyck should be elected Mayor of Greater New York the national situation may be somewhat complicated, but if Henry George is elected it will simply make Bryan's renomination more sure."

"Then you think Bryan will be the Democratic candidate for the Presidency again?"

"Undoubtedly," was the reply.

"And will Mr. Sewall be his running mate?" was asked.

"Mr. Sewall cannot speak for Mr. Sewall on that subject," said the Maine man with a laugh."

MUCH MONEY FOR CHARITY.

Dr. Evans to Leave Some of His Fortune to Such Institutions.

New York, Oct. 11.—Announcement is made that Dr. Thomas W. Evans, the American dentist of Paris, whose wealth is variously estimated at from $30,000,000 to $35,000,000, will spend a part of that huge fortune in founding and maintaining educational institutions in different cities in this country. Dr. Evans left for Paris on the French liner La Touraine, which sailed for Havre on Saturday.

Arthur A. Valois, the attorney for Mr. Evans, said that what Dr. Evans wanted to do was to put the bulk of his money into charitable, educational and benevolent institutions after providing for his relatives. He has always been an American and wishes to do as much good in his own country as he can.

One thing he contemplates is to establish a great dental university in Philadelphia. It is to be an elaborate institution and partly free.

From Mr. Valois' remarks it was gathered that Philadelphia, Minneapolis and St. Paul and possibly New York, Cincinnati and Chicago were to be the favored cities.

GOLD SEEKERS MAY FREEZE.

Hundreds Are Struggling on the Trail to Klondike.

Port Townsend, Wash., Oct. 11.—Two men and a woman, who came over the land route from the Klondike, were passengers on the steamer Rosalie, which arrived here Saturday.

They state that hundreds of gold-seekers are trying to get through to Dawson, but that their chances of completing the trip are very slight.

The Thorp party, which has several hundred head of stock en route for the gold fields, is snowbound and cannot reach Dawson City this Winter.

The passengers on the steamer report that hundreds of men are facing death on the trails in the hope of reaching the Klondike this Winter or early in the Spring. That many of them will starve or freeze to death seems certain, as they have no means of sheltering themselves from the storms, and the food supply is very slight in many places along the trail.

BELIEF IN BURIAL ALIVE.

More of the Russian Fanatics Missing—A Search for Their Bodies.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 11.—It is announced that the police have discovered at the town of Bender, a branch of the Raskolniki, the religious sect that believes its members can gain salvation by self-immolation. Bender is fifty-eight miles from Odessa, near which city the bodies were found of a number of the fanatics who had allowed themselves to be buried alive.

The leader of the Raskolniki at Benner, a woman named Kayiowa, who is the owner of a vineyard, has disappeared, and several other persons are missing. It is supposed that they have all been buried alive in the vineyard, and the police will make a search for their bodies.

Miss Cisneros May Bring War.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 11.—The escape of Senorita Cisneros from the Casa de Recojidas in Havana may lead to further complications with Spain. Should it develop, as it is expected to, that her escape was planned and executed by Americans sent from this country for the purpose and given powerful assistance here, it is quite possible that the Spanish Government may make complaint to the State Department, and if she lands in the United States her surrender to Spanish authorities may be demanded, as well as the prosecution of those engineering her escape.

Such a demand would most likely lead to trouble, as public sentiment in this country would never consent to her surrender.

Reeder's Prosecutor Missing.

Easton, Pa., Oct. 11.—It is reported here that William A. Winsboro, the slate operator and principal witness for the prosecution in the conspiracy cases against Gen. Frank Reeder, late Secretary of the Commonwealth; Assemblyman Weiss and M. C. Luckenbach have suddenly left for Europe.

At Bangor, Winsboro's former home, the news of his departure was no surprise, as it was known a few days ago that he intended to leave. Winsboro's slate property, at Pen Argyl, was levied on a few days ago by the Sheriff.

Sugar Trust's Big Check.

New York, Oct. 11.—The largest check ever turned into the Custom House for import duty on sugar was received Saturday. It was signed by the American Sugar Refining Company, and called for $155,392. It was on a consignment of 11,000,000 pounds of raw sugar, which reached port a short time ago. It will be refined at the Brooklyn works of the company.

TAMMANY SEES VICTORY

The George Schemes Have Reacted in Its Favor.

CROKER SAYS IT IS A CINCH

Low Will Take Charge of His Own Campaign Until the Outlook Has Been Made Somewhat Brighter, Regular Democrats Joyful.

New York, Oct. 11.—The consummation of the deal between the campaign managers of Seth Low and of Henry George, whereby Mr. George's Jeffersonian Democracy indorses all the candidates of the Citizens' Union in New York County, with the exception of the candidates for Mayor, Comptroller and President of the Council, continues to be the sensation of the campaign.

Tom L. Johnson, of Ohio, Mr. George's millionaire manager, who planned the deal in order to get rid of the original silver men, all of whom wanted office, has announced that George E. Waring, Jr. had been selected as the candidate for Comptroller on the George ticket and Jerome O'Neil for President of the Council. Col. Waring is Mayor Strong's Superintendent of the Street Cleaning Department. He is a non-partisan Democrat. O'Neil is a prominent member of the Central Labor Union. He will accept.

Manager Johnson's Scheme.

In Kings, Queens and Richmond Counties Mr. Johnson has arranged to indorse the regular minor Democratic candidates. Thus he secures a complete Greater New York ticket.

Rumors are being circulated that Mr. Johnson was actuated by selfish motives in making the deal. He has large interests in the Nassau Street Railway, in Brooklyn, and it is said that he has so arranged matters that he will find his advantage whatever candidate wins. The organizations which started the movement which ended in the nomination of Mr. George and which have now been left out in the cold are still angry.

Apparently the George boom has collapsed, at least for the time being. But though the Alliance and the United Democracy say they will work against him, some of the smaller organizations which are members of these bodies refuse to follow them. They say that they will stick by George.

Citizens' Union Leaders Abashed.

The Citizens Union leaders seem to be ashamed of the deal with the Bryanites. They are now attempting to evade responsibility for it. Their Executive Committee have issued a statement containing the following explanation:

"The indorsement by the Henry George party can be based only upon recognition of their personal fitness for the offices for which they have been nominated. The Citizens' Union has not invited the support of any political organization, and has not entered into any alliance, understanding or combination with any political organization, but in its declaration of principles it has appealed to all good citizens to unite in the effort to accomplish the objects of the Union, and cannot properly repel co-operation of any citizens who may respond to this appeal. The Union and its candidates represent one issue only—that is good city government as defined in the platform of the Union."

Management of Low's Campaign.

There is much dissatisfaction with the management of the Low canvass. It is entirely in the hands of a few men who are making more enemies than friends for Mr. Low. The Gold Democrats, the Home Rule Democracy, the German-American Reform Union, the Brooklyn Committee of Fifty and other organizations which have indorsed Mr. Low are not consulted, and Mr. Low's own wishes are often disregarded. It is said that he opposed the George deal.

Mr. Low feel the inefficiency of his campaign managers here and will take charge of the headquarters himself until matters have been straightened out.

Regular Democrats Joyful.

The Regular Democrats are joyful over the disintegration of the George movement, which threatened to defeat them. Richard Croker says: "If you wish to know my opinion of the coming election, I will predict that not only will Judge Van Wyck be elected Mayor, but he will beat any other two candidates. He will poll more votes than the other two men behind him. Whatever strength there was in the George movement is gone now. This deal with the Citizens' Union knocks the George men out."

Chairman Elliot Danforth, of the Democratic State Committee, said of the collapse of the George boom: "It ought to give Tammany Hall a walkover. It certainly will help our ticket materially in the Greater New York district and in the State. I know not how Henry George feels, but certainly some of his followers are very much disgusted at the situation of things. The interference of an Ohio statesman in New York politics in this instance has not been eminently successful."

Senator Quay's Silence.

St. Lucie, Fla., Oct. 11.—Although silence is still maintained by Senator Quay in relation to the ousting of his friends from State offices and the placing of David Martin as Secretary Reeder's successor, yet certain statements by an observer of those movements would seem warranted even before the Senator returns to his State to survey the field. He has determined that upon leaving here next Saturday with his son, Capt. A. C. Quay. He will go directly to Sewickley and Beaver, without stopping off in Washington, Philadelphia or Harrisburg. He may return to St. Lucie after the November election.

Earthquakes in Mexico.

Oaxaca, Mexico, Oct. 11.—Serious seismic disturbances are again reported from the Isthmus of Tehauntepec and the eastern parts of this State. These earthquake shocks were felt at intervals all last week, and they are increasing in severity.

The inhabitants of the disturbed section are very much frightened, and are again moving from their houses.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

(Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Threatening Weather, With Light Rain Tonight and Tuesday; Stationary Temperature.

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 70 Degrees.

COMING EVENTS.

October 11—German classes for beginners and more advanced students will be organized at Y. M. C. A. at 8 p. m.

October 11—First, second and third year classes in mechanical drawing will meet at Y. M. C. A. at 7:45 p. m.

October 12—First and second year classes in mathematics at Y. M. C. A. at 7:45 p. m.

October 26—Entertainment Plainfield Mandolin and Guitar Club at Monroe Avenue church.

SOMERSET SURROGATESHIP.

Newton B. Spencer, of North Plainfield, is making a vigorous contest for the Republican nomination of Surrogate of Somerset county, but many who are up to the ways of the politicians predict that George B. Cooper, his opponent, will land the prize. Mr. Spencer is strong in North Plainfield and Warren townships, but the leaders elsewhere insist that he cannot get enough delegates to carry the county convention in his favor. Mr. Spencer, however, is old in the game of politics and knows Somerset like a book. It is not to be unexpected that he may surprise those who are opposed to his nomination. Undoubtedly one of the things that has contributed to lessen his chances for the nomination is the fact that North Plainfield Republicans now have the honor of having one of the best offices in the couniy held by one of their number—Senator Reed.

FITTING PHILANTHROPY.

A fitting climax now comes to the endowment of the Policemen's and Letter-Carriers' bed in Muhlenberg Hospital, the result of the Labor Day ball game between those two sets of public servants. Mrs. Horace Kimball, president of the Children's Home, is in receipt of a letter from Postmaster Hetfield and Chief of police Grant, who were delegated with power to choose who should have the benefit of the endowment, in which they proffer the service of the bed to the Children's Home, to be occupied by such little orphans as may become afflicted with maladies that require skilled attention and treatment. Indeed, this is doing with charity for charity.

Plainfield's City Fathers are trying to ascertain the sentiment of the voters as to the method of granting liquor licenses, and it is intended to have them express an opinion at the local election in December. While the Councilmen will not be legally bound by the result, it is fair to assume that they desire to feel the public pulse, with the intention of conforming their own action thereto. If this movement gains much headway it may reach Paterson, Jersey City and Hoboken, and rob the Aldermanic office of its glory.—New York Tribune.

The Newark Daily Advertiser has changed proprietors and is to become a one cent paper. Compared with its competitor, The Evening News, the Advertiser has been way behind the times. Under the new management it will probably evidence more enterprise and take a higher place in New Jersey journalism.

Hot contests were made in the Republican primaries of Hunterdon county Saturday. Charles N. Reading leads in the Senatorial fight and will probably get the nomination.

In a betting way the Tammany candidates in New York are the favorites. The voting way is what tells, though, for both the candidates and the bettors.

State and local issues are to form the texts of the address to be issued by the State Democratic committee.

—Mr. Price, the drug clerk formerly in the employ of Horsley Barker, the West Front street druggist, has again been engaged by Mr. Barker and will return to Plainfield soon.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The fac simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. is on every wrapper

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Miss Douglass, of Buffalo, is visiting borough friends for a few days.

Bert Bodine, of the borough, spent Sunday with relatives at Quakertown.

Councilman R. I. Tolles has returned from a business trip to Chicago.

Councilman G. H. Frost has returned from his trip to Nashville, Tenn.

W. L. Smalley, Jr., and family, of Somerset street, will leave for Asheville about Nov. 1st.

Miss Grace Overton, of the borough, has entered the Emerson School of Oratory at Boston.

Mrs. Henry C. Nomer, of 433 LaGrande avenue, is convalescing from an attack of tonsilitis.

Miss Sarah Langford, of Brooklyn, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Smith, of Willow avenue.

Mrs. S. D. Gordon, of East Orange, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Hiram D. Woodland, of Craig place.

Mrs. J. C. VanDyke, of East Front street, who has been visiting relatives at Liberty Corner, has returned home.

Miss Minnie Able, of New Hampton, N. J., is being entertained at the home of Miss Addie Lewis, of Grove street.

Clarence Brouard, who has been confined in the hospital, is greatly improved and is expected to be soon discharged.

John Emmons has returned to his home on Rockview avenue, after a two weeks' visit with relatives and friends in Michigan.

Hughes Fawcett, of Rockview avenue, is on a business trip through the west. Mr. Fawcett will be absent about three weeks.

Mrs. Henry B. Wells, of Washington avenue, is the guest of Mrs. Chas W. McCutchen, at Camp Pinafore, Lake Placid, N. Y.

Mrs. W. P. Perry, who has been the guest of her aunt, Mrs. M. S. Crooks, of Grove street, for a few days, left yesterday for New York city.

Mrs. T. B. Penton, of Rockview avenue, is visiting her sister, Mrs. N. W. Ford, at Babylon, N. Y. Mrs. Penton will return home today.

Mrs. M. H. Pike, of Baltimore, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Morgan S Taylor, of Rockview terrace. Mrs. Pike will soon leave for her home.

Rev. M. E. Dwight, of Rockview avenue, is visiting relatives and friends at Jacksonville, Ill. Mr. Dwight will remain until November 1st.

Tomorrow evening at 7:30 in St. Mary's church, will take place the marriage of Miss Teresa Keeley and Thomas Hughes. A reception will follow at the home of the bride's parents on LaGrande avenue.

Mrs. Mary Larkin, and her daughter, Miss Mary, have left for New York, where they will spend a week with friends. They will also visit relatives at Jersey City, before returning to their home on Somerset street.

George Washington Force, of West Front street, who has been visiting friends in Philadelphia, has returned home and will enter upon his duty of stenographer in the United States Lead Company's office in New York.

A. W. Haviland and daughters, of Rockview avenue, were in town Saturday, but have gone to New York, where the family will remain a short time. Miss Gertrude Haviland has been spending the past week with her friend, Miss Henderson, of Rockview avenue.

THEATRICAL.

The comic opera season at the Broadway Theatre, "the handsomest and safest theatre in America," has opened propitiously. Francis Wilson and his splendid comic opera company are now being seen in Smith and Englander's "Half a King," the best comic opera presented on the New York stage for many a year. There is no comedian on the stage today who rivals the deverting Wilson. He has a brand of fun all his own, that no copywright to protect. An evening with Francis Wilson, Miss Glaser and the other admirable performers of the company, serves to put the inner man in a comfortable condition. "Half a King" is beautifully mounted and the costumes gladdening to the eye. During the closed season the Broadway Theatre has been greatly beautified.

Trestle Was Burning.

The trestle in Holmes' coal yard on Madison avenue, near West Second street, was threatened with destruction by fire yesterday morning. The upper end of the trestle was blazing quite merrily at 9 o'clock when it was discovered by J. D. Macintyre, of West Second street. With the assistance of his son, George M. Macintyre, the flames were finally extinguished after a half-hour's lively fight with pails of water and shovels full of dirt. No alarm was sent in.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Additional locals on third page.

—There was no racing at the Gentlemen's Driving Park Association last Saturday.

—The Plainfield Mandolin Club will meet at J. C. Kirkner's home on Tuesday evening.

—Two new crosswalks have been laid at the corner of Jackson and Watchung avenues.

—Stone Square Lodge, No 38, F. and A. M., will hold an important meeting this evening.

—A meeting of the Camera Club will be held this evening in their rooms in the Babcock building.

—James Blair and family, of Duer street, have moved to 185 S merset street, in the house owned by Walter S. Mundy.

—Richard Boice, of Somerset street, has erected a new pole in front of his place upon which will be displayed the weather signals.

—Marsh, Ayers & Company have the contract for the painting and the interior decoration of E. A. Overton's house on Rockview avenue.

—Owing to the fact that there was no fire in the First Baptist church yesterday morning, the service was a short one, it being 11:30 when it came to a close.

—Prices and values in such attractive dress trimmings as Peck is offering unties the strings of pocketbooks and crowd that grand and reliable store as never before.

—Edward Lotz has resigned his position with N. B. Smalley, the Somerset street butcher, and this morning he went to work for J. M. Smalley, the Park avenue butcher.

—The mathematical course at the Y. M. C. A. this year includes four different classes, so that a pupil will ordinarily have no difficulty in finding a class fitted to his abilities.

—Class No. 25, Trinity Reformed church Sunday-school will hold a dime sociable on Friday evening, October 15th, at the home of Mrs. B. Richards, 127 East Fifth street.

—The sidewalk which has lately been laid on Grant avenue, in front of S. L. Lawson's property, is a marked improvement and a great convenience to the commuters and other residents who have occasion to use it daily.

—The Woman's Christian Temperance Union of this city expects to give an exhibition of fifty pictures, reproductions of famous illustrations in the Ladies' Home Journal. The exhibition will probably open some time in November, and the pictures sold for the benefit of the union.

An Embarrassed Honeymoon.

Brooke, the great band conductor, neatly embarrassed a honeymoon couple at a Philadelphia resort where his band played last summer. The couple had tried to avoid suspicion by acting like old married folks, but Brooke perceived the truth and when they entered the hotel for dinner he had bribed one of the waiters to appear immaculately clad in white, even to cap, shoes and gloves. They were seated at a very prominent table and made doubly conspicuous by the waiter's appropriate raiment. When they stepped into the concert hall later the band immediately struck up a wedding march. The band appears in Music Hall October 14th.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they do is tenfold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by druggists, price 75c per bottle.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

A Police Inspection.

The police force of the city appeared before the police board in the Common Council rooms on Saturday afternoon and underwent an inspection of their winter uniforms. An inspection of the fall uniforms and a drill will take place before the board in the Pierce Cycle Academy next Saturday evening.

Notable Concert and Lecture.

Two notable events that will demand the patronage of society people have just been arranged. The first is a concert by Walter Damrosch's orchestra, to be given in the Casino October 28th; and the second is a lecture by Miss Herford in the same place on November 24th.

Miss Stackhouse, of East Sixth street, is visiting in Philadelphia.

Do you know what baking powder is bought by the Government for the families of army officers?

Cleveland's.

Do you know what one all the leading teachers of cookery use and recommend?

Cleveland's.

Guarantee.

Grocers are authorized to give back your money if you do not find Cleveland's the best baking powder you have ever used.

Cleveland Baking Powder Co., N.Y.

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Realty Changes.

The following real estate transfers were recorded in the Union County Clerk's office during the past week:

Plainfield Real Estate Company to John B Mills, Plainfield, lot West Sixth street, near Lee place, $1; Sheriff Kirk to the Equitable Life Assurance Society, lot Front street, Plainfield, $3,500; Cornelia Wendell to Catherine C. Lounsbury, Plainfield, lot main road leading from Scotch Plains to Plainfield, adjoining Voorhees land, $1; Charlotte Strathdie, et ux., to Lorena C. Wheedon, Weehawken, lot Carleton avenue, Plainfield, $4,000; Minnie L Colgate, et ux., to Hobert E. Rider, Plainfield, lot Putnam avenue, 175 feet east of Carleton avenue, $12,500; Elston M. French to John H. Kitchen, North Plainfield, lots 11 and 12, block A, French map, Plainfield, $470; Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Co., to rector, etc., St. Paul's church, Westfield, lot Broad street, westerly corner Beebe lot, Westfield, $2,105.48; Charles Edwin to Clark Perrine, Westfield, lot South avenue, Fanwood, $500.

George Olmstead, of East Millstone, was a guest in the borough last Saturday.

No. 447.

Report of the Condition OF The First National Bank,

at Plainfield, in the State of New Jersey, at the close of business,

OCTOBER 5TH, 1897.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$569,7[illegible]8 74
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	1 476 71
U. S. bonds to secure circulation	100,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	6,000 00
Stocks, securities, etc	1,800 00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	51,000 00
Other real estate and mortgages owned	62,398 60
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	7,626 55
Due from approved reserve agents	74,058 30
Checks and other cash items	7,681 38
Notes of other National Banks	3,165 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	2,681 66
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz: Specie 24,855 80	
Legal tender notes 53,128 00	77,983 80
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer, 5 per cent. of circulation	4,500 00
Total	$970,080 74

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	200,000 00
Surplus fund	50,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	42,337 25
National bank notes outstanding	90,000 00
Due to other National Banks	25,031 45
Dividends unpaid	695 00
Individual deposits subject to check	517,892 47
Demand certificates of deposit	40,452 37
Certified checks	3,669 20
Total	$970,080 74

State of New Jersey, County of Union, ss:

I, F. S. Runyon, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. F. S. RUNYON, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of October, 1897.

NELSON RUNYON, Notary Public of N J

Correct attest:—

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J. W. JOHNSON,
WM. M. STILLMAN,
Directors.

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We have also marked down for this month the prices on all of our regular lines of Hardmans, Gabler, Voses, Sterlings and Standards. There is decided saving for the buyer who comes during this sale.

It would be worth your while to buy now, even if you don't want the Piano until Christmas; we'll store it for you without charge.

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Bring this with you and if not shown everything here as advertised we will pay your car fare. Boys' neat double-breasted suits, all wool warranted, with double knee and double seat, $1,00, 1 25, 1.50, 1.75 and 2.24, worth three times as much. Men's fine covert cloth fall overcoats, in light and dark shades, silk-lined, worth $16.00, at $5.00, latest styles. Men's heavy diagonal fall overcoat, fine finish, worth 12.00 to 15.00, at $5.50. Men's fine black melton overcoat, blue or black, elegantly made, at $6 50, worth 12.00. Men's imported kersey overcoats silk lined, French facing, worth 22.00, at $8.25. Men's dress overcoats at $3 25, worth 10 00. Buy your overcoat now and you will save sixty cents on every dollar. Men's ulsters, dark blue, all wool, waterproof cloth, worth 18 00, at $6.50. Very fine ulsters at $5.50 and $6.50, worth double. A good ulster for drivers at $2 50 and $3.00, worth from 6 00 to 8.00. Extra fine dress suit for young men and boys, long pants actually valued at 12 00 to 15 00, sale price at $4.50. Young men's single or double-breasted blue or black cheviot suit at $3.50, regular price 10.00. A good youth's suit at $2.50, worth 7 50. Bring anything back within fifteen days, that is not entirely satisfactory. Men's extra fine brown plaid suits at $3.50, $4.50 and $5.00, worth from $9.00 to 15 00. Men's winter bicycle suits at $2 00, $2 50 and $3, worth from 5.00 to 12.00. Remember, no other store in Plainfield can sell you such fine clothing for any less than three times these prices. We have over three thousand suits to choose from. All wool clay diagonal sack suit at $5.90, worth from 12.00 to 15.00. Over one thousand woolen knee pants from 15c to 60c. Everybody living within tweny-five miles of Plainfield should visit this great sheriff sale.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Miss Maltbie spent Saturday with friends in Plainfield.

Miss Mary Shepard has returned from her visit with friends at Syracuse, N. Y.

Miss Fenner, of Plainfield, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Harry Swackhamer.

A. D. Pope, of Plainfield, is decorating the interior of Mrs. Kuldoshea's house.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Weber, of Newark, were guests at the Park Hotel last Saturday.

Miss Pruden, of Plainfield, was the guest of friends in Dunellen and New Market last Saturday.

The property upon which are situated the Dunellen Brick Works will be sold today for taxes.

Mrs. Abner Coriell, Jr., of New Market, is improving nicely from her recent fall at which time her leg was fractured.

The reason that Walter Apgar resigned as a member of the fire department is that he is now a resident of Plainfield.

Master Percy Abbott spent Saturday and Sunday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Abbott, of Somerville.

Miss Bessie Benton, of New York, who has been visiting friends in the borough during the past few weeks, returned home today.

Mrs. F. W. Barker, of Nyack, N. Y., formerly a resident of the borough, will visit in a few days her friend, Miss Jessie Haynes, of New Market.

Mrs. T. C. Bodine, Mrs. Whitney and Mrs. A. A. Lake returned from Paterson on Saturday, where they attended the State Christian Endeavor convention.

The attendance at Mr. Schepflin's residence last Saturday afternoon was quite large and the bowling on the green was greatly enjoyed by the members of the club.

Rev. A. I. Martine occupiedt he pulpit at Warren chapel, Plainfield, yesterday morning, in exchange with Rev. J. O. McKelvey, who preached at the Presbyterian church.

Next Monday a regular meeting of the Building and Loan Association will be held to receive dues, and on the following Thursday a regular business meeting will be held.

SCOTCH PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

John Stilger entertained a friend from New York yesterday.

Mrs. J. A. Baker will remove next week to her house on Bartle avenue.

Miss Sarah Hand led the C. E. meeting in the Baptist church last evening.

Fanwood Council, 744, Royal Arcanum, will meet in its rooms tomorrow evening.

William Bacon, of Haverstraw, N. Y., was the guest yesterday of friends in this place.

James Buckley and daughter, of Plainfield, spent yesterday with Mr. Buckley's mother.

J. E. Flannery, of East Front street, Plainfield, was the guest yesterday of his daughter, Mrs. George Johnston.

Horace Hand, of East Sixth street, Plainfield, spent Sunday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Coles.

Miss Lulu Robison, of Rutherford, N. J., spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Robison.

Mr. and Mrs. Cory Johnson, of Cortlandt, N. Y., have rented Mrs. Baker's house on Park avenue and will shortly take possession.

Catarrh in the head, that troublesome and disgusting disease, may be entirely cured by a thorough course of Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great blood purifier.

Hood's Pills cure nausea, sick headache, indigestion, biliousness. All druggists. 25c.

—At a meeting of Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum, to be held this evening, a number of the Grand Lodge officers will be present, including Grand Regent Holt, of Trenton.

WESTFIELD

VARIOUS BITS OF NEWS.

WESTFIELD HAPPENINGS SERVED UP TERSELY FOR THE PRESS.

Many People Go and Come in the Pretty Suburban Town—Items Interesting Because of Their Brevity

The Foresters hold a meeting this evening.

S. S. Mapes is ill at his home on Prospect street.

Hook and Ladder Company, No. 1, meets in the fire department rooms tonight.

Infant baptism was held in the various Westfield churches yesterday morning.

Miss Bessie Elliott, of Westfield avenue, left today for a two weeks' visit n Rutherford.

The trustees of Fairview Cemetery meet in the Public Library rooms, on Broad street, tonight.

Miss Mabel Holcomb, of Westfield avenue, leaves today to spend a week with relatives in Brooklyn.

Rev. Wallace B. Lucas, D. D., of Meridian, N. Y., preached in the Presbyterian church yeeterday.

The W. C. T. U. will consider the subject of "Social Purity," at its meeting tomorrow afternoon.

District Deputy W. M. Stamets will pay a fraternal visit tonight to Plainfield Lodge, No. 44, I. O. O. F.

Rev. W. H. Ruth led the Epworth League devotional meeting in the Methodist church last evening.

The Woman's Club holds its first meeting of the season in its rooms in the Standard building this afternoon.

The football team captained by Frank Howe defeated a team at Cranford Saturday afternoon by the score 40—0.

The Westfield Star football team was defeated by the Dunellen Juniors at Dunellen, on Saturday, by the score 14 to 4.

A delegation from Central Council, No. 131, Jr. O. U. A. M. will go to Cranford Wednesday night to visit Cranford Council, No. 62.

A meeting of the Mutual Guarantee Building and Loan Association will be held at the office of Paul Q. Oliver, in the National Bank building, tonight.

Miss Julia Folsom and Mrs. E. R Collins will attend the W. C. T. U. State convention, which will be held at Trenton this week, beginning tomorrow.

The W. C. T. U. is preparing to hold a grand rally in Westfield on November 7th, at which time Volney B. Cushing, the temperance orator, will speak.

Rev. J. A. Owen, of Elizabeth, will attend the mid-week prayer meeting at the Methodist church Wednesday evening, and will deliver an address on missions.

Herbert Buchanan, who has been spending a vacation of two months with his sister, Mrs. Andrew A. Smith, of Elm street, leaves tomorrow on his bicycle for his home in Philadelphia.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Baptist church will hold a special business meeting in the church parlor this evening at 8 o'clock. After the business session refreshments will be served.

The Westfield Junior football team and the Alis team, of Plainfield, played a game on the North Broad street grounds, Westfield, Saturday afternoon. Each team played a strong game, and neither side was able to score. The managers of the two teams will arrange another game as soon as possible.

Rev. Wallace B. Lucas, D. D., of Meridian, N. Y., will deliver a lecture in the Presbyterian church lecture room tonight upon "The Manners and Customs of Palestine Today, as Illustrating Bible Teaching." Dr. Lucas has just returned from a trip to the Holy Land. He will appear in the full costume of Palestine and will exhibit many curiosities secured in his travels.

John D. Jacques, an old and respected citizen of Westfield, died at his home on Prospect street on Saturday morning, aged 79 years. He was born in the village of New Union, and passed the last twenty years of his life in this place. He was at one time a justice of the peace, and was much esteemed by all who knew him. The funeral was held from the house at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon, Rev. N.W. Cadwell officiating. Interment was made at Fairview Cemetery.

Committees Chosen.

The Young Men's Association of Monroe Avenue church held a special meeting last Friday evening and elected committees for the coming entertainment, October 26th. Rev. W. C. O'Donnell was elected chairman pro tem, and Frank Batson secretary pro tem. Adam Newman, Walter McGee, Frederick Phillips, Blanchard Randolph and Frederick Bowman were elected a committee to take charge of the entertainment, with Mr. McGee as financial manager.

Locals on page 3.

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It Reflects Our Methods.

There are two notable points about the sale of

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that are worth notice. First, we guarantee it. If it fails to give satisfaction in any respect your money will be cheerfully refunded. Second, it is a remedy that can be guaranteed; it would be folly to sell an inferior remedy that way.

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WAS HIT WITH A GROWLER.

COLORED MAN SPOILED FOR A FIGHT.

Persistently Butted Into Tom Marley and the Latter Doused Him With the Amber Fluid He Was Carrying.

William Brown is still at large but the police are looking for him while Thomas Marley is held under $50 bail and all because a "growler" was used as a weapon on North avenue Saturday evening.

Tom Marley, the blacksmith, had the "growler" and was returning from the saloon with it. He had company at home and they had asked him to take it out and fill it with something good. Marley had gone and was coming out of the saloon when a colored man fell against him at the doorway Marley thought the man had a greater load than he could comfortably carry and so paid no attention.

As he was passing along North avenue, Marley says the colored man brushed against him and tried to crowd him into the gutter. He pushed him away, but the man of color persistently returned and seemed spoiling for a fight. Then the stranger is alleged to have struck at Marley and the latter swung the growler, beer and all, and landed it directly on the head of the assailant. Considerably astonished by the damp reception the negro turned to flee while Patrolmen Myers and Cash came up. Myers placed Marley under arrest and Cash started in pursuit of the colored man who is said to be William Brown. Cash ran like the wind but it was a slow wind and the pursued soon outdistanced the pursuer.

A RECOGNITION SERVICE.

Sunday-school Officers Urged to Further the Cause of Christianity.

A recognition service of the recently elected officers and teachers of the Congregational Sunday-school was held in the Congregational church yesterday morning, preceding the morning sermon. After the usual opening exercises were held, Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor of the church, called on the officers of the Sunday-school, who came to the front of the church. They were Superintendent J. A. Robson, Assistant Superintendent W. L. Morgan, Secretary Stacy Reynolds, Assistant Secretary John W. Kirkner, Treasurer J. A. Powlison, Librarian Charles E. Steiner, Assistant Librarian George Fuller, and Musical Director Mrs. M. E. Dwight.

Mr. Goodrich addressed a charge to them, calling on them to perform their duties so as to further the cause of Christianity. Then the teachers were called to the front and read a covenant in unison. They were Mrs. M. E. Dwight, Miss M. G. Morse, Miss J. Louise Jenkins, Miss Addie Parker Jackson, Miss Maud Belknap, Miss Julia Belknap, Miss Bessie Pound, Miss F. F. Clark, Miss Eda Beekman, Miss Mary Robinson, Miss Anna E. Manktelow, Miss Adeline P. Parsons, Miss Estella Winckler, Rev. C. L. Goodrich, Rev. M. E. Dwight and A. C. LaBoyteaux.

The exercises were quite impressive, and the congregation took part by rising during the reading of the covenant. Then the teachers united in singing one stanza of a hymn, and then all returned to their seats and the regular order of service was resumed.

Presented With a Purse.

In recognition of the fact that Mrs. Horace Kimball, of East Fifth street, president of the Children's Home, has been devotedly engaged in looking after this admirable charity for twenty years, the Advisory Board of Gentlemen and the Ladies' Board have presented her with a purse of gold, as an evidence of the esteem in which she is held by her co-workers.

—William Parse, of Belle Mead, will move with his family on Monday next to 176 Harrison street.

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FIRST-CLASS help and first-class places at the Swedish intelligence office, 23 Somerset place. s 23 tf

YOUNG lady wishes situation as copyist, insurance or law office. Address Y, care Press. 10 7 6

LOST—In Plainfield, Oct. 8, gold buckle and charm for watch fob. Liberal reward given if returned to 1060 Central avenue. 10 9 4

FOR SALE or to let, store and dwelling house connected, barn on property. 214 Richmond street. 9 22 eod tf

WANTED—A maid to assist in care of invalid. Call between 10 and 12 o'clock Tuesday, at 80 Mercer Ave.

BOY wanted to assist on milk wagon and do chores. Address P. O. box 322, City. 10 11 2

STRAWBERRY plants by 100 $1, or 1,000 $3; Lovett, Prencill and Brandywine. For sale by W. H. Rogers. Washingtonville, N. J. 10 11 tf

GIRL wanted for general housework. 63 Grove street.

YOUNG man 22, would like position at any thing; well educated, strong and willing. Address J. H., care Press. 10 11 6

LOST—By poor girl, a pocketbook containing a small sum of money, and an unreceipted bill of Dr. Adams yesterday afternoon, between New and Front streets, or Front and Central avenue. Will the finder please leave the same at this office and oblige owner.

LOST—On Sunday, a pearl stick pin, between Elmwood place and First Baptist church. Return to Press office.

WANTED—An experienced girl for general housework. Call 212 East Front street. 10 11 2

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Infants' Caps.
Pretty silk caps.....25c
Fine embroidered caps.....37c
Childrens' tams.....25c
Boy's caps.....25c

Dress Goods.
54 in Ladies' cloth.....49c
32 " Fancy plaids.....12c
50 " Granite cloth.....47c
50 " Boucle cloth.....69c
58 " Fancy suiting.....25c
Send for samples.

Sale Corset Waists.
Childrens nazareth waists 25c kind, 13c

Men's Underwear.
Heavy wool shirts.....29c
" Natural wool shirts.....38c
Extra fine wool shirts $1 quality...69c

Men's Furnishings.
Good strong suspenders.....13c pr
Fine colored half hose.....10c "
Extra fine black " .....13c "
All linen collars.....10c
50c neckwear.....25c
Fine C. S. handkerchiefs.....10c
" Cambric " 5c

Sale of Canton Flannel.
Fine unbleached canton.....5c
Extra heavey " 8c
Fine domet flannel.....5c
Colored outing " 6c

Sale of Lace Curtains.
Lot of odds and ends.
Were $1.25 and $2 pr, now.....49c ea
50 in Lace curtains.....98c pr
Fine " " .....$1.25 pr
Curtain nets.....12c yd

Sale of Ladies' Winter Underwear.
Fine ribbed vests and pants,.....25c
Natural wool " " " 50c
Heavy fleeced " " " 48c

Sale of Hosiery.
Ladies' seamless hose.....10c
" extra fine " 13c
25c quality " 18c

Sale of Corsets.
Satteen corsets, heavily boned..50c pr
White, black and drab.

Sale of Blankets.
10-4 Cotton Blankets 49c pair, white or grey.
10-4 Grey Wool Blankets.....$1.15
10-4 All Wool Blankets.....2.98
Fine Crib Blankets.....1.37

Silk Sale.
36 in Lining Silks.....39c
Piety fancy Waist Silks.....69c
Silk Chiffon, all shades.....69c yd

Ribbon Sale.
2,000 yards of fine fancy Silk Ribbon worth 50 and 60c, go for....19c yd

Ladies' and Misses' Overgaiters.
All wool.....69 and 79c pr
Ladies' Bicycle Leggings.....98c
Ladies' Golf Hose.....35c pr

Sale of Turkish Towels.
Unbleached Towels.....7c ea
Heavy Unbleached Towels.....10c ea
Fine Bleached Towels.....13c ea
Extra Large " .....25c ea

Sale of Linens.
All Linen Crash.....6c
All Linen Glass Toweling.....8c
6 in Cream Damask.....25c
Turkey red Linen.....25c
Extra Heavy Damask Towels, tied fringe.....25c
All Linen Dinner Napkins...$1.15 doz

Sale of Corset Covers.
Fine Corset Covers.....9c ea
Trimmed " " .....19c "
Cambric " " .....
Lace trimmed.....25c "
Ladies' fleeced lined Corset Covers .....25c ea

Sale of Childrens' Underwear.
White ribbed vest and pants
16 18 20 22 24 26 28
5 8 10 13 16 18 21cents
Childrens' combination suits.....25c

Sale of Wrappers.
Cambric wrappers.....69c
Outing flannel wrappers.....98c
Black brilliantine skirts.....98c

Kid Gloves.
Fine Pique kid gloves, two clasp and four button.....59c pair

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Ladies, Misses, Children's and Infant's Wraps, Capes, Jackets, etc. Over 125 different styles. All of them exclusive, and of many styles we have but one garment. You are invited to call and inspect them. Miss Laura Powers in charge.

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NOT DOWN ON THE BILLS.

Fitz Lands on His Sparring Partner, and the Latter Falls in a Heap

Cincinnati, Oct. 11.—Champion Bob Fitzsimmons opened his theatrical season here yesterday afternoon at the Fountain Square Theatre with a big house and an act that was not down on the bills that was the realistic thing. In the opening round of the bout between Fitz and Mike Dempsey, of New York, his sparring partner, Lanky Bob landed with his left on Dempsey's breast, and the latter went down like a flash, his head striking the floor with a splintering crash.

At once the greatest confusion prevailed, as another fistic exhibition fatality apparently flashed in the minds of all. Fitzsimmons lost a shade or two of his ruddy color as he hastened to assist the sprawling Dempsey. The violent contact of his head with the boards had dazed the latter, and even caused his legs to be a bit shaky, still he quickly recovered, but the sparring was not resumed.

It developed later that Dempsey had never before faced the mighty Fitzsimmons, and as a courage inspirer imbibed much strong liquor in anticipation thereof. Fitz said that Dempsey, whom he had never before seen, was drunk through and through and simply fell through losing his balance. He acknowledged being badly frightened, however.

Dempsey was discharged, and Fitz and Julian paid his way back to New York. Ernest Roeber did the sparring with Fitz last night, and it is likely that Jack Conley, the "Ithaca Giant," of this city, will be the champion's sparring partner hereafter.

SQUIRRELS AT $10 APIECE.

Two Connecticut Poachers to Pay $80 for Violating the Game Laws.

Hartford, Ct., Oct. 11.—The first arrests of poachers in Connecticut arrests of poachers in Connecticut under the new game law this season was made by Game Warden Tift in Groton on Saturday. The men were James Griswold and Ezra Andrews, both of that town. They were found with eight gray squirrels which they had shot. Tift took the squirrels and told the men that they would have to pay a fine of $80 by to-day or that the law would take its course.

The new game law, passed at the last session of the Legislature, maintains a close season on squirrels and most birds until October 15, much later than has been the custom heretofore. Game is abundant and reports of the depredations of pot hunters are becoming so frequent that the game wardens are determined to enforce the law to the fullest extent. The fine for each violation of the law protecting gray squirrels is $10.

GIRLS CONFINED IN A PIG PEN.

Serious Charge Made Against an Orphan Home in Tivoli.

Poughkeepsie, Oct. 11.—Charges of cruelty are made in connection with the management of the De Peyster Home for Orphan Girls, an institution conducted by a Methodist society at Tivoli, N. Y., and it is likely that an investigation will be made either by the town authorities or the Conference officials.

The home is managed by E. F. George. His wife is matron. There are thirty inmates, all girls, ranging in age from 2 to 16 years.

It was noised around the village of Tivoli some days that two little girls at the home had been confined in a pigpen on a bread-and-water diet for forty-eight hours as a punishment for a trifling offense. It was said that the little girls when released were suffering from nervous prostration and are now seriously ill. The charge, when repeated to the matron, was not denied, except that Mrs. George said that the period of confinement was eight, and not forty-eight hours. There is considerable feeling in the village over the affair, and the matter will not be allowed to rest until it is probed to the bottom.

MORE SPANISH THIEVES.

Stole $500,000 in Cuba and Didn't Give Weyler Any of the Plunder.

Havana, Oct. 11.—Another big fraud has been discovered in the office of the local administration of taxes in Matanzas. The manager, the cashier and several other officials have been arrested. La Lucha says that this affair will be one of "the most sensational in the history of frauds committed against the Spanish treasury in Cuba."

The despoilers of the Treasury, it is known, acted without permitting any participation by Gen. Weyler's agents, and, as in similar previous cases, the Captain-General intends to wreak his vengeance upon them before leaving the island.

The frauds have been carried on for several years, and continued until last month. The total amount of money stolen is estimated at $500,000.

SUICIDE CLUB IN HAWAII.

A Young Man Who Drew the Fatal Card Let the Cat Out of the Bag.

Vancouver, Oct. 11.—The Honolulu Press says that Hawaii has a suicide club at Hilo. There are thirteen members, some of whom live in Honolulu. All the members are known, but their names are withheld. They meet once a year in Hilo. Not a member is over twenty-five years old. They are of the fast set and are aged in experience.

Once a year ballots are marked from one to thirteen. The man who draws No. 13 must take his life. A drawing has just taken place. A popular young Hilo blood, known in Honolulu and visiting there, drew the unlucky ballot. He has become so overcome with the situation that he has given the whole thing away to his friends. He says, however, that he will destroy himself according to the oath he has taken. The police will attempt to break up the club, as all the names are in their possession.

Two Hundredth Anniversary.

Tarrytown, N. Y., Oct. 11.—The Dutch Reformed Church of Sleepy Hollow celebrated yesterday the 200th anniversary of its foundation. The ceremonies were characterized by a simplicity and directness that was in itself reminiscent of the adventurous Hollanders who came into the New World and built a place of worship among the camps of the Indians.

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England Changes Front Again.

Washington, Oct. 7.—The final refusal of the British Government to take part in the approaching conference over the condition and prospects of the fur seals in the North Pacific Ocean, which was communicated to Ambassador Hay at London and by him to the Secretary of State here, will have no effect on the programme outlined by President McKinley and Secretary Sherman. The conference will be held as arranged, and representatives of the United States, Russia and Japan will take part.

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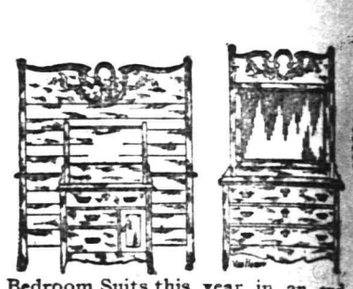

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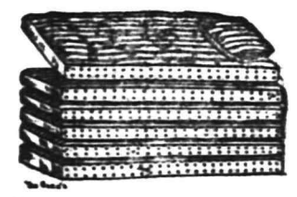

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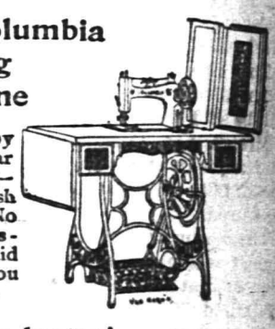

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Leave New York, foot Liberty street, at 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00 a. m; 12 00 m., (2 45 and 1 00 Saturdays only) 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 00, 3 30, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, (5 15 except Saturdays) 5 30, 5 45, (6 00 except Saturdays) 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45 p. m.; 12 15, 1 00 night. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00, 9 00, 9 15 a. m.; 12 m.; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00 p. m.; 12 15 night; 1 00 a. m.

Leave New York from Whitehall street at 7 00, 7 55, 8 25, 8 55, 9 55, 11 55 a. m., (12 45 Saturdays only) 1 00, 1 25, 2 25, 3 25, 3 55, 4 25, 4 55, 5 25 (5 55 except Saturdays) 6 25, 6 55, 7 50, 8 25, 9 10, 9 55, 11 30 p. m., 12 10 night. Sundays—At 7 00, 8 55 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 2 30, 3 55, 5 25, 6 55, 7 25, 9 25, 9 50 p. m., 12 10 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 50, 8 00, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a. m.; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 18, 7 55, 8 38, 9 02, 10 05 a. m.; 12 10, 1 15, 1 35, 2 35, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 38, 6 09, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 05 p. m. Sunday, 7 15, 9 05, 9 30, 10 35 a. m.; 1 10, 1 35, 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 20, 10 20 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a.m 1 01, (1 45, Saturdays only) 2 11, 2 32, 3 35, 4 36 5 03, 5 15, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 16, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 9 20, 11 20 p. m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 06, 9 05, a. m; 2 03, 3 39, 6 35, 8 30, 10 15, 11 14 p. m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35 45, 8 10, 9 02, 9 45, 11 45, a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05 3 25, 4 25, 5 28, 6 03, 6 40, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05 p. m Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a. m; 12 05, 1 20, 5 15, 6 35, 7 53, 8 05, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a. m., 1 01, 2 11, 4 55, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m, Sunday at 5 45, 6 08 a. m; 2 03 6 35 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a. m; 12 32, 4 04, 7 00, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 52 a. m; 6 30 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield 9 54 a. m; 5 03, 5 15 p. m

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 18 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Mantcoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, & c with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

1 01 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for station on D., L. & W. R. R.

3 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, MauchChunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

4 55 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Scranton, Wilkesbarre, Tamaqua, Shamokin, (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

5 05 and 5 15 p. m., way or Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 05 a. m. Sundays for Easton.

2 05 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

6 19 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

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1897 Taxes

NOTICE is hereby given to the tax-payers of the City of Plainfield that the taxes assessed in said City for the year eighteen hundred and ninety-seven are now due and payable, and that if said taxes be not paid before the

20th Day of December

next, the names of the defaulters with their respective taxes, will be returned to the City Judge for prosecution. The Commissioners of Appeal in cases of taxation in and for the said City will meet at the Council Chamber, No. 109 Park avenue, Plainfield, N. J., on the

4th Tuesday of November

next, (November 23rd, 1897,) at two o'clock p. m., to hear complaints relating to assessments.

E. H. BIRD,
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Notice of Meetings

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Boards of Registry and Election

OF THE

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In accordance with an Act entitled "An Act to Regulate Elections," approved April 18, 1876, with amendments and supplements, including the "Ballot Reform Law," and other general election acts in force July 4th, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the several Boards of Registry and Election of the City of Plainfield will meet at the various polling places in the said City on

Tuesday, the 12th Day of October,

1897, at 10 o'clock in the morning and continue in session, (recess from 1 to 2 o'clock,) until 9 o'clock in the evening, for the purpose of making such registration of voters and that the said Boards of Registry and Election shall also meet on

Tuesday, the 26th Day of October,

1897, at the place of the former meeting, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon and remain in session until 9 o'clock in the evening, for the purpose of revising and correcting the original registers. The places of meeting to be as follows:

First Ward, first district, at 120 E. Front St.
First Ward, second district, at 521 E. Second St.
Second Ward, first district, at 347 Watchung av.
Second Ward, second district, at 699 South av.
Third Ward, - - - - at 114 W. Sixth St.
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FARMER TO BE TRIED FOR MURDER.

Shot a Neighbor Who Accused Him of Killing His Skunks.

Binghamton, Oct. 11.—To-morrow William Lull will be put on trial for his life in Norwich for the killing of Frank Cox last October. Lull gives this version of the murder:

"On the night of October 29, 1896, when the shooting occurred, I was out looking after a cow that had strayed. My dog accompanied me, and during our wanderings the dog killed a skunk. The animal looked as if it had been caught in a trap and got away. While I was looking for the cow I met Austin Cox, the father of the deceased, who passed the time of day. Later on I found the cow and returned home. After I had retired some one rapped at the door. I went to the door and found Frank Cox and his father. They called me out and accused me of stealing their skunk, which was in a trap. I replied that I did not steal the skunk, but that my dog caught it after it had got loose from the trap. They both commenced to abuse me and dared me to come out and fight. I then ordered them off the place, and they would not go, but followed me into the kitchen, and I, thinking they would kill me, ran to the mantel, picked up my revolver and fired at them."

After the shooting Cox walked to his home, about half a mile, and upon entering his house dropped dead. The parties in the case are well-to-do farmers and the best legal talent has been secured on both sides.

THE IRISH PEOPLE UNITE.

Mr. Blake Says They Will Again Demand Home Rule.

Toronto, Oct. 11.—An important statement on the unity of the Irish people for home rule, by Mr. Edward Blake, was given to the press here today. Mr. Blake says that since the Dublin convention there has been a most decided feeling among the Irish masses, wholly in favor of the unity of the Irish forces. There are now but three or four men who stand in the way of a complete reunion of forces, but the Irish National party have to keep up the fight.

The next session of the House of Commons is to be an Irish session. The great debates in the Commons and throughout the country will be upon Irish matters. The bill for Irish local county government must prove a boon to the Irish people when put into proper shape by the Irish party at Westminster, and it would serve to put an end to the systematic depreciation of the Irish, who, though admittedly fit to govern in every part of the world, are told by a class of Englishmen that they are unfit to govern themselves. The Liberal party has remained firendly to Ireland, but it is much more demoralized and disorganized than the Irish party.

The Irish people are united, and the next general election will show their undiminished faith and firmness in the demand for home rule. On the other hand, there are signs of another change in England, and the Irish party must be prepared.

NO FREE SILVER FOR CANADA.

Bankers There Think Our Tariff Bears Hard on Canada's Interests.

Quebec, Oct. 11.—F. Wolferstan Thomas, president of the Canadian Bankers' Association, whose annual address to the members of the association is just published, declares that the late Presidential election in the United States involved a paralysis, if not a death blow, to free silver. He trusts that Secretary of the Treasury Gage will receive such support as will enable him to restore the currency of his country to the condition of soundness requisite for the recovery of the industries and the commerce of the republic to their wonted activity.

"As bankers we are benefited by a rehabilitated trade across the border, but we should be better pleased to see that trade revive under a tariff framed more for simple revenue, and less aimed at injuring the export trade of Canada. I am forced to confess a feeling that our government would follow a perfectly justifiable course in adopting *measures to offset by discriminatory* tariff legislation the injury to Canada's interests."

POLITICIAN PUT IN PRISON.

Republican Leader Threatens to Tell Things About Senator Hanna.

Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 11.—So fast and furious has been the attack upon Thomas R. Blodgett, the Republican State leader, since he expresed his determination to go to Ohio and tell from the stump how Mark Hanna bought the Georgia negroes for McKinley, that for a time the aggressive young man occupied a prison cell. He is charged with pretty nearly every crime on the statute books, and his friends have been kept busy getting bail for him.

The principal charge against him is that he has ben dealing in Federal offices and securing positions for negroes, who paid from $25 to $225.

The curious phase of the situation is that his asseociates in the camp of the Republican leaders did not learn about his alleged corrput actions until he became a violent anti-Hanna man. Blodgett openly charges United States District Attorney Edward A. Angier with persecuting him.

It is generally believed that Blodgett is in possession of information concerning the use of money in the McKinley campaign, that Senator Hanna wants to discredit before it becomes public property.

65,000 Men Now on Strike.

London, Oct. 11.—The Executive Committee of the Society of Amalgamated Engineers announces that 65,000 men are now either on strike or locked out.

The committee of the London Trades Council has decided to appeal immediately to all trade societies and workmen's clubs of the metropolis for money to aid the strikers.

Gen. Weyler Recalled.

Madrid, Oct. 11.—The Cabinet has signed the recall of Gen. Weyler from Cuba and the appointment of Gen. Blanco as Captain-General in his stead.

Gen. Primo de Rivera, Captain-General of the Philippine Islands, has tendered his resignation to the Government, and it has been accepted. It is said that Gen. Martinez Campos will succeed him.

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GOSSIP FROM GRIDIRON.

HAPPENINGS AMONG THE LOCAL FOOTBALL PLAYERS.

Games That are to be Played and Points About Teams and Individual Players That May Prove Interesting to Cranks.

An interesting but one-sided football game was played between the Crescents, of this city, and the Westfield Club team on the North Broad street grounds, Westfield, on Saturday afternoon. It was evident at the start that Westfield had much the heavier team, her players averaging 145 pounds each while the Crescents tipped the scales at 139 pounds each. Westfield had the wind against her in the first half, however, and the stout resistance of the Crescents, aided by a couple of fumbles by Westfield's players, prevented either side from scoring. When the second half began, however, the Westfields had discovered the Crescents' weak points. Starting off with a rush their heavy backs pounded the ball to Plainfield's five yard line, and Birch was shoved over the line for a touchdown. He kicked a goal, making the score 6 0 in Westfield's favor. The ball was kicked off by Plainfield, and Carberry, of Westfield, ran around the end for a second touchdown. Birch kicked a second goal, making the score 12 0. In the remaining six minutes of the half, Westfield again hammered the Crescents' line for a touchdown and another goal was kicked by Birch. The playing of Titcomb, at the Crescents' leftend, was particularly good.

CYCLING COMMENT.

The Brevoort Wheelmen, of Brooklyn, a private club, rode to Plainfield yesterday on tandem wheels and stopped at the Revere House for dinner. The club made a very pretty showing in an attractive uniform of blue and gold trimmings.

GOLF.

Last Saturday at Elizabeth the golf team from the Hillside Tennis and Golf Club played a seven-men team from the Elizabeth Club. The Plainfield team put up a fine game and won by a score of 21 to 12, winning by nine points. Below will be found the scores:

Plainfield.		Elizabeth.	
Wadsworth	0	Darrington	2
Wharton	10	Williamson	0
Walz, F. W.	0	Thomas	2
Kaufman	0	Fisher	4
Baker	0	Warner	2
Walz, Carl	11	Sawyer	0
Beebe	0	Pierson	2
	21		12

Next Saturday the Morristown Field Club team will come to Plainfield and meet the home team, and on Oct. 30th the Elizabeth team will meet the Plainfield team in a return game.

Married at Waverly Park.

Last Tuesday at Waverly Park occurred the marriage of Miss Cain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cain, and John L. Hall, of West Front street, this city. After a pleasant wedding trip they returned to the home of the groom's mother where a reception was given in their honor. The house was attractively decorated with autumn flowers. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Cain, Waverly Park; B. R Cain and son, Mr. Walker, D. J. Smith, Miss Emory, Miss May Lunger, Miss Jennie Lunger, Miss Anna Scheelein, Miss Lizzie Scheelein, Mr. and Mrs. McComas, Frank McComas, Mrs. C. L. Hall, the Misses Lena, Nellie, Lessie, Anna and Mattie Hall, of Plainfield and North Plainfield; J. C. Johnson, of Hackettstown; Miss Jones, of Adamsville.

Says His Wife is Unbearable.

Mrs. Reading, colored, of Race street, was arrested Saturday night on a complaint made by her husband. The complainant charged that his wife was invariably drunk and disorderly and that he has been unable to live with her. The hearing was set down for 1 o'clock this afternoon, when the offender was given her choice between $10 and thirty days. She will be given until 6 o'clock tonight to decide what she will do.

Superintendent Case Resigns.

It will be a source of regret to many to learn that Rufus K. Case, superintendent of the First Baptist church Sunday school, has resigned from his position. Mr. Case was forced to take such action owing to ill-health and upon the advice of his physician. L. H. Biglow, Jr., will fill the position for the present.

AUTUMNAL DAY.

Seasonable Services Held in the First M. E. Church.

Yesterday at the First M. E. church was known as "Autumnal Day" and special services were held morning, afternoon and evening. In the morning the pastor, Rev. W. C Snodgrass, preached an appropriate sermon to the old people. In the afternoon there was a Sunday-school rally, at which time the roll was called. Out of a membership of 307, there were 262 scholars who responded to the call, and twelve new members were added. The evening service was a most attractive one. It was a vesper service, and included an appropriate fifteen-minute sermon by the pastor, responsive readings and singing by the congregation and choir Superintendent J. W. Jackson, of the Sunday-school, had charge of the service and conducted the responsive readings. The members of the Sunday-school were present in a body.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

--Additional locals on page 3.

—The Liquor Dealers' Protective Association will hold a meeting tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock in Red Men's Hal.

—Garret Q. Packer, the furniture dealer, has a telephone placed in his store, and customers can reach him by the call 225 A.

—The hearing of Isodore DeCastra Britten on the charge of obtaining a horse and buggy from Frank Day on false pretences was adjourned today for a week.

—The contract case of the American Lucol Oil Company against Wyckoff and others, came up for trial before Justice Newcorn this morning, and judgment was rendered for the full amount and costs.

—Charles Lee, the five-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Lee, of 50 Grove street, gave a birthday party to a number of his young friends on Saturday afternoon. Games and a general good time was had, followed by refreshments.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss VanZandt, of Somerville, was a guest in the city yesterday.

Fred Dunavan, of Plainfield avenue, has returned from a visit with Newark relatives.

Theodore Hoffman, of New York, was the guest of Plainfield relatives yesterday.

George Wyckoff, of New York, visited former acquaintances in Plainfield yesterday.

Miss Ella Conover, of the Mercer Hospital, Trenton, spent Sunday with relatives on Elmwood place.

Rev. W. D. Johnson, pastor of the Philmore Baptist church, has returned from a five weeks' vacation spent in Richmond, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Onderdonk, of Philadelphia, have returned home after a pleasant visit with former Plainfield acquaintances.

The Misses Hahn and George Hoffman, of Somerville, and Mr. Ring, of New York, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Peter B. Hodge, of Plainfield avenue, yesterday.

W. E. Hoyt, general eastern passenger agent of the Missouri Pacific Railroad, has taken up his residence in Plainfield for the winter. He is stopping at the home of Mrs. West.

Invitations are out for an evening reception to be given by Misses Grace L. and Alice Adele Barlow at their home, 40 Prospect place, North Plainfield, Monday, Oct. 18th, from 8 to 11.

Ben. Frederickson, of the Walter Scott Press Works, who has been in New York State for some time past erecting presses, has returned home. Mrs. Frederickson accompanied him.

WE desire to notify our former patrons that we have disposed of our business to the **BARD CYCLE COMPANY.** Our books will be with them during this month and we wish to have all accounts closed at an early date.

Plainfield Cycle and Sporting Goods Co.,
147-149 NORTH AVENUE.

INDIAN JUSTICE.

One Tribe That Seemed to Have Some Regard for the Squaw.

"According to the books I studied when a boy," began an oldish man at the club the other night, "Indians looked down on their wives and made them simply beasts of burden. That may have been in some places, but it wasn't always so, or so everywhere.

"A good many years ago there were some Penobscot Indians near my people's place in New Hampshire, who evidently thought a good deal of their squaws and made one of the bucks appreciate the fact that his wife was not a beast of burden. This buck went on what we now call a bat, and got drunk—'drank too much occapee, and Cheepie (devil) got in him.' When he got home he was in a bad humor, and finding his wife in his way he stuck her feet in the fire and burned them off.

"The other Indians discovered this very promptly and tried him by a very summary process. The general opinion was that he should be executed at once; but one of the elder bucks interposed and gave this advice: "No shoot him; make him live long as squaw live; him carry squaw when she want walk; when squaw die bimeby, then we shoot.'

"This advice appealed to the other men, and they decided to punish the buck as the old chief suggested. So the buck carried his wife around on his back, whenever the tribe moved, whenever she wanted to go any place. So far as I learned, she did not hesitate about moving around. Of course the buck hated to carry her; but the beauty of the arrangement was that he didn't dare to ill-treat her, much less to kill her, because his life depended on her. If she died, he knew the tribe would kill him.

"I don't know how long this punishment lasted—who died first, or if after her death he was pardoned or executed.—New York Sun.

BIGGEST FARM ON EARTH.

Machinery Used In Cultivating It, and 30 Acres Plowed in One Day.

The largest farm in this country and probably in the world is situated in the southwestern part of Louisiana. It extends 100 miles east and west. It was purchased in 1883 by a syndicate of northern capitalists, by whom it is still operated. At the time of its purchase its 1,500,000 acres was a vast pasture for cattle belonging to a few dealers in that country. Now it is divided into pasture stations or ranches, existing every six miles. The fencing is said to have cost about $50,000. The land is best adapted for rice, sugar, corn and cotton. A tract, say half a mile wide, is taken, and an engine is placed on each side. The engines are portable, and operate a cable attached to four ploughs. By this arrangement thirty acres are gone over in a day with the labor of only three men. There is not a single draft horse on the entire place, if we except those used by the herders of cattle, of which there are 16,000 head on the place. The Southern Pacific Railway runs for thirty-six miles through the farm. The company has three steamboats operating on the waters of the estate, of which 300 miles are navigable. It has also an ice house, bank, shipyard, and rice mills.—Knoxville Tribune.

—Among the members of the Plainfield Y. M. M. C. A. who attended the district conference at Somerville, Saturday and Sunday, were: W. D. Murray, Stephen Cahoone, Curtis M. Thorpe, H. O. Newman, F. H. Martin, Thomas H Stafford, James A. Stafford, Philip S. Suffern and J. H. Manning.

Miss Bennett, of J. A. Smith & Bros. grocery, is enjoying a vacation.

William Grannat, of Trenton, who has been visiting Plainfield relatives, has returned home.

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Oak Sideboards, $9 up.
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—Saturday morning Carl Hauser, son of Rev. G. H. Hauser, of Duer street, was accidentally struck with a stone, thrown by a playmate, and severely cut in the forehead. Dr. D C. Adams dressed the wounds.

NOTICE!

The North Plainfield Republican Primary will be held in the school building, Somerset street, on Monday, the 11th inst., at 8 p. m. for the purpose of electing 5 delegates to attend the County Convention to be held at Somerville Wednesday, the 13th of October, 1897.

B A. Hegeman, Jr.
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Executive Committee.

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The entire stock of **CLOTHING**, consisting of **MEN'S OVERCOATS, MEN'S SUITS, MEN'S PANTS, BOYS' and CHILDREN'S SUITS, CHILDREN'S PANTS**, also **MEN'S FURNISHING GOODS and HATS**, formerly the elegant stock of **HARRY M. JAQUETT**, must be sold in the **NEXT 60 DAYS** to close the **ENTIRE BUSINESS**. Owing to the depression of business for the **PAST YEAR** he has been **OBLIGED** to **ASSIGN** the entire stock to me, and it is **NOW OFFERED** at **UNHEARDOF PRICES.** Samuel T. Jaquett. The following are **A FEW** of the bargains that are offered:

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" " " "	6.00	3.90
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Children's Overcoats	6.00	3.98
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Men's Pants	1.75	.98
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Men's Suits	9 50	5.48
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" "	9.00	6.98
" "	8.00	5.00
" "	5.50	2.98
Men's Working Shirts	.50	.29
" Shirts and Drawers	.50	.39
" Neckwear	.50	.39
" Sweaters	.50	.18
Men's Derby Hats (large assortment)	2.00	1.30
" " "	3.00	1.90
" " " (a large assortment)	1.50	1.00
Soft Hats		38c up
Large assortment of Gloves		25c up.

THIS IS ONLY A FEW BARGAINS WE OFFER, COME AND SEE THE REST.

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SPENCER MEN CHOSEN.

North Plainfielder Seems to Have Got the Delegates.

HE WANTS TO BE THE SURROGATE.

Three Townships Solid for Him and Advices From Other Places Indicate That Delegates Favor Him—Former Senator Thompson a Spencer Man.

There is every indication that H. N. Spencer will capture the nomination for Surrogate in the Somerset county Republican convention tomorrow. The majority of delegates chosen at the various township primaries last night are said to be in his favor. Mr. Spencer's most influential supporter is Former Senator Thompson, but a prominent man from Somerville this morning said that there was just the merest possibility that a deal might yet be made whereby the Senator would throw his support to Former Sheriff Dilts and secure his nomination.

The Republican primary in the borough was held last evening in the basement of the Public School on Somerset street, and the attendance was much larger than was anticipated. Previous to the meeting there was considerable caucussing on the part of the leaders.

No great opposition was expected in the nomination of delegates for H. N. Spencer, the candidate for Surrogate, and in fact there was none. Everything worked smoothly and in order. The news was received that Bridgewater and Warren townships had elected Spencer delegates yesterday afternoon at their primaries, and that seemed to have a good effect on Mr. Spencer's supporters.

The primary last evening was called to order by B. A. Hegeman, Jr., and Senator Charles A. Reed was chosen chairman, after which Councilman John MacLaughlin was selected as secretary. The secretary then read the call of the meeting, and in accordance therewith H. A. McGee, W. W. Howland, N. B. Smalley, P. A. Emmons, B. A. Hegeman, Jr., and J. Worth Coddington were nominated as delegates. The last named delegate represented the township and was elected. W. W. Howland resigned, and the other delegates nominated were elected by the secretary casting the ballot. After the delegates were given the power to fill any vacancies the meeting adjourned.

The Warren township primary was held at the Mt. Bethel hotel and the Spencer delegates went through with bells on, securing seventy-five of the hundred votes cast. John C. Cooper was chairman and Howard Toms secretary. The delegates elected were A. J. Jennings, F. E. Elliott, Charles Baldwin, John C. Cooper and Charles Mundy. Enthusiasm run rampant after the primary. Warren township is the old home of Mr. Spencer, and his friends rallied to his support with great vigor.

The Republican primary meeting of Bridgewater township was held yesterday afternoon at Somerville and the delegates chosen are reported to be supporters of H. N. Spencer for the office of surrogate. There was some opposition, but the following were elected: Christopher Ehni, J. P. Hecht, J. L. Griggs, F. W. Somers, W. H. Whiting.

Advices from Montgomery, Franklin, Branchburg and a portion of Bedminster townships give strong evidences that Mr. Spencer has strong backing in his political aspiration, and that he will no doubt receive the nomination for surrogate at the convention to be held tomorrow at Somerville.

A Somerville Marriage.

This evening at the home of the bride's parents, Somerville, will take place the marriage of Miss Craig to William Gaston, also of Somerville. Mr. Gaston is a brother of Mrs. O. W. Dunham, of East Fifth street, and is a well-known popular young man, both in this city and Somerville. Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Dunham and their daughter, Miss Jennie Quick, of East Fifth street, will attend the wedding.

Fine Programme Arranged.

The Young Men's Association of the Monroe Avenue church will give an entertainment in the church on Tuesday, the 26th inst., in which the Plainfield Mandolin, Banjo and Guitar Club will make its first appearance. The programme will also include Miss Marion Short, impersonator, Prof. and Mrs. Langsdorf Weitz, of New York, and other talent.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin R. Western, of Washington Park, left today for Ballston, N. Y., to attend the funeral of Peter Hogan, their brother-in-law, who was a division engineer on the Erie canal.

MAY HAVE SOLDIERS BOLD.

FIRED WITH THE PATRIOTIC SPIRIT.

Young Men Making a Strong Effort to Organize an Infantry Company of State Malitia.

Several Plainfield young men, fired with a spirit of enthusiasm and patriotism, are strongly impressed with the idea that an infantry company of State militia can be organized in this city, and they are now hustling to secure the required number of men, which is fifty-three.

The State will not consider the matter unless there are fifty-three men in the company, and if the company is well organized and is composed of the right stuff, they will give it a position, probably with the Third Regiment.

Dr. H. M. Lowrie, of Park avenue, is interested in the organization, chiefly for the reason that several young men have sought him with a desire that he engineer the organization for them. The young men who are zealous in the matter have only been working a few days and have succeeded in securing nearly half of the required number of signers, and of course they are much gratified.

They say that if Somerville can have a company which is considered second to none in the State, there is no reason why Plainfield should not have one also. Several years ago an attempt was made to organize such a company, but class distinction was a prominent feature and the scheme fell through. This, it is said, can now be overcome and there is apparently nothing in the way of a first-class company of young men.

Some of the young men now interested as leaders include Herbert Martin, Thomas U. Smith, Fred Ross, Richard Randolph and several others. Just as soon as the required number is obtained a meeting will be called by Dr. Lowrie. If such a company is formed the State will equip the members and allow them $500 for an armory. This is a great inducement and ought to be an incentive for the young men of Plainfield to join. Names will be received by any of the above named persons and added to the list.

PHOTOGRAPHIC EXHIBITION.

BEING ARRANGED BY CAMERA CLUB.

The Exhibit Will be Open for Entries From Three States—Promises to be a Great Success.

A pleasant feature is now being arranged for Thanksgiving week in Plainfield. It will be a photographic print exhibition under the auspices of the Plainfield Camera Club and will be the largest event of its kind ever held in this city.

For some time, the members of the Camera Club have been talking about holding an exhibition and it was definitely decided to hold one during the fall but the date and other details were not arranged until last evening. A meeting of the Camera Club was held last evening and routine business transacted, One new member was elected. Then the members of the committee who were appointed to take charge of the exhibits held a meeting to formulate plans for the affair.

It was decided to hold the exhibit from November 22d to 27th inclusive in the rooms of the Camera Club in the Babcock building. Unlike those of past years, the exhibit will be open to amateur photograpers of New Jersey, New York and Pennsylvania and the camera clubs of those States. This will greatly enlarge the field and make the exhibition much larger than ever before. Applications have already been received from over forty exhibitors outside of Plainfield who want to know details of the exhibition.

The question of prizes was discussed and it was decided to give one grand prize for the best exhibit of prints of more than three in number. This can be contested for by anybody and will bring out many fine prints. Then diplomas will be awarded for the best in each class. The classes that are to be included in the exhibition will be announced in a few days.

Sent to State Prison.

Thomas Jones and Peter Swertz, the two tramps who were arrested in Jersey City by Detective John Blackford, and who were afterwards accused of robbing Purcell's store at Flemington, were tried on the latter charge at Belvidere yesterday. Mr. Blackford was among the important witnesses. The men were sentenced to five years in State Prison.

Celebration to Be Postponed.

Next Monday will be the anniversary of the organization of the Christian Endeavor Society of Trinity Reformed church, but no special service will be held. The celebration of that event will be postponed until the opening of the church.

BOY MISSING SINCE JUNE

JOHN MARTONE'S FATHER WILL SEND OUT A GENERAL ALARM.

The Lad Lost His Job in This City and it Was First Thought He Had Gone to Look for Work—Fears Now for His Safety.

The second day of last June—it was a Wednesday—John Martone, a bright Italian lad, disappeared from his home on Lake street and has never been heard from since the Sunday that followed that day, when he was seen in Westfield looking for work.

John Martone is the son of John Martone, one of the most Americanized Italians in the city. He is a hard worker and his son showed a tendency to follow in the footsteps of his father. He obtained employment with Rheaume, who then ran the sash and blind mill on East Fourth street, and made good progress. He lost his job when there was a lack of work and did various jobs about the city. The lad was anxious to work and was making an effort to get another position at the time when he disappeared.

Supposing that his son had merely gone off for a few days to look for work Martone was not greatly worried, although the boy said nothing of his intentions. He left on June 2d and has not been seen again at his home. On the following Sunday he applied to Matthias Miller, of Hargrave & Miller, of Westfield, for a job. He formerly worked for F. W. Hargrave, of this city, who took a fancy to the lad. Miller told him that they needed no help and the lad went away.

Martone has been waiting and waiting for his son to come home until now he fears that something has happened to the lad, that he has been accidentally killed, or murdered, or perhaps kidnapped by unscruplous Italians in some of the large cities. He is sure that the lad would have returned ere this if he had not been prevented by some reason and that he would have sent word if unable to leave. Martone reported the matter to the Plainfield police some time ago but they have heard nothing.

Now Martone has decided to take active steps. He has advertised in the New York papers and will apply to the Newark police to send in a general alarm.

The missing boy is seventeen years of age, is about five feet two inches in height, weighs about a hundred pounds. He is slim and had a narrow face, dark complexioned and has a bright, intelligent face.

A CHANGE OF EVENING.

Professor Sumner to Lecture on Monday Instead of Wednesday.

The management of the University Extension Society has issued a circular stating that the course for the coming season will consist of a series of six lectures by Prof. Wheeler, of Yale University, on historical subjects, and a like number by Prof. Sumner, of the same institution, on what may briefly be termed political economy. The lectures by Prof. Wheeler will be given as heretofore on Tuesday evenings, but owing to the fact that Prof. Sumner is obliged to be in his classroom early every Wednesday morning, it has been found necessary to arrange his course for Monday evenings. It is confidently believed that these lectures, offered to citizens at a nominal sum, will be as interesting and instructive as any heretofore delivered in this city.

No Contest Books.

A meeting of the Sons of Veterans fair committee was held last evening when further arrangements were made for the event which will be held during the first week in November in Washington Hall on West Second street. All of the committee reported progress, and there is every indication that the fair will be a success. It was decided that no contest books should be allowed in the hall where the fair will be held.

Round Top Farm's Sale.

Notice in this issue the advertisement of Round Top Farm's annual sale of trotting stock, the property of F. P. Olcott, at his farm in Bernardsville, on Saturday, October 16th, by Peter C. Kellogg, auctioneer. Send for the catalogue; buy a fast young trotter or pacer from among those to be sold; join the Plainfield Driving Club next year and be in in the swim.

Rehearsed the Minuet.

Active preparation has begun for the Spielkartenfest. A general conference of all the interested parties was held on Saturday evening when plans for the affair were sketched out and the dances selected. Yesterday afternoon the children who are to take part in the minuet held their first rehearsal under the direction of Miss Stewart.

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GONE WITH FIRM'S CASH.

ONE OF SCHEUER & CO.'S CLERKS DISAPPEARS WITH $45.

Joseph Noel is the Employe and the Money He Took Was Collected on the Route Saturday—No Warrant Issued as Yet.

One of the clerks at the West Front street store of Scheuer & Company, the grocers, and $45 in cash have disappeared. Now the clerk is wanted on the charge of embezzlement.

Joseph Noel entered the employ of Scheuer & Company two months ago. He had lately been in the employ of the Plainfield Street Railway as conductor and has had several other positions. Noel was employed by C. B. Cliffton nearly eight years ago and is said to have disappeared from there with $200 in cash belonging to the firm. After a year's absence he returned to Plainfield and made some settlement with Cliffton.

Noel has been in charge of one of the delivery wagons lately and had the handling of what money was collected on goods sent C. O. D. to the patrons of that firm. Saturday he went his rounds as usual and made the collections. Then he put up his horse in the stable and disappeared. It is the custom for the drivers to put up their horses and then come to the office and make their returns. Noel never came, however, and when the time for closing came and he did not appear, it was suspected that something was wrong. When it was discovered that Noel's horse and wagon were in the barn the suspicion changed into a certainty.

While it was known then that Noel had made some collections, the firm could form no definite idea of how much he had. Yesterday one of the employes of the firm was sent on Noel's route and learned that the collections that day had amounted to $45.

Noel lives on West Second street with his wife and daughter. Mrs. Noel is a hard-working, industrious woman. She is a dressmaker and has been trying to do her share toward the support of the family. The disappearance of Noel was a great surprise to them and they heard of his alleged crime with great sorrow. Meanwhile, they are left on their own resources.

So far there has been absolutely no clue to the whereabouts of the missing man, but Manager Schloss is of the opinion that he will return after a time. Justice Newcorn was first consulted, but so far no warrant has been issued for the arrest of the defaulter.

SOME CHANGES TO BE MADE.

Borough Council Likely to Rearrange Some Avenue Assessments.

The members of the Borough Council, together with the Watchung Avenue Commissioners, met last evening in executive session for the purpose of examining the report of the commissioners. It is understood that some changes will be made in the amounts assessed. The Council will meet in open session Thursday evening, when they will be prepared to treat with all property owners who are affected and who desire to make objection to the assessments.

Brooke and His Band.

The celebrated organization from Chicago which has in a couple of years won recognition everywhere as being the best band in the business for playing popular music, will be heard at Music Hall Thursday. This will prove to be a sensation, as the voice of the press everywhere shows that Conductor Brooke does much more than is ever expected of him. His name is now second to none, and no band is in more general demand.

A Sportsmen's Paradise.

T. H. Keller, the well known sporting man, has just returned from spending a few days with Neaf Apgar at Pine Point Club Hotel on Orange Lake, just back of Newburgh, N. Y. Mr. Keller says that Mr. Apgar has one of the finest hotels of its kind in the country. The surrounding country, he says, is prolific with game of all kinds. The fishing is excellent, too. Mr. Keller thinks that it is a regular sportsmen's paradise.

Considering Assault Case

The Union County Grand Jury is now considering the assault and battery charges brought against George Becker, William Hobbie and George Simon. It will be remembered that there was trouble between the three at Becker's house on Woodland avenue on February 13th last, and counter-charges were brought.

The Classis in Session.

The fall session of the Classis of Newark will be held today at Upper Montclair. Trinity Reformed and the German Reformed churches of this city are members and will be represented. Rev. Cornelius Schenck, PhD, and George L VanEmburgh will represent the Trinity Reformed church.

ANOTHER BUSINESS BLOCK.

TO BE BUILT BY W. M. STILLMAN.

The Site is the Babcock Lot Next to the Schepflin Block—Work to be Started at Once.

A handsome four story brick building is soon to be erected on the present vacant field at the corner of Madison avenue and West Front street, opposite the Jackson building. The site of the new building has long stood vacant although a desirable lot in the centre of the business section.

The property has just been purchased by William M. Stillman from the trustees of the Seventh-Day Baptist Church Memorial Board for a large consideration. The deal has been under consideration for some time but it has only now been consummated and the deed drawn up.

The property in question has a frontage of 116 feet on West Front street, running from Madison avenue to the Schepflin building. It extends back to Green brook a distance of about 300 feet, varying according to the widenings of the brook. The land in question is some of the most valuable in the city.

It is Mr. Stillman's intention to begin building operations at once. He will start work tomorrow on a four story brick building that will extend all along the West Front street side of the property. The ground floor will be divided into four stores and the upper floors will be made into twelve flats, all equipped with the latest modern improvements, including steam heating and electric lights.

The architect is William H. Clum, who has drawn up the design for a handsome building. Thos. J. McGann, Jr., contractor, has received the contract for making the excavation for tha cellar, to be 60z90 feet. The building will be completed on April 1st.

The property formerly belonged to the estate of the late George H. Babcock and was left by his will to the Memorial Board of the Seventh-Day Baptist church. The property was appraised by Assessor J. A. Hubbard and the late E. R. Pope at $16,000. There was no income from it and rather than pay the high taxes, the trustees of the Board decided to sell it to Mr. Stillman for a consideration equal to the appraisement.

GRAND REGENT PAID A VISIT.

A BIG TIME IN THE ROYAL ARCANUM.

Plainfield Council the Entertainers—Speeches and a General Good Time Enjoyed.

The members of Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum, enjoyed a visit last evening from Grand Regent Apgar, of Trenton, who was accompanied by a delegation of members from the Grand Council of New Jersey. There was a good attendance of the home council and the reception given to the visitors was a feature of more than passing notice. There was also present members from Greenbrook Council, in charge of Regent Davis.

The gathering was presided over by Regent Bullock, of Plainfield Council, and in his usual pleasant manner he led the host into an evening of great pleasure.

An admirable speech was made by the Grand Regent, who is an acknowledged orator. His remarks in the good of the order were practical and to the point. Other speeches were made by the visiting officers and the home council.

A feature was the appearance of an orchestra from Westfield, in charge of William C. Townsend, of this city. A number of up to-date selections were played, which were enjoyed by all. Mr. Pierson, of Plainfield Council, entertained the members with several selections on a grapaphone. There was another expert player on the same instrument present, and Mr. Pierson challenged his fellow-member to a contest to be held October 25th in the council rooms.

Following the speechmaking and music, refreshments were served by the entertainment committee of Plainfield Council, and thus a pleasant evening was brought to a close.

An Approaching Marriage.

Invitations have been issued by Rev. and Mrs. Clark Wright, of New York, for the marriage of their daughter, Miss Lillian May Wright, to Dr. Louis G. Newman, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Newman, of this city. The wedding will take place Tuesday evening, Oct. 26th, in the Union church, Forty-eighth street, near Broadway, New York.

For the Borough Primary School.

The Board of Education of North Plainfield has secured the basement of the German Reformed church, where the primary department of the school will meet in the future until other arrangements are made. This change will relieve the overcrowded condition of the school.

BIG SCANDAL BREWING.

An Anonymous Writer Who Assails Good Characters.

SOCIETY PEOPLE ARE CONCERNED.

A Prominent Woman is the Suspected One and it is Believed She is Involved in a Net Work of Evidence From Which a Public Retraction is Necessary.

Whispers are going forth of a scandal in the highest society circles of this city which is soon to appear before the public eye and involve several well-known people who are now looked upon as above reproach. Mutterings have been heard and gradually the facts are leaking out and are discussed over many a tea table. Unless a settlement is reached very soon, there will be an arrest for the violation of one of the laws of the United States and at the same time a civil suit begun.

For some time past, members of the leading society circles here have been the recipients of anonymous communications, most of which were derogatory to another member of the same family. One well-known citizen has received several of the same kind and at last compared notes with another and the hand-writing was found to be the same. There was no clue, however, to the identity of the writer and so the matter dropped until several weeks ago when the affair came to a crisis.

The daughter of a highly respectable family in this city left for boarding school. She had been attending school in this city. The day before she arrived at her destination, the principal of the school received an anonymous letter stating that the young woman who was to enter that institution had twice been expelled from Plainfield schools for stealing. The principal doubted the truth of the letter and immediately sent it to the father of the new pupil saying that he did not believe the charge. It might be stated here that the charge was utterly false.

The father of the young woman was properly indignant and determined to probe the case to the very bottom and learn, if possible, the perpetrator of the dastardly attempt to injure his daughter's character. His wife was equally anxious to discover the identity.

They consulted a reverend gentleman in this city about the matter and showed him the latter. Then the reverend gentleman went to his book case and produced a letter written in the same handwriting and to which was affixed the name of the writer. Fearing lest their judgment should be biased, an expert in chirography was next consulted and he expressed an opinion that there was no doubt but that the writer of both letters was one and the same person.

A prominent Plainfield lawyer was then called in and the situation explained to him. He now has the matter in charge and sensational developments may be expected any day. An attempt has been made to settle the matter without recourse to the courts and a public apology demanded. There have been several consultations of the interested parties but it is impossible to state at present the outcome of the affair.

The offence is a very serious one as the charge can be made before a United States Commissioner of using the mails for malicious purposes and sending anonymous communications through the mails. The penalty in case of conviction of such a charge is ten years in States Prison or $10,000 fine, or both. There would also be grounds for a civil suit on the grounds of slander.

Among the recipients of the anonymous communications are a well-known legal light in this city and a prominent New York business man who makes his home in this city.

MR. M'PHERSON'S FUNERAL.

Prominent Persons at the Services—Burial Beside His Children.

The funeral of former Senator John R. McPherson, of New Jersey, occurred yesterday afternoon from the family residence on Vermont avenue, Washington. Senators Sewell and Smith, of New Jersey, and several old friends and associates came from New Jersey to attend the services. Many well known public men were present.

The coffin, bound in black broadcloth, with silver mountings, bore a plate with the inscription: "John Roderick McPherson, May 1, 1832; October 8, 1897." On and about it were arranged many elaborate floral pieces.

The funeral service was conducted by Rev. Dr. Elliott, of Ascension church, after which the body was taken to Oak Hill cemetery, where it was buried beside Mr. McPherson's children.

FLEEING FROM HUNGER

Gold Hunters Leave Dawson and Return to Seattle.

MANY ARE NOW IN NEED

Fifty Discouraged Prospectors Turn Back at St. Michael's—Miners Vainly Awaiting the Arrival of Provisions.

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 12.—Several persons who have arrived on the Dalton trail from the Klondike, repeat the story of the scarcity of provisions and possible hunger and starvation with many persons there this Winter.

James Clark and C. A. Brown, who had been mining on Birch Creek, having left Dawson City Sept. 6, at noon, poled up the river to fifteen miles above Pelly River and there bought a horse and came in over the supposed Dalton Trail, making the trip in twenty-six days to Haines' Mission, arriving there on Sunday.

They left Dawson because of the scarcity of food. They report that the office of the Gold Commissioner had been entered by burglars a few days before, and about $4,000 taken. Mounted police had been trying to run down the thieves, but had been unsuccessful. Clark and Brown say that the people at Dawson were much excited over the failure of a steamboat to arrive from St. Michaels with food. The Hamilton was looked for daily. Dawson people did not know that the Hamilton had been caught on a sand bar and would not be able to reach them until Spring.

Clark says that he met hundreds of persons going to Dawson while he was coming out. He begged them to return, telling them that they would have to surrender their food, and starvation would be about the best they would get.

They asked him if there was gold at Dawson.

He said: "Yes, and plenty of it."

"That's all we want," they said, and continued on their journey. Clark and Brown are of the opinion that the Thorp party, which is trying to get into Dawson with several hundred head of cattle and horses will meet death on the Dalton trail. They passed the party several hundred miles up the trail. It had no food for the animals, and many of them had already died, and others were succumbing every day. The trip is one of the most dangerous at this time of the year in all Alaska. Thorp, the leader of the party of fifteen, does not seem to know the trail. On several occasions all were lost, and it was with difficulty that the trail was recovered.

Clark and Brown say that millions of dollars in gold will be taken out of the American side this Spring. They have several claims worth fortunes. New discoveries are being made all the time, but the scarcity of food has become a crisis.

Many were trying to get out of the country when these men left Dawson. The North American Company's store was closed, but the Alaska Commercial Company had a few sacks of flour, which were being dealt out to those who were already in need of food.

TO AVOID PROSECUTING REEDER.

District Attorney Fox Wishes to Withdraw from Wanamaker Case.

Easton, Pa., Oct. 12.—Before Judge Scott, James W. Fox, the District Attorney, presented a petition asking to be relieved of acting as District Attorney in the cases against Gen. Frank Reeder, Webster C. Weiss and Maurice Luckenbach, who are charged with conspiracy against John Wanamaker, and praying the Court to appoint a special District Attorney to conduct the cases. His petition said:

"By reason of the relations existing between your petitioner and the said Frank Reeder, your petitioner feels that it would be indelicate and improper for him to act as District Attorney in the trial of said cases."

Judge Scott will consider the matter for a few days. There has been no new development in the report that William Winsboro, one of the Commonwealth's witnesses, had gone to Europe, except that his brother-in-law, L. B. Camden, of Bangor, said to-day that Winsboro had intended going abroad on State business. Winsboro's absence will not be of any moment, unless he fails to be here when the case comes up for trial in November.

Catholics and Indians.

Washington, Oct. 12.—At the annual meeting of the Catholic Archbishops, which will be held in this city this week, and over which Cardinal Gibbons will preside, a new plan of administration of the Catholic Indian missions will be considered.

It is said that archbishops who have Indians in their archdioceses will themselves undertake their care and instruction, the same as they have always done in the case of orphans, so that the present Bureau of Indian Missions, as now constituted, which has been maintaining missions and schools for years, will be abolished.

Odd Campaign Scheme.

Brooklyn, Oct. 12.—This city had a novel feature in its political campaign last night.

The Republican ward organizations came to the Academy of Music meeting in behalf of Gen. Tracy in illuminated trolley cars. These cars were brilliantly lighted by electric globes and decorated with colors, and each carried a band which, on the way to the Academy, played popular music.

Over the Ocean in a Boat.

London, Oct. 12.—William Oldham, of Nottingham, proposes to cross the Atlantic in a steel boat ninety-nine inches long, twenty-six inches beam and forty-two inches deep. It will be propelled by a screw driven by a bicycle-like arrangement.

A sort of hood, that can be closed in rough weather, will completely protect the occupant. The boat will be provisioned for fifty days, in which time Oldham expects to reach New York.

Dominion After a Loan.

London, Oct. 12.—The Bank of Montreal has invited tenders for £2,000,000 ($10,000,000), 2½ per cent. inscribed stock, at not less than 91.

Of this amount £1,000,000 ($5,000,000) will be applied to paying off the floating debt of the Dominion.

TRACY TALKS OF LOW.

Blames Him for Cleveland's Election Over Blaine.

Brooklyn, Oct. 12.—Gen. Tracy, Republican candidate for the Mayoralty of Greater New York, addressed a large crowd here last night. Speaking of Seth Low's candidacy, he said:

"Ladies and Gentlemen—In this canvass I propose to have no personal controversy with candidates or their advocates. I respect the motives of men, and I do not impugn them. But I must deal with their actions and with the result of those actions as I see it and believe it to be.

"Mr. Low, in speaking here the other night of me, said that we were friends and had been. I have been Mr. Low's friend now for seventeen years. Others may have served him more wisely; none has been truer or more faithful to him than I. I was the one who made it possible for Mr. Low to be the Mayor of this city. He was renominated and re-elected, and was thus made Mayor for four years. He says that he regards the fact that he and I are now foes to each other as a tragedy in his life. Allow me to say that if Mr. Low's political action had always been as wise as my friendship has been faithful, he would have no occasion to consider this as one of the tragedies of his life.

"Mr. Low was Mayor of the city in 1884. In that great campaign, when the honored statesman, James G. Blaine, was nominated for President, Mr. Low was silent; no one knew what his position was, or what it was to be, until after the election, when he gave it out—and I have no doubt of the truthfulness of it—that he voted for Blaine. But everybody under him in his department, every friend of his here, supposed that he was against Mr. Blaine through all of the administration. It is undoubtedly true that James G. Blaine was defeated here in the city of Brooklyn. Mr. Low was a citizen here. Nobody asked him to use his influence as Mayor; but had Mr. Low, as a citizen, made it known that he cast his vote for James G. Blaine, Blaine would have been elected President, and the disaster that the country has suffered from the two Administrations of Grover Cleveland would never have happened."

LUETGERT TRIAL ENDS SUDDENLY.

The Case Will Probably Go to the Jury Saturday.

Chicago, Oct. 12.—The Luetgert trial came to a sudden and unexpected close yesterday.

Witnesses whom the defense had called in sur-rebuttal failed to respond when their names were called, and finally ex-Judge Vincent announced to the Court that the case of the defense was all in.

"We rest," concluded Luetgert's chief counsel. A sigh of relief was heard in the courtroom. After a brief consultation by the counsel in the case it was agreed to begin arguments to the jury in the afternoon.

Assistant State's Attorney McEwen opened. He will be followed by Attorney Phalen. Ex-Judge Vincent will close for the defense, and State's Attorney Deneen will close for the prosecution.

The case will go to the jury probably next Saturday night.

Luetgert as a Showman.

Chicago, Oct. 12.—Luetgert is planning to become a showman as soon as he is freed, which he has no doubt he will be. With the middle vat and the pack of Great Dane hounds he will make a tour of the country, and thus retrieve his lost fortune.

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As soon as the trial is over Mrs. William Charles will have a warrant issued for the arrest of Mrs. Veidt.

Owing to the failure of witnesses for the defense, the sur-rebuttal, which was begun this morning, was abruptly concluded at 11 o'clock, and a recess was taken. The argument began this afternoon. Assistant State's Attorney McEwen made the opening speech.

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20th Day of December
next, the names of the defaulters with their respective taxes, will be returned to the City Judge for prosecution. The Commissioners of Appeal in cases of taxation in and for the said City will meet at the Council Chamber, No. 109 Park avenue, Plainfield, N. J., on the
4th Tuesday of November
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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—A meeting of the Parliamentary Club will be held in the Y. M. C. A. Hall on Thursday morning at 10 o'clock.

—A. Kane has the contract for laying the curb and flagging on the Belvidere and Watchung avenue sides of the property of N. P. T. Finch.

A few weeks ago the editor was taken with a very severe cold that caused him to be in a most miserable condition. It was undoubtedly a bad case of la grippe and recognizing it as dangerous he took immediate steps to bring about a speedy cure. From the advertisement of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the many good recommendations included therein, we concluded to make a first trial of the medicine. To say that it was satisfactory in its results, is putting it very mildly, indeed. It acted like magic and the result was a speedy and permanent cure. We have no hesitancy in recommending this excellent Cough Remedy to anyone afflicted with a cough or cold in any form.—The Banner of Liberty, Libertytown, Maryland. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Elmer Neal, formerly of Plainfield, but now of Chicago, is visiting relatives in this city.

William Lawrence, of Sherman avenue, is improving from a recent accident he met with while playing football.

Those who believe chronic diarrhœa to be incurable should read what Mr. P. E. Grisham, of Gaars Mills, La., has to say on the subject, viz.: "I have been a sufferer from chronic diarrhœa ever since the war and have tried all kinds of medicines for it. At last I found a remedy that effected a cure and that was Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy." This medicine can always be depended upon for colic, cholera morbus, dysentery and diarrhœa. It is pleasant to take and never fails to affect a cure. 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Miss Brown, of Woodbridge, is the guest of Miss Pruden, of East Second street.

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A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Wakefield, of Somerset place, last Friday.

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Mrs. C. L. Goodrich, of West Seventh street, has returned after a visit with her parents at Montclair.

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James A. Stafford, of Grandview avenue, was the guest of Somerville friends on Saturday afternoon and Sunday.

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Phillip Suffren, of Linden avenue, has been visiting friends in Somerville.

Stands at the Head.

Aug. J. Bogel, the leading druggist of Shreveport, La., says: "Dr. King's New Discovery is the only thing that cures my cough, and it is the best seller I have." J. F. Campbell, merchant of Safford, Ariz., writes: "Dr. King's New Discovery is all that is claimed for it; it never fails, and is a sure cure for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I cannot say enough for its merits.' Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds is not an experiment. It has been tried for a quarter of a century, and to-day stands at the head. It never disappoints. Free trial bottles at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

SPECIAL CROP REPORT.

The Cereals Have Increased—Decline in Tobacco and Potatoes.

Washington, Oct. 12.—The October report of the statistician of the Department of Agriculture shows the average condition of corn on Oct. 1 to have been 77.1, as compared with 79.3 on Sept. 1, and 90.5 on Oct. 1, 1896, and 82.5 the average for the last ten years.

The preliminary estimate of the yield per acre of oats is 28.1 bushels, an increase of 3.8 bushels over the October estimate of last year. The average for quality is 87.6.

The average yield of wheat per acre will not be published pending the result of a special investigation of acreage and production now approaching completion.

The condition of tobacco shows a decline of 5.2 points during September. The tobacco reports vary greatly as between the different States, Pennsylvania and Maryland showing an improvement of 3 and 11 points respectively, while Virginia shows a decline of 2 points, North Carolina, 4; Tennessee, 11; Kentucky, 10; Ohio, 2; Indiana, 6, and Missouri, 6.

The condition of Irish potatoes has declined 5.1 points in the New England States. The decline ranges from 8 points in Massachusetts and Connecticut to 18 in New Hampshire and 21 in Maine. In New York and Pennsylvania it is 9 and 5 points respectively, and in Illinois, Iowa and Nebraska it is 6, 2 and 4 points respectively.

BAD JERSEY CHURCHMAN.

J. J. Kents, Prominent in Religious Circles, Accused of Embezzlement.

Trenton, N. J., Oct. 12.—Religious and Grand Army circles are deeply stirred over the sudden and unexpected disappearance of John J. Kents, who for years has been doing an apparently prosperous real estate and insurance business in this city.

Kents lived in good style on one of the principal streets in the city, took a leading part in all Grand Army matters, and was an active member of the First Methodist Church.

Kents, in his capacity as pension agent, secured a pension for Mrs. Koenig of $1,500. He borrowed $600 from her. She finally wrote to Wilkes Post, and Capt. E. C. Stahl succeeded in getting $200 for her in cash and a series of notes.

These were for $25 each. Three of these Kents paid off; the fourth one falls due on Oct. 21.

Mrs. Koenig said that when Kents owed $600 he wanted to compromise for $300, but she would not consent.

Kents' family deny that they know anything of his whereabouts. Detectives are trying to locate him.

TOOK PLUNDER FROM CARS.

Merchants of Dalton, Ga., Indicted for Collusion with Robbers.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Oct. 12.—Several well-known merchants of Dalton, Ga., have been indicted by the Grand Jury on the charge of receiving stolen goods. The indictment is a sequel to the recent discovery of a gang of thieves who for twelve years have robbed the Southern Railroad at Dalton. A coaling station, where all freight trains stop was the place the robbers entered the cars while the trainmen were assisting in taking on coal. Their custom was to throw freight, such as they wanted, generally coffee, tobacco, clothing or shoes, out of the cars before reaching Dalton. This was gathered up by members of the gang, and stored in their houses or barns until a convenient time for selling. For years the efforts of the road to run down the gang were futile. During this time it is estimated that they stole goods worth $100,000.

A few days ago the gang was caught by special detectives. The parties who were indicted for receiving the goods of the thieves are all leading merchants of Dalton, two being members of the town council.

MRS. ATKINSON'S TRIAL.

Refuting the Charge that She Signed Without Husband's Knowledge.

Wheeling, W. Va., Oct. 12.—It was quite late yesterday before the trial of the case of Mrs. Atkinson, wife of Gov. G. W. Atkinson, indicted for forging the name of her former husband, the late Judge G. D. Camden, was resumed. The testimony taken yesterday afternoon tended to refute the allegation of the prosecution that Mrs. Atkinson signed papers without her husband's knowledge. It also indicated that there was no effort on the part of Mrs. Atkinson to give H. D. Heator receipts for money he never had.

The statement that Mrs. Atkinson will refuse to accept pardon at the hands of her husband in case of conviction is denied by all parties connected with the case. A verdict is not expected before to-morrow.

A MISER WITH $61,000

Pretended She Was Starving While She had Money and Bonds.

Boston, Oct. 12.—A thorough search of the rooms of Mrs. Almira Perham, who died apparently penniless on April 21 at her home at the South End, has revealed over $61,000 scattered about in odd places. Of this sum $24,000 is in cash. Bills of all denominations were found in an old bustle. The rest of the $61,000 is in United States bonds. Much money was found in chairs, trunks and chests with false bottoms and in odd receptacles whose existence was not revealed until the walls themselves had been partially torn down.

Mrs. Perham gave her neighbors to understand that she was almost starving, and she often received presents of money and food from the charitable among them.

Japan Backing Out.

London, Oct. 12.—An official telegram received here from Yokohama says that Japan accepted the invitation to send a representative to the sealing conference to be held at Washington with the understanding that the whole sealing question is to be decided, and not simply the questions which are covered by the Paris award, Japan having no interest in the Pribyloff Islands.

Senator Tillman Ill.

Columbia, S. C., Oct. 12.—Senator Tillman is sick at the home of a friend in this city. He came here for medical treatment, and is said to have catarrh of the stomach.

THORN'S SECRET OUT

Guldensuppe's Head is Said to be in the Ocean.

DID THORN TELL OLARK?

Authorities Not Likely to Search for the Missing Part of the Murdered Man—Sufficient Evidence Without It.

New York, Oct. 12.—The head of William Guldensuppe is now said to be lying on the Fishing Banks, where it was thrown by a friend and confidant of Martin Thorn. This man, whose identity is known to District Attorneys Olcott and Youngs, hurled the plaster-incased head into the sea from the fishing boat J. B. Schuyler on July 21.

This was two weeks after the arrest of Thorn. The friend called on him in the Tombs on July 20, and it was then Thorn begged for assistance. The prisoner told the visitor he had hidden the head in the bushes near the cottage in Woodside, L. I., where the murder was committed; gave him an exact description of the spot; said he was fearful it would be found by the searchers and begged him to get it and put it some place where it was less likely to be discovered.

Thorn's friend did as he was asked, it is said, and returned a couple of days later and told the prisoner that he was safe, so far as the head was concerned. This so elated Thorn that he allowed his propensity to talk to get the better of him again and he told of the disposition of the head to Frank E. Clark, a fellow prisoner in the Tombs.

Clark first told his story to District Attorney Youngs, of Queens County, and the authorites here were informed later. Search was then begun for the man who had thrown the head into the water at Thorn's request. He is known and the prosecutors of the case know where to find him when he is wanted. It is said that no attempt will be made to recover the head, because District Attorneys Olcott and Youngs think they can conclusively establish the identity of the murdered man without it.

When Assistant District Attorney Mitchell, who conducted the examination of Clark in the Tombs last Tuesday, asked him to explain how Thorn came to tell him of his connection with the Guldensuppe murder, Clark replied:

"I did not try to gain any information from Thorn. I paid no attention to him, as I was very sick. Thorn aided in nursing me. Dr. Owen J. Ward, the Tombs physician, prescribed whisky and quinine for me. I used to get three or more doses a day. I did not drink all the whisky and one day Thorn asked me for a drink. I gave it to him, and he felt very grateful.

"After that I used to give the whisky I did not want to Thorn. The whisky made him talkative, and one day he voluntarily began to talk about his case. He asked me about Sing Sing Prison, where I had served a term. Then little by little he told me his entire story. It was the doctor's whisky which made him take me into his confidence.

"He told me that after he had placed the head in plaster of paris he carried it out of the house and threw it into some bushes, near the Woodside cottage. It was his intention to get the head away from there and throw it overboard. When he read in the newspapers of the finding of the other portions of the body he became alarmed and did not return to Woodside. He has not been there since."

ENGLAND'S GREAT STRIKE.

Other Trades May Be Called Out, Increasing the Strikers to 400,000.

London, Oct. 12.—A meeting of the Federated Trades Unions was held at Carlisle yesterday afternoon for the purpose of discussing the question of calling out all the men composing the unions represented on Oct. 15 to be in sympathy with the strike of the engineers.

If the question is decided in the affirmative it means the stoppage of thirty distinct industries, including the boilermakers, shipwrights, carpenters, plumbers, blacksmiths and pattern-makers, and the total number of men on strike will be increased to 400,000.

The meeting did not decide the main question of calling out the trades unionists, but resolved to appeal to Mr. C. T. Ritchie, president of the Board of Trade, to summon a conference under the Conciliation act of representatives of the Employers' Federation and the unions. This will delay the crisis for at least two weeks.

Don't Believe the Charges.

New York, Oct. 12.—A great deal of righteous indignation has been aroused among members of the Women's Home Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church, over the published statement that the affairs of the De Peyster Home for Orphan Girls, at Tivoli, are in a bad way. This institution is under the direct charge of the society, which maintains intimate relatons with the matron and the inmates.

The president of the society, Mrs. Anita B. Fisk, says: "The matron is a most consistent Christian woman and is tenderly disposed toward children, and not likely to inflict on them any unnecessary punishment. She is strict in her ideas of discipline, but not inclined to be barbarous.

Salvationists Barred.

Trenton, N. J., Oct. 12.—President Kittson, of the Board of Police Commissioners, has determined that the Salvation Army must keep off the streets of Trenton. He announces that he will have the members arrested as often as they attempt to worship there. This action has caused much adverse criticism. The preachers and friends of the army are clubbing together in a movement to determine whether or not the Police Commissioner is overstepping his authority.

Gen. Lee Ready to Return to Havana.

Washington, Oct. 12.—Gen. Fitzhugh Lee, who has been spending his leave of absence with his family at Covington, Va., called at the State Department. He told the officials there that after to-day he would again be at the command of the President and ready to return to Havana at once.

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PLAINFIELD, N. J., OCT. 12, 1897

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Rain This Afternoon or Tonight; Possibly Fair Wednesday; Slightly Cooler.

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 65 Degrees.

COMING EVENTS.

October 12—First and second year classes in mathematics at Y.M.C.A. at 7:45 p.m.
October 12—Meeting of Yale Club at Y.M.C.A.
October 12—Patroitic lecture of Major Reed at Washington Hall.
October 13—Bookkeeping and Commercial Course at the Y. M. C. A.
October 13—Anniversary of Junior Endeavorers at First Presbyterian church.
October 14—Borough Council meets to hear objectors to Watchung avenue report.
October 14—Meeting of Parliamentary Club at Y. M. C. A. Hall. 10 a. m.
October 14—Shorthand taught by George Weeks Sanford at the Y. M. C. A.
October 14—Advanced class in Mathematics at the Y. M. C. A
October 14—Recital at Vincent chapel by Prof. Barbour.
October 15—Borough Democratic primary in schoolhouse. 8 p. m.
October 25—William Blaikie at the Y. M. C. A. "How to Get Strong."
October 26—Entertainment Plainfield Mandolin and Guitar Club at Monroe Avenue church.

RAPID TRANSMISSION OF MAIL.

The introduction of pneumatic tube for the rapid transmission of mails from one point to another at almost lightning speed makes a new era in the postal history of this country. That the system will be a complete success when put into general use was shown the other day in New York when the experimental tube, running from the general postoffice to the Produce Exchange, worked to perfection on a trial. The advantages to the urban citizen can be seen at a glance, but it is a fact that its service will also be of inestimable value to the business men of the suburban territory. Under the present state of affairs a good deal of time is lost in the carriage of mail across the ferries to the New York postoffice, but with a pneumatic tube acting instead the mail could be sent from the postal train to the postoffice in a jiffy and vice versa. The time saved would be enough in many instances to allow business men of suburban towns like Plainfield to mail a letter in the afternoon and receive an answer the same day—something that cannot now be done.

MORE SHADE WANTED.

All good Jerseymen of this particular section know, of course, that New Brunswick politics are so shady that few good shadows are cast, but notwithstanding this popular knowledge the Women's Town Improvement Association of the old Dutch town are bound to have things still more shady—but it is to be the kind that is made by towering maples whose outspreading branches will give a rustic air to the town's thoroughfares. The women have agreed that the city should be beautified by the planting of trees along the sides of its streets, and to that end George street has been chosen for the experiment and will be set with numerous young maples encased in a neat box with the label of the society stamped thereon. It takes the New Brunswick women to show their voting superiors the bright side of municipal life.

The Spencer men say that the argument of some of the Republicans, that North Plainfield ought to be contented with one county office like a Senatorship, will not hold water. They instance the fact that Bridgewater township now has the Sheriff, County Clerk, County Collector, Surrogate and County Superintendent of Schools, and yet there is no kick coming from that direction. North Plainfield is conceded to be the backbone of the Somerset Republicans and the friends of Mr. Spencer insist that he is justly entitled to the nomination he seeks by virtue of all the things that control political parties.

During the last few weeks of her life the late Miss A. Kate Martine was ambitious that a handsome fountain should be established in the city park, and to that end she had interested many prominent and wealthy gentlemen. Now that she is gone, it is to be hoped that the result of her energies will not be dispelled by the lack of some other progressive woman to take up the subject and push it to a consummation. It has been suggested that it would be fitting in case the fountain is established to dedicate it to Miss Martine's memory.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Isaac P. Runyon took a business trip to Trenton, yesterday.

Mr. Ritchey, of New York, was in Plainfield on business yesterday.

Mrs. Crampton, of the West End, is visiting in Brooklyn for a few days.

E. P. Williams, of West Seventh street, has gone on a trip to Virginia.

Lawyer Powers, of Elizabeth, was in town yesterday on matters of business.

Albert Finch, of Belvidere avenue, is confined to his home with chills and fever.

Edward Petrie, of New York, spent Sunday with his mother on East Sixth street.

Edward F. Randolph, of West Front street, has recovered from a slight illness.

Robert Dryden, of Watchung avenue, is in Philadelphia today on business.

C. E. Hepburn, of East Second street, is entertaining his mother from Canada.

Miss VanBoskerck, of North avenue, entertained company from out of town over Sunday.

Ex-Assemblyman Jacob Klotz, of Somerville, was in the borough yesterday calling on friends.

Mrs. J. J. Henderson, of Rockview avenue, has been in Philadelphia the past week, visiting friends.

Mrs. Pfeiffer and Miss Elsa Pfeiffer, of Madison avenue, have returned from a visit in Washington.

Mrs. W. G. E. See and Chester See, of Jersey City, have been visiting Mrs. Stout, of East Front street.

Mrs. A. D. Pope, of Lincoln place, and Lawyer Fred Pope, were guests of Somerville relatives last Sunday.

Miss E. P. Williams and Miss Florence Williams, of West Seventh street, are visiting relatives in Chicago.

T. A. Ryerson and William Wyckoff, of New Brunswick, were guests of Plainfield friends Saturday and Sunday.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Endress, of West Front street, is brightened by the arrival of a baby girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Miller, of Madison avenue, have been guests at the home of Dudley Miller, of Orchard place.

Samuel A. Wallace, of Grove street, is in Baltimore, where he was called on account of the death of his brother-in-law.

Mrs. Hill, Mrs. Ross and Miss Ross, of New York, are guests at the home of Mrs. Alexander Ross, of West Seventh street.

Miss Grace E. Overton, of Rockview avenue, has gone to Boston, where she will study at the Emerson College of Oratory.

Robert L. Suffern, of Linden avenue, went to Poughkeepsie on Saturday to visit his sister, Miss Suffern, a student at Vassar College.

Robert Woodruff, of Westfield, and Mr. Doris, of Brooklyn, were the guests of A. Love, of this city, and other Plainfield friends, Sunday.

Mrs. Burton Sherborne-Jones, of this city, has returned home after a pleasant visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Oliver Mays, of Atlanta, Ga.

Harry C. Runyon returned yesterday from Centerville, Hunterdon county. Mrs. Runyon will remain there for a time to complete her vacation.

Fred Leland, of Central avenue, has returned from the Adirondack Mountains, where he has been stopping for his health, which is much better.

Frank Jones, of the Walter Scott Printing Machine Company, is in charge of the exhibit given by Mr. Scott at the Madison Square Garden, New York.

Cornelius Staats, of Newark, a member of the Essex county colored Republican committee, spent Sunday as the guest of W. A. Kline, of West Third street.

The funeral of Mrs. Ida Roberts, of New York, a former resident of this city, was held Sunday afternoon in Mt. Zion A. M. E. church, Rev. Wm. D. Johnson officiating.

Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Richardson, of Prospect avenue, returned yesterday afternoon from Boston, where they were called to attend the funeral of Mrs. Richardson's sister.

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ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Additional locals on page 3.

—The work of macadamizing Grant avenue is nearly completed.

—Fred Sandford, of Washington avenue, has purchased a new trotter.

—Mrs. W. G. Anderson, of Franklin place, is having her residence painted.

—Tommy Timbo has established another bootblacking stand in front of the City Hotel.

—Randolph Giles has accepted a position as driver for the United States Express Company.

—A meeting of the officers of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Trinity Reformed church will be held this evening.

—A movement has been started in this city by William Newcorn to form a lodge of the Beneficial Protective Order of Elks.

—A special session of the Great Council of Red Men will be held at Trenton on the 18th. The local tribes will be represented.

—An accident delayed the cars of the Plainfield Street Railway for ten minutes, at the Somerset street switch, yesterday afternoon.

—Rev. George Needham had charge of the meeting at the East Third Street mission Sunday night, and the service was a helpful one.

—The Woman's Parliamentary Club will hold its first meeting for the season on Thursday at 10 a. m. in the Y. M. C. A. hall, up stairs.

—The Ladies' Foreign Missionary Society of the First Presbyterian church will hold a meeting in the church parlors on Friday afternoon.

—The Ladies' Aid Society of the Park Avenue Baptist church will hold a meeting this afternoon at the residence of Mrs. C. A. Haynes, of First place.

—Miss Mae Trautmann, formerly of White's store, has accepted the position of cashier and bookkeeper at the Bard Cycle Company's store on North avenue.

—Post No. 73, G. A. R., will hold a camp-fire this evening, at which time the members of the Woman's Relief Corps and Sons of Veterans will be present.

—The Junior Christian Endeavor Society of the First Presbyterian church will hold its annual meeting tomorrow afternoon in the chapel of the church.

—A second new house is being erected on Mariners avenue, and it is expected that more new houses will be placed on the avenue before long.

—Miss Nellie Backer, an accomplished young woman from Whitehouse, has been secured by Putnam & DeGraw, the West Front street merchants, as a saleswoman.

—The fourth anniversary of the Junior Endeavor Society of the First Presbyterian church will be held in the chapel of that church on Wednesday afternoon.

—A convention echo meeting will be held at the Park Avenue Baptist church Friday evening under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society of that church.

—A meeting of the auditing committee of the Plainfield Board of Education will be held this evening to consider and audit the annual financial statement of the Board.

—The final meeting prior to the institution of Plainfield Senate, K. A. E. O., will be held in Red Men's hall tomorrow evening. The charter number of members has been secured.

—Alfred Streuli, of Arlington avenue and West Ninth street, will take possession of the Streuli homestead on Prospect avenue, and Evarts Tracy, who has been residing there, will move to New York and take up his residence in that city.

—Tableaux and readings from Jane Austen's "Emma" will be held in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue church on Monday evening, October 18th, at 8:15 o'clock, under the auspices of the Young Ladies' Mission Band of the church. There will be a sale of candy after the entertainment.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they do is tenfold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by druggists, price 75c per bottle.

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Hurt in the City Hotel.

J. A. Staats, proprietor of the Clark, went to Plainfield on Thursday night to attend the reopening of his brother-in-law's hotel. In some manner he accidentally fell on the floor and in doing so sprained one of his ankles quite seriously. He reached his home in this city yesterday morning, and immediately placed himself under the care of Dr. William F. Turner. Mr. Staats is improving as rapidly as can be expected, but will be detained at home several days.—Elizabeth Journal.

Teachers' Examinations.

At the last Somerset county teachers' examinations, October 1st and 2d, only sixteen applicants presented themselves, seven of whom were successful. Of the certificates granted one was of the first grade, four of the second grade, and two of the third grade. Two provisional certificates, or permits, were granted, while two other candidates will finish their examinations in February. Four failed.

Miss Lizzie Day, of Duer street, corner of Park place, who has been ill at the home of her brother, W. E. Day, 12 Vine street, is somewhat better today.

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The very finest tailor-made clothing in the world will be sold at retail for less than half the prices that other stores ask for inferior goods. As this is such a rare occurrence, we respectfully invite all intending purchasers of clothing to give their personal attention and call early, as the choicest goods will most naturally go first. The sheriff must be paid in cash and this elegant stock of fine clothing will consequently be sacrificed at an enormous loss. We will sell you fine fall and winter suits, fall and winter overcoats, ulsters, heavy-weight trousers, coats and vests, handsomely and elegantly made, equal to the best merchant tailor's work, for less than the actual cost of the labor in making these fine garments. Here is your opportunity to purchase a suit or overcoat for what the lining would cost at any tailoring establishment in the city. A few prices will tell the whole facts. Means a saving of 60 per cent. on every dollar spent. We deal only in reliable clothing, and will not undertake to sell one dollar's worth of clothing unless we know that what we sell will give the buyers as good wear as if he paid us what the garment was worth. Men's winter all-wool suits, sizes from 33 to 44, that are sold all over Plainfield at $7.50 and $8.00, are sold here at $3.75; if not satisfied with this suit in any way, bring it back and get your money. Men's fine clay-diagonal heavy-weight suits, silk-lined, worth $22.00, at $7.50. Men's satin lined dress suits in cutaway, worth $22.75, at $8.50. We offer 600 dark colored good suits in mixed cheviots and cassimers at $3 50, $4 50, $5.00 and $5.25, worth easily from $8.00 to $12 00. All wool men's pants at 85c. Heavy cheviots and cassimere pants at 95c, $1 10, $1.25 and $1.50, worth double. Fine double breasted heavy black cheviot suit handsomely made, at $5.25, that other stores ask $15 00 for. Elegant Prince Albert dress suits, very fine imported cloth, wholesale price $18.00 to $25.00, sale price $9.50, Extra fine dress pants, over one hundred styles in stripes and silk mixtures, neat checks and cords, $1.25, $1.50, $1.65, $1 90 and $2.25, worth from $3.75 to $5.50.

Bring this with you and if not shown everything here as advertised we will pay your car fare. Boys' neat double-breasted suits, all wool warranted, with double knee and double seat, $1,00, 1 25, 1.50, 1.75 and 2.24, worth three times as much. Men's fine covert cloth fall overcoats, in light and dark shades, silk-lined, worth $16.00, at $5.00, latest styles. Men's heavy diagonal fall overcoat, fine finish, worth 12.00 to 15.00, at $5.50. Men's fine black melton overcoat, blue or black, elegantly made, at $6 50, worth 12.00. Men's imported kersey overcoats silk lined. French facing, worth 22.00, at $8.25. Men's dress overcoats at $3 25, worth 10.00. Buy your overcoat now and you will save sixty cents on every dollar. Men's ulsters, dark blue, all wool, waterproof cloth, worth 18.00, at $6.50. Very fine ulsters at $5.50 and $6.50, worth double. A good ulster for drivers at $2.50 and $3.00, worth from 6.00 to 8.00. Extra fine dress suit for young men and boys, long pants, actually valued at 12 00 to 15.00, sale price at $4.50. Young men's single or double-breasted blue or black cheviot suit at $3.50, regular price 10.00. A good youth's suit at $2.50, worth 7.50. Bring anything back within fifteen days, that is not entirely satisfactory. Men's exta fine brown plaid suits at $3.50, $4.50 and $5.00, worth from $9.00 to 15 00. Men's winter bicycle suits at $2 00, $2.50 and $3, worth from 5.00 to 12.00. Remember, no other store in Plainfield can sell you such fine clothing for any less than three times these prices. We have over three thousand suits to choose from. All wool clay diagonal sack suit at $5.90, worth from 12.00 to 15.00. Over one thousand woolen knee pants from 15c to 60c. Everybody living within tweny-five miles of Plainfield should visit this great sheriff sale.

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M. WEINBERGER, Manager. Car fare paid to all out of town buyers. Don't miss this sale, it will pay you to come at once. Sale takes place rain or shine. Don't forget the place; it is 214 West Front Street, next door to Music Hall. Look for New York Clothing Co.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Miss Lizzie Hunt entertained company from New York last Sunday.

Miss Holmes, of Plainfield, was the guest of borough friends yesterday.

Mrs. John Dayton and Miss Eva Dayton spent yesterday with friends in town.

Mrs. DeWitt Smith, of Somerville, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Swackhamer.

C. H. Hand, of Plainfield, was in New Market yesterday looking after some real estate matters.

The Misses Smith and Mrs. Smith, of South Plainfield, called on friends in the borough yesterday.

Mrs. Edward Taylor and daughter, Miss May Taylor, have returned from their visit with friends at Boonton.

E. Brown, of North avenue, has moved to Newark. He was formerly superintendent of the Dunellen Brick Works.

Justice Storms, of New Market, gave judgment for the plaintiff yesterday in the case of Cole against Huff Bros.

Mr. and Mrs. James Voorhees, of Plainfield, and Mr. Moore, of New York, called on friends in New Market and Dunellen yesterday.

The repairs on the Presbyterian church organ are completed, and it sounds much better. The work of painting the building is progressing nicely.

Augustus Warden had a narrow escape last Sunday from being seriously burned while he was trying to capture a hive of bees. To perform the act he covered his face and neck with fine netting, and then went to the hive where he started a fire under the bees. He depended on an opening to furnish a sufficient amount of air to give the fire a good start, but the air failed to work properly and it blew the flames toward him. The flames caught the netting and in an instant the whole piece of netting was ablaze. Mr. Warden seemed to be helpless to release himself from the netting or the flames and had to wait until most of the netting was consumed before he could do anything. When the fire was put out an examination showed that Mr. Warden's neck and face were terribly burned, and he suffered great pain. He went to Dr. Brakeley's office where the doctor gave the proper treatment. Today Mr. Warden is much better but he still suffers intensely from the burns. It is needless to say that the bees made their escape.

SCOTCH PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

The fire department was called out at 9:30 o'clock last night in response to an alarm of fire coming from the home of Judge Clark. The engine company responded, but found their services not needed as the blaze only proved to be the chimney on fire,

FACTIONAL WAR IN MIDDLESEX.

Supporters and Opponents of John Kean Fighting Over Senatorial Candidate.

On the eve of holding the primaries the Republicans of Middlesex county are in the midst of a factional fight. It is current gossip that the supporters of John Kean in Middlesex County have made overtures to the Democratic leaders to trade off the Surrogate for the State Senator. The Republicans throughout the county who are opposed to Kean will make the hardest kind of a fight to defeat the alleged scheme.

The primaries will be held on Wednesday evening, and it is expected that the county convention will be held a week later in New Brunswick.

Catarrh in the head, that troublesome and disgusting disease, may be entirely cured by a thorough course of Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great blood purifier.

Hood's Pills cure nausea, sick headache, indigestion, biliousness. All druggists. 25c.

—There are now twenty-one patients at Muhlenberg Hospital, and the superintendent and nurses are kept very busy. There are, however, no critical cases among the number.

WESTFIELD.

The Westfield news will be found on the eighth page today.

ECHOES OF A CONVENTION

LOCAL ENDEAVORERS HEAR OF THE BIG MEETINGS HELD IN PATERSON.

The Spirit of the Mighty Gathering Harbored in the Delegates' Souls and They Gave Inspiring Talks of What They Heard.

The spirit of that mighty gathering of Christian Endeavorers, which has just come to an end at Paterson, has been felt all over the State. Last evening, Plainfield felt its awakening influence at the "Convention Echo" meeting, held in the small hall in the Y. M. C. A. building by the Christian Endeavor Society of the Trinity Reformed church.

E. E. Anthony acted as leader of the meeting and soon had the rest of the Endeavorers in a state of enthusiasm. The meeting opened with a stirring song of service led by Horace J. Martin. Then in a few words Mr. Anthony told of the party of three that had gone from that society and that the first speaker of the evening would be Miss Florence G. Hawkins, secretary of the local union.

Miss Hawkins told of the great treat that the convention was to all who attended, and said that so much happened in those three days that it was hard to select any one session to describe. She told of the Thursday night session at the Y. M. C. A. hall, when "Father Endeavor" Clark was present and made a wonderful address. It rained that night, but that did not dampen the enthusiasm of the Endeavorers who crowded the hall. After the opening song service, she said, Dr. French, who was presiding, was very much exercised over the fact that Dr. Clark was nowhere to be found. Messages were sent all over the hall, but he could not be found. At last he came marching up the aisle and was received by a grand Chautauqua salute by all the Endeavorers. He said it was the fourth convention he had attended during the week, and spoke of the New York and Pennsylvania conventions as being nearly as good as the New Jersey convention. He promised the Jersey Endeavorers front seats at the State convention at Nashville, Tenn., and at the international convention at London. The subject of his address was "Christian Endeavor Under Many Skies."

After the singing of "Blest Be the Tie," Horace J. Martin, the president of the society, made a few remarks. He said that there was so much to tell that he did not know where to begin. He described the meeting that had been held in the First Presbyterian church the same night that Dr. Clark had spoken. John Wilbur Chapman had addressed the meeting. Mr. Martin spoke of the sunrise meetings which had been held at 6:30 o'clock in this city last year, but were held at 7:30 o'clock in Paterson.

E. E. Anthony told a few of his impressions of the convention. Every address seemed to centre about Jesus. Dr. French's address, he said, was one of the most beautiful things he had ever heard. Mr. Anthony then spoke of the closing consecration meeting and how the plan was changed, the response being made individually instead of by counties. It was wonderfully impressive, he said. He told how young and old men and women rose over the hall and made their response. One case he cited was of a river thief who rose and told how he had been won over to the Lord Jesus Christ.

After prayer by Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph.D., Mr. Anthony asked all who would pray to the Lord to show them what work He had for them to do would please rise and the congregotion rose in a body.

TEMPERANCE AND BEER.

Former Prohibition Resort May Become a Summer Garden.

Much comment has been raised among the temperance advocates of Middlesex county by the announcement that the summer resort known as Boynton Beach has been purchased by Gottfried Krueger, the brewer, of Newark. For many years this resort has been maintained by Captain C.W. Boynton as a strictly temperance place, and it has been the favorite place for Sunday-schools to go for a day's outing.

It is understood that Mr. Krueger has acquired the resort with an idea of making it a summer beer garden. Those interested in the reported transfer of the park refuse to say anything regarding the matter.

For Better Roads.

The Somerset Board of Freeholders advertise for bids for macadamizing the roads from Somerville to the Liberty school house, 2 9-10 miles, and also for the road from Labaw's corner, near Harlingen, to Conover's corner, and a branch from Belle Mead creamery westerly to the road leading to Flagtown, a total distance of 4 36 100 miles. The applications for these roads have been pending for a long time.

John Smalley, of the borough, is now assisting N. B. Smalley at the latter's Somerset street meat market.

It Reflects Our Methods.

There are two notable points about the sale of

Henry's Electric Liniment

that are worth notice. First, we guarantee it. If it fails to give satisfaction in any respect your money will be cheerfully refunded. Second, it is a remedy that can be guaranteed; it would be folly to sell an inferior remedy that way.

The price is 25 cents. It cures bruises, strains, backache or deep seated pains anywhere.

Our proposition on this remedy applies to all the preparations we make. Our aim is to make satisfaction the basis of every transaction. We believe that such methods appeal to thinking people more than plausible promises of something for nothing; more than the use of schemes which in the end must prove a delusion.

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45 SOMERSET ST. TEL. 213 A.

ST. JOSEPH'S HOME OPENED

IT IS A SPLENDID AND LIBERAL IDEA.

Suggested and Carried Out by Rev. W. H. Miller—A Place to Educate for Household Duties.

An institution that is destined to fill a long felt want in Plainfield and the borough is now well under way on Manning avenue, in the borough. It is called St. Joseph's Home, and has been established for the purpose of assisting worthy and respectable girls who are looking for employment. The idea is one that originated with Father Miller, rector of St. Joseph's church, and he has, through the assistance of Mother Raymond, of Bordentown, been able to put his ideas to practical use.

The Home is an attractive one and provided with every convenience. On the first floor is to be found a neat and pleasant room which is used as an office where persons who are in search of good, respectable help, can obtain such. People are welcome at all times to call and inspect the Home. On the opposite side of the hall from the office is a pleasant dining-room, while on the upper floors are located the dormitories. These rooms are all that anyone could possibly desire. They are neat, clean and comfortable, and here girls of any faith or nationality, so long as they are respectable and worthy, can come and receive such help as it is in the power of those in charge to give.

Father Miller desires it to be understood that a girl on entering the place will not be questioned as regards her religion. She will be privileged to attend any church of her choice. The place is especially adapted to people who desire help and who like to call at a quiet place and consult about such matters. The Home will be conducted in a strictly first-class manner, and the girls who enter there will be taught how to cook, sew, and do lots of other things that are necessary for a good housekeeper to know.

NO TROLLEY RIGHT AWAY.

The Town Committee, After a Long Wrangle, Votes to Adjourn.

The vote of Chairman Peter Gulick, of the Bridgewater Township Committee, at a meeting yesterday, to consider the applications for a franchise between Somerville and Bound Brook, precludes all hope of a trolley road this season. The applications have been pending for four months, and so bitter has been the fight between the New York and Philadelphia Traction Company and the Brunswick Traction Company, that final action has been repeatedly delayed.

The law required that a company must obtain the consents of a majority of the property owners along the line. The New York and Philadelphia Traction Company yesterday presented consents for 2,000 more feet than was necessary. The Brunswick company did not have a sufficient number of feet. Three or four lawyer's appeared for each side and for hours they argued before the Committee. The latter held two or three private consultations, and after each the lawyers of the New York and Philadelphia Company continued to urge immediate action.

Finally a vote was taken on a motion to adjourn. William Hardgrove voted against delay and William Bartles voted for it. Chairman Gulick had the deciding vote and voted for delay, which was a victory for the Brunswick company.

Lawyer Charles Moffett is in Elizabeth today looking after some legal matters.

Armstrong Mulford and children, of East Fifth street, have moved to Brooklyn, where they will reside in the future. Mr. Mulford will still remain in business in Plainfield, and will commute.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

RANDOLPH'S
--DRUG STORE.--

A Pharmacy conducted in the interest of the People's Health. Nature's Wonderful gifts to alleviate the ills of life. Pharmacists having years of experience compound your needs. We solicit your continued confidence.

L. W. RANDOLPH, Prescription Druggist,
143 WEST FRONT STREET. TELEPHONE CALL 109.

—A meeting of the board of governors of the Park Club will be held this evening, when the standing committees will be announced.

—Do not fail to hear Miss Harris tonight, in her clever impersonations humorous selections and dialect stories. Y. M. C. A. hall, at 8 o'clock.

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players will find a complete line of Golf Goods at our Stores Prices always consistent with quality

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WANTS AND OFFERS.

FIRST-CLASS help and first-class places at the Swedish intelligence office, 23 Somerset place. s 23 tf

YOUNG lady wishes situation as copyist, insurance or law office. Address Y, care Press. 10 7 6

LOST—In Plainfield, Oct. 8, gold buckle and charm for watch fob. Liberal reward given if returned to 1060 Central avenue. 10 9 4

GIRL wanted for general housework. 63 Grove street.

BABCOCK BLOCK — Offices, flats and large room, for lodge or meetings. Elevator to all floors. 9 1 eod tf

TWO fine rooms to let with board, near Public Library; reasonable. Address Home, care Press. 10 7 eod 3

FOR SALE or to let, new 7 room house corner Richmond and Third streets. 9 23 eod tf

STRAWBERRY plants by 100 75c. or 1,000 $3; Lovett, Greenville and Brandywine. For sale by W.H. Rogers. Washingtonville, N. J. 10 11 tf

MILK for sale; 20 qts daily. Address V, care Press. 10 12 3

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 403 East Fifth street, 10 12 2

TO RENT—Small store, 12x24. 113 Madison avenue, near Front street. Rent $9. 10 12 3

WANTED—Two girls, cook and waitress; references required. Mrs. Samuel Townsend, 40 Myrtle avenue, North Plainfield. 10 12 tf

WANTED—Office boy; good reference. 197 North avenue. 10 12 tf

GIRL wanted for general housework. Apply at 14 Craig Place. 10 12 2

WANTED—German or Swedish girl for general housework. Apply 40 Westervelt Ave. 40 12 2

WANTED—A young girl for housework. Apply to Mrs. Berkhan, Watchung avenue, near Fairview.

BOY wanted in grocery store about 16 years. Address L. D., care Press.

LOST—Small black and white dog. Reward for return. 241 East Fourth street.

LOST—Last evening, a diamond finger ring. Liberal reward to finder at Press office.

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TRADE MAKERS:

Infants' Caps.

Pretty silk caps....25c
Fine embroidered caps....37c
Childrens' tams....25c
Boy's caps....25c

Dress Goods.

54 in Ladies' cloth....49c
32 " Fancy plaids....12c
50 " Granite cloth....47c
50 " Boucle cloth....69c
38 " Fancy suiting....25c
Send for samples.

Sale Corset Waists.

Childrens nazareth waists 25c kind, 13c

Men's Underwear.

Heavy wool shirts....29c
" Natural wool shirts....38c
Extra fine wool shirts $1 quality...69c

Men's Furnishings.

Good strong suspenders....13c pr
Fine colored half hose....10c "
Extra fine black " ....13c "
All linen collars....10c
50c neckwear....25c
Fine C. S. handkerchiefs....10c
" Cambric " 5c

Sale of Canton Flannel.

Fine unbleached canton....5c
Extra heavey " 8c
Fine domet flannel....5c
Colored outing " 6c

Sale of Lace Curtains.

Lot of odds and ends.
Were $1.25 and $2 pr, now....49c ea
50 in Lace curtains....98c pr
Fine " " ....$1.25 pr
Curtain nets....12c yd

Sale of Ladies' Winter Underwear.

Fine ribbed vests and pants....25c
Natural wool " " " 50c
Heavy fleeced " " " 48c

Sale of Hosiery.

Ladies' seamless hose....10c
" extra fine " 13c
25c quality " 18c

Sale of Corsets.

Satteen corsets, heavily boned..50c pr
White, black and drab.

Sale of Blankets.

10-4 Cotton Blankets 49c pair, white or grey.
10-4 Grey Wool Blankets....$1.15
10-4 All Wool Blankets....2.98
Fine Crib Blankets....1.37

Silk Sale.

36 in Lining Silks....39c
Piety fancy Waist Silks....69c
Silk Chiffon, all shades....69c yd

Ribbon Sale.

2,000 yards of fine fancy Silk Ribbon worth 50 and 60c, go for....19c yd

Ladies' and Misses' Overgaiters.

All wool....69 and 79c pr
Ladies' Bicycle Leggings....98c
Ladies' Golf Hose....35c pr

Sale of Turkish Towels

Unbleached Towels....7c ea
Heavy Unbleached Towels....10c ea
Fine Bleached Towels....13c ea
Extra Large " ....25c ea

Sale of Linens.

All Linen Crash....6c
All Linen Glass Toweling....8c
6 in Cream Damask....25c
Turkey red Linen....25c
Extra Heavy Damask Towels, tied fringe....25c
All Linen Dinner Napkins...$1.15 doz

Sale of Corset Covers.

Fine Corset Covers....9c ea
Trimmed " " ....19c "
Cambric " " ....
Lace trimmed....25c "
Ladies' fleeced lined Corset Covers ....25c ea

Sale of Childrens' Underwear.

White ribbed vest and pants
16 18 20 22 24 26 28
5 8 10 13 16 18 21 cents
Childrens' combination suits....25c

Sale of Wrappers.

Cambric wrappers....69c
Outing flannel wrappers....98c
Black brilliantine skirts....98c

Kid Gloves.

Fine Pique kid gloves, two clasp and four button....50c pair

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COL. WARING DECLINES.

Will Not Accept the George Nomination for Comptroller.

New York, Oct. 12.—Col. Waring was notified yesterday morning by the George men that he had been nominated for Comptroller by the Democracy of Thomas Jefferson. The notification was made at the Department of Street Cleaning shortly after Col. Waring came down to his office.

When asked by the reporters to-day if he would say whether he would accept or decline it, Col. Waring said:

"I have nothing to say at present. I thought I might be able to give my decision to-day. Now it will be impossible. I should like, however, to correct an evident misapprehension. I had no knowledge of this movement looking to my nomination until the whole scheme had gotten beyond recall."

Later, however, it was learned that Col. Waring will not accept the nomination. The Colonel will write a letter saying, in the friendliest terms, that he cannot see his way clear to accept. Col. Waring came to this conclusion when it was made clear to him that Charles S. Fairchild, the candidate for Comptroller of the Citizens' Union, will not retire. Col. Waring, his friends say, desired to accept the George nomination, but he also desired an indorsement by the Citizens' Union.

CONNECTICUT MAY TAX WHEELS.

Assessors in Doubt Whether to List Them Among the Vehicles.

Stamford, Ct., Oct. 12.—The new Board of Assessors in Connecticut are organizing to make out the lists of property liable to taxation, and the members are giving the proposal to tax bicycles a good deal of thought. Under the taxation laws of the State every vehicle valued at more than $25 must be taxed, but bicycles have never paid taxes. Last year several of the leading lawyers of the State who ride bicycles voluntarily included their bicycles in their lists, but the assessors struck the wheels off.

The wheelmen are now clamorous for better roads, and thousands of dollars have been spent on the highways because of their importunity. There seems to be a desire on the part of many that a special tax of $1 on each wheel shall be laid, the revenue to be spent in improving the roads. This plan would result in bringing in upward of $200,000, which, if spent on the country roads, would make a vast improvement in a few years. The wheelmen as a body, however, are opposed to the tax.

TREASURER ROBERTS' REPORT.

Assets on July 1, $874,764,377—Available Income, $363,173,825.

Washington, Oct. 12.—Mr. Ellis H. Roberts, Treasurer of the United States, reports to the Secretary of the Treasury that at the begining of the fiscal year 1896-1897, the total assets of the Treasury were $855,685,322, and that they increased within the year to $874,764,377. The total income available for the fiscal operations of the Government was $363,173,825. The expenditures amounted to $388,245,017, including $11,378,502 disbursed on account of bonds and fractional currency and $11,092,350 on the retirement of national bank notes. The net deficit in the year's transactions was $25,071,092.

The issue of paper currency, amounting to $374,848, was exceeded only once in the history of the Government, in 1892, and then only by a narrow margin. The redemption, amounting to $330,710,020, was also relatively heavy.

Employes Want an Injunction.

Chicago, Oct. 12.—The Street Car Men's Union applied to-day for an injunction against the Chicago City Railway Company. Ex-Judge Ambrose filed a bill which says that employees were discharged by the company because they were members of the union. The bill declares this to be contrary to law, and an order is asked restraining the company and its agents from discharging men for the reasons set forth.

Action on the part of the union was hastened when the Executive Committee learned that officials of the company were notifying the men to cease paying dues to the union.

Editor O'Sullivan Dead.

Boston, Oct. 12.—Word was received yesterday morning from Asheville, N. C., of the death of Jeremiah T. O'Sullivan, of Lawrence, Mass. The body will be taken home at once. Mr. O'Sullivan won the title of the "Original Free-Silver Man of Massachusetts" some weeks before the Democratic National Convention of 1896. He addressed the delegates at Chicago, nominating for the Vice-Presidency George Fred Williams. Mr. O'Sullivan was born in Lawrence in 1871. He attended the public schools in Lawrence and was graduated from the high school in 1888.

Irishmen Hiss Mr. Gladstone.

Dublin, Oct. 12.—The first General National Convention of the Irish Independent League, organized by John Redmond, M. P., the Parnellite leader, opened last evening in the Ancient Concert rooms here.

Eight hundred enthusiastic delegates packed the hall and actively participated in cheering vociferously every point in the speeches which met with their approval, and in jeering the names of Dillon, Healy and Davitt, as well as hissing the name of Mr. Gladstone when Mr. Redmond characterized him as "the Englishman who betrayed Ireland."

Vanderbilt in Bronze.

Nashville, Tenn., Oct. 12.—The bronze statue of Commodore Cornelius Vanderbilt, which for several months has stood in front of the Parthenon at the Tennessee Centennial Exposition grounds, was presented formally by the people of Nashville to Vanderbilt University yesterday. The exercises attending the presentation took place in the auditorium of the Exposition, which contained several thousand persons.

Adonis Dixey Insolvent.

Boston, Oct. 12.—Comedian Henry E. Dixey has filed a voluntary petition of insolvency in the Suffolk County Registry. The paper stated that he was not able to meet his bills, but it was accompanied by no schedule of assets and liabilities. Dixey has been in tight circumstances for some time, but hoped to be able to pull through. He has called a meeting of his creditors for Oct. 22, when his financial affairs will be canvassed.

Corporation Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the following Ordinance has been introduced before the Common Council, read the second time and ordered engrossed preparatory to its third reading, and that it is the intention of the Council to adopt the same.

J. T. MacMURRAY,
City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., Oct. 4th, 1897.

AN ORDINANCE

granting permission to the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company, its successors and assigns, to lay and maintain underground conduits cables, wires and manholes for electrical conductors in the city of Plainfield, New Jersey, to be used for telephone and telegraph purposes.

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company, its successors and assigns, be and it hereby is authorized and empowered to construct and maintain for the uses and purposes of its business aforesaid, a system of subways and underground conduits, including the necessary manholes and street openings, and lateral connections to property lines beneath the surface of the streets, avenues and other highways in the City of Plainfield, and to place, maintain and operate in said system of subways or underground conduits the wires, cables or other electrical conductors necessary for its said business; also to construct, maintain and operate for such purposes a system of electrical conductors in connection with the necessary poles for distribution from the electrical conductors to be placed in the subways or underground conduits herein before mentioned.

Section 2. And be it further ordained that the following streets, avenues and highways and parts thereof are hereby designated for the construction of the underground conduits of said Company to be opened only after the adoption of a resolution granting permission in each street:

Front street from the Esatern to the Western limits of the City.

Somerset street from the Nothern limits of the City to Front street.

Park avenue from Front street to Randolph road.

North avenue from Park avenue to Watchung avenue.

Watchung avenue from Front street to Kensington avenue.

East Fifth street and South avenue from Watchung avenue to Leland avenue.

Eighth street from Park avenue to Plainfield avenue.

Sixth street from Watchung avenue to Plainfield avenue.

Central avenue from Front street to Randolph road.

Fourth street from Watchung avenue to Plainfield avenue.

Liberty street from Front street to Eighth street.

Washington avenue from Front street to the Northern limits of the City;

and all other streets, avenues and highways of said City as may be necessary and from time to time designated in permits to be issued by the Street Committee for the construction of such conduits; said Company may on the same streets, avenues and parts thereof erect the necessary poles fixtures and supports for distributing its electrical conductors along, across and above the surface of the streets in connection with said subways; said poles shall be placed inside and within eighteen (18) inches of and adjacent to the curb line; said cables shall in all cases be placed under the carriage-way and within five (5) feet of the curb line, unless constructions make it necessary to go further from the curb line, and then only after written permission has been given by the Committee on streets and sewers, and shall be placed at least eighteen (18) inches below the surface of the street.

Section 3. And be it further ordained that the said manholes shall be located beneath the surface of the streets at such points along the line of the subways or underground conduits as may be necessary or convenient for placing and operating the electrical conductors which the said Company may from time to time place in said subways or underground conduits, and shall be so constructed as not to interfere with the passage of the public over and along the said streets; and the said Company shall restore any street or avenue which may be disturbed in the construction or maintenance of said subways or conduits and manholes to the condition in which it was at the commencement of the work thereon and free from any cost or expense whatever to the City of Plainfield. And the said Company and its servants and employes in the laying of any wires or conduits, in excavating or replacing the earth in any street, alley or public place, and of the pavement thereon, shall be under the supervision of the Street Commissioner, and shall promptly comply with any order of said Commissioner in reference thereto.

The earth removed in making any excavation shall be restored, and the pavement taken up shall be relaid by the said company in as good condition as before the making of such excavation or taking up of such pavement, and thereafter shall be maintained in as good condition as the surrounding pavement, until such street, avenue or highway in each case shall be repaved by the City. No street, avenue, alley or public place shall be incumbered for a longer period than shall be necessary to execute the work for which the excavation is made. The cost of restoring the earth or otherwise, arising from such excavations, and the laying of pavements and repairs thereto, caused by the opening of any such avenue, street, alley or public place, shall be paid by said Company, and said work shall be done under the supervision of the Street Commissioner.

In case the company shall fail to restore, relay or repair any pavement or street surface within 48 hours after receiving notice from the Street Commissioner that such work is required, said Street Commissioner shall have the right to cause such work to be done, and the cost thereof shall be paid by the Company.

Section 4. And be it further ordained that said Company shall indemnify the Common Council of the City of Plainfield against and assume all liability and damages which may at any time arise, come or occur to said City, from any injury to persons or property from the doing of any work herein mentioned, or from the neglect of the Company or its employes to comply with the provisions of any ordinance of the City relative to the use of streets or other public places, especially as to the putting up of lights or barriers at or around excavations; and the acceptance by the Company of this ordinance shall be an agreement by it to pay to the Common Council of Plainfield any sum of money for which the City may become liable from or by reason of such injury and damage.

Section 5. And be it further ordained that said Company shall file with the Mayor or City Clerk its acceptance of this ordinance within twenty (20) days from the date when such ordinance shall take effect, and shall also file with the City Treasurer a satisfactory bond with sureties approved by the Mayor in the sum of Three Thousand Dollars ($3,000.) that it will faithfully comply with and perform all of the terms and conditions of this ordinance.

Section 6. And be it further ordained that the said The New York and New Jersey Telephone Company shall provide sufficient space in said subways or underground conduits to accommodate the telegraph or telephone wires or conductors operated from time to time by the Police, Fire and other Departments of the City of Plainfield.

Section 7. And be it further ordained that said Company shall pay into the City Treasury all advertising and printing fees incurred by the City under this ordinance, and that this ordinance shall take effect immediately.

DR. DECKER'S SHAKE NO MORE
CURES MALARIA
8 28 3m eod

Amnestied by Weyler.

Madrid, Oct. 12.—A dispatch from Havana says that Gen. Weyler, the deposed Captain-General of Cuba, has signed an extensive amnesty decree, which includes in its operation nearly all the Cubans who have been deported from the island.

Big Drought Broken.

Chicago, Oct. 12.—Rain which fell throughout Illinois and the West today marked the end of the long drought that has for months harassed the farmers of twenty of the corn-producing or cattle-raising States.

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is 1 dozen Thin Blown Tumblers for 43 cents, regular price 69c. The famous Purity Oil, none equal to it, only $3.98. Prime Heaters, no wick, $6 and $8. Parlor and Cook stoves, all kinds, prices the lowest.

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Instead of the maid being mistress, we have made it possible for the mistress herself to be mistress.
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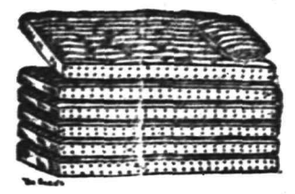

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PLAINFIELD AND NEW YORK.

Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 7 58, 8 00, 8 30, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a. m.; 12 02, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 9 15, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday, 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 10, 11 16 a. m.; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 22 p. m.

Leave New York, foot Liberty street, at 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00 a. m.; 12 00 m., (12 45 and 1 00 Saturdays only) 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, (3 45 and 4 00 Saturdays) 4 30, 5 00, (5 15 except Saturdays) 5 30, 5 45, (6 00 except Saturdays) 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45 p. m.; 12 15, 1 00 night. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00, 9 00, 9 15 a. m.; 12 m.; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00 p. m.; 12 15 night; 1 00 a. m.

Leave New York from Whitehall street at 7 00, 7 55, 8 25, 8 55, 9 55, 11 55 a. m., (12 45 Saturdays only) 1 00, 1 25, 2 25, 3 25, 3 55, 4 25, 4 55, 5 25 (5 55 except Saturdays) 6 25, 6 55, 7 50, 8 25, 9 10, 9 55, 11 30 p. m., 12 10 night. Sundays—At 7 00, 8 55 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 2 30, 3 55, 5 25, 6 55, 7 25, 8 25, 9 50 p. m., 12 10 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 50, 8 00, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 01, 52, 10 08, 11 16 a. m.; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 18, 7 55, 8 38, 9 03, 10 05 a. m.; 12 10, 1 15, 1 35, 2 35, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 38, 6 40, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 05 p. m. Sunday, 7 15, 9 05, 9 30, 10 35 a. m.; 1 10, 1 55, 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 20, 10 20 p. m.

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PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 09 a. m. 1 01, (1 40, Saturdays only) 2 11, 2 32, 3 35, 4 36, 5 05, 5 15, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 16, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p. m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 06, 9 05, a. m.; 2 03, 3 39, 6 35, 8 30, 10 15, 11 14 p. m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35, 8 05, 9 02, 9 48, 11 45, a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05, 2 25, 4 25, 5 28, 6 08, 6 40, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a. m; 12 05, 1 20, 5 15, 6 35, 7 55, 8 05, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a. m., 1 01, 2 11, 4 55, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 9 05 a. m; 2 09 6 35 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a. m; 12 32, 4 05, 7 00, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 52 a. m; 6 30 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 9 54 a. m; 5 03, 5 15 p. m

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For staticns to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 15 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Mantcoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, & c with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

1 01 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for station on D., L. & W. R. R.

2 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, MauchChunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

4 55 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Scranton, Wilkesbarre, Tamaqua, Shamokin, (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

5 05 and 5 15 p. m., way or Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 38 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

1 05 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

9 05 a. m. Sundays for Easton.

1 09 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 05 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

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Gen. Blanco Says He Will Act With Great Energy.

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Believed There that Pleas for Delay Will Be Made by the Sagasta Ministry in Dealing with the United States.

Madrid, Spain, Oct. 12.—Gen. Ramon Blanco, the new Captain-General of Cuba, announces that he will act with great energy against the insurgents, and will employ all political means to restore equality of treatment in the various sections of the community. The Captain-General adds that he has the greatest desire to end the horrors of war, and to establish peace by the system which he adopted in 1879.

Many of the inhabitants of Palma, the capital of the island of Majorca, have decided to hold a grand demonstration, welcoming Gen. Weyler to his native place upon his return to Spain.

Gen. Blanco will sail for Havana today. Gen. Weyler will return to Spain immediately. His second in command, Marquis Ahumada, has resigned. Therefore Castellanos commands ad interim.

No Definite Policy For Cuba.

Washington, Oct. 12.—It is understood that the State Department is going over with Gen. Lee and Mr. Hannis Taylor, former Minister to Spain, the effect of the recent Cabinet changes, the result of Gen. Weyler's withdrawal and his succession by Gen. Blanco, and other new phases developed by the accession of Sagasta.

The escape of Miss Cisneros from a Havana prison through the alleged efforts of Americans has been talked over also, the prevailing view being that it will not lead to an international complication.

Mr. Taylor will not discuss the present situation at Madrid. He is engaged, however, in writing a review of the political, economic and diplomatic phases of the Cuban problem, with his own views, drawn from experience at Madrid, and refuses to make any comment in advance of his carefully prepared review of the case.

The talks of Administration officials with Mr. Taylor and Gen. Lee have given an accurate view of the situation both at Havana and Madrid resulting from the change of the Spanish Cabinet and policy. There is good reason to believe that the view communicated to the State Department is that the accession of Sagasta means a Fabian policy of delay, not only for the present, but for many weeks to come, but no definite policy for Cuba will be announced for some time.

How Miss Cisneros Escaped.

New York, Oct. 12.—The manner in which Evangelina Cosio y Cisneros escaped from the Cuban prison in which Gen. Weyler had consigned her is no less interesting than the escape itself.

The young girl who had the courage to defy Weyler's favorite officer and later the Butcher himself was quick to see a chance to escape when the opportunity came. She communicated with friends outside and to them made known her plan of escape.

Miss Evangelina studied the situation carefully, and then made her arrangements to get away from the prison. The plan followed by her she laid out herself, and all those who helped her had to do was to follow her instructions.

And this is the way she planned it in a note sent to those outside who were to aid her:

"To escape by the roof with the aid of a rope, descending by the front of the house at a given hour and signal. For this I require acids to destroy the bars of the windows, and opium or morphine so as to set to sleep my companions. The best way to use it is in sweets, and thus I can also set to sleep the vigilants.

Three of you come and stand at the corners. A lighted cigar will be the signal of alarm, for which I may have to delay, and a white handkerchief will be the agreed signal by which I may safely descend. I will only bring with me the necessary clothes tied around my waist."

That plan, outlined by the young woman, was followed almost to the letter. When she had weakened the bars of the window in her cell she gave the signal that all was ready. She slid down the rope that dangled from her cell to the ground.

Once there she was hurried away to a secret hiding-place, from which she embarked on a steamer for the United States.

Miss Cisneros in New York.

New York, Oct. 12.—Miss Evangelina Cisneros, the young Cuban girl who escaped from Casa de Recojidas, in Cuba, where she was held a prisoner of war, arrived here yesterday afternoon on the Ward line steamship Concho in disguise. She was taken immediately to the offices of the Cuban Junta in New York. There she related all about her experiences with Weyler and his men, all of which has been published at great length for the past month. Miss Cisneros appeared to be in good health, and was jubilant over her escape.

Serious Riot in Rome.

Rome, Oct. 12.—A large procession of tradesmen, headed by the Pro-Syndic of Rome and the president of the Chamber of Commerce, marched to the office of the Minister of the Interior last evening to protest against and confer with the Government regarding the increased taxation.

A large crwod of people had collected around the Ministry, angry shouts were heard, and some of those present tore up paving stones and otherwise assumed a very threatening attitude.

This caused the police to make an attempt to disperse the violent portion of the crowd, and in the conflict which followed six policemen were injured and one rioter was killed.

New Turkish Minister.

Washington, Oct. 12.—The State Department has received word that Ali Ferouck Bey has been appointed Turkish Minister to the United States, to succeed Mustapha Bey.

The new Minister studied in Paris for five years, and for two years was Secretary of Legation at London.

WESTFIELD

VARIOUS BITS OF NEWS.

WESTFIELD HAPPENINGS SERVED UP TERSELY FOR THE PRESS.

Many People Go and Come in the Pretty Suburban Town—Items Interesting Because of Their Brevity

The Foresters held a meeting last evening.

William Bussing is dangerously ill at his home on Park street.

Upchurch Lodge, A. O. U. W., will hold a meeting this evening.

Westfield Conclave, Improved Order of Heptasophs, will hold a meetin Masonic Hall.

The trustees of Fairview cemetery held a meeting in the Public Library rooms last evening,

District Deputy W. M. Stamets paid a fraternal visit last night to Plainfield Lodge, No. 44, I O. O. F.

Mr. and Mrs. James T. Pierson, of North Broad street, have been entertaining relatives from Plainfield.

The Westfield Star football team will play the Dunellen Juniors on the North Broad street grounds Saturday.

The Westfield Club football team is now first in the Journal League, it being the only team that has not yet met defeat.

Mrs. E. R Collins and Miss Julia Folsom left today for Trenton where they will attend the W. C. T. U. State convention.

The I. O. S. will hold a progressive heart party at the residence of R. V. Hoffman, on Mountain avenue, Friday, the 22nd.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist church holds a meeting in the church parlor tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Herbert Buchanan left today for his home in Philadelphia, after a visit of several months with his sister, Mrs. Mrs. Andrew A. Smith,

The Westfield Club football team will play the Rahway team a game in the Journal trophy series on the North Broad street grounds on Saturday.

Paid $15 Instead of Going to Jail

Edward Cober, of Wilson avenue, engaged in a fracas last evening with Gustave Sutterlein, of Greenbrook road, and the result was that the latter's head was severely cut. Sutterlein claimed that Cober struck him with something, while Cober says that Sutterlein stumbled and fell over a box of beer. The affair was at the place formerly conducted by Mr. Sutterlein. The latter's injuries were so painful that he went to Dr Mattison's store where he had his wounds dressed. Later Mr. Sutterlein had a warrant issued for the arrest of Cober, and at 10 o'clock Chief Marshal Wilson arrested him at the Arlington Hotel This morning he was fined $15 or sixty days. He paid his fine and was released.

The Organized Aid.

At the meeting of the executive committee of the Organized Aid Association last evening committees were appointed to arrange for the annual public meeting. It is planned to hold the meeting in about three weeks in the Crescent Avenue chapel. A prominent feature of the meeting will be an address on the administration of public charities by a speaker who has made the subject a special study.

—Major R. M. J. Reed, of Philadelphia, will deliver a public patriotic lecture in Washington hall this evening.

—Mrs. Mary Reading, of Race street, who was arrested Sunday for being drunk and disorderly, failed to pay her fine yesterday and was committed to the Somerville Jail for thirty days.

SPORTS

Sun Rises: 6: 8 a. m.
Sun Sets: 5:25 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be lighted at 6:25 p. m.

GOSSIP FROM GRIDIRON.

HAPPENINGS AMONG THE LOCAL FOOTBALL PLAYERS.

Games That are to be Played and Points About Teams and Individual Players That May Prove Interesting to Cranks.

The Dunellen Juniors defeated the Westfield Stars at Dunellen, Saturday, by a score of 12 to 4.

The Alis team played its first game Saturday afternoon at Scotch Plains, and won after a fierce struggle by a score of 8 to 0.

The Alis football eleven played its first game of the season on Saturday morning at Westfield. They played a tie game with the Westfield Junior team, the score being 0 to 0.

Saturday's game between the Plainfield A. A. and the Murray Hill A. C. showed the need of more team practice on the part of the home team. Regular practice was held last evening and the team got down to solid work. Practice will be held on Wednesday and Friday evenings.

STRIKES AND SPARES.

The alleys at the Y. M. C. A. building will soon be opened with several improvements. There will be a pin boy at the alleys on three nights a week who can be hired for 5 cents a game. On the other nights the members will be free to use the alleys as they wish.

The Central Journal Bowling League will soon be resurrected from its summer lethargy and started up for the winter. It is very probable that the Park Club will be again represented in the contest by a five-men team, and that the team will go about the tournament in a more systematic way than last year. Last year the club made a fine showing at the start, but the interest dropped and the bowlers never practiced for the games, so when the exciting contests that wound up the League came, they were unable to make as good a showing as they should have.

AMONG THE STEPPERS.

Next Saturday afternoon at the Woodbridge Driving Park a great programme will be offered for all lovers of good trotting, and on the following Saturday the same programme will be presented at the Gentlemen's Driving Park Association in this city. There will be four races divided as follows:

2:25 Class—T. Brantingham's "Mytle Twig," Woodbrook Stock Farm's "Barney Williams," W. Brock's "Active," of Plainfield: S. Kelly's "Vesta," of Woodbridge: E. Walter's "Breastplate," of Perth Amboy.

2:30 Class—Judge Coddington's "Belle," D. Darby's "Sunday," of Plainfield: S. Hall's "Alfra D," of Perth Amboy: C. A. Campbell's "Clay Girl," of Woodbridge.

2:32 Class—B. Carpenter's "Joe Boy," E. Ames' "Gen. Benham," of Woodbridge: J. Brown's "Roy," D. Crowell's "Richard Wilkes," of Rahway.

2:37 Class—Woodbrook Stock Farm's "Rocky B," N. Smalley, of Plainfield: D. Demerest's "Gold Dust," of Woodbridge: L. Jardax's "Mox," of Rahway: H. Gynnette's "Daisy M," of Plainfield.

VARIOUS SPORTS.

Yale's crack freshmen crew of last year has greatly strengthened the rush line by the addition of such well-developed youngsters as McGee, Allen and Schweppe. These men are doing excellent work on the line. McGee weighing a trifle over 170, is playing a clever game at guard, and Allen, with considerable more weight, is doing well at tackle. On the end, Schweppe is invaluable, and is perhaps the most promising of the aquatic trio.—Evening Journal.

CYCLING COMMENT.

John King, Daniel Guinee and Thomas Muldowney took a bicycle run to New Brunswick and return yesterday.

Frank Eick, of East Third street, was a guest of the Century Wheelmen at their New York clubhouse one evening last week. He was given a very cordial reception and found the clubhouse a model one.

TO CELEBRATE AN ANNIVERSARY.

Committee of Arrangments Appointed by Queen City Lodge.

Queen City Lodge, No. 226, I.O.O.F., will celebrate its anniversary right royally in a short time. The day set for the celebration is October 25th. The programme will be somewhat different from the ordinary. There will be no long addresses, no addresses of any kind, in fact, for professional entertainers have been secured for the occasion and the guests of the lodge are to be given a delightful evening for body as well as mind. The committee in charge is C. I. Young, J. B. Higgins, G. Thorn, Charles DeGraw and Louis DeCamp.

A meeting of the lodge was held last evening and the coming anniversary was discussed. After the lodge meeting, however, the committee held a meeting and completed their arrangements for the occasion. The anniversary will be held in Washington Hall and the invitations will be so arranged that everybody will have a seat.

ATTACKED IN A SALOON.

An Elizabeth Detective Receives Serious Injuries at the Hands of Two Men.

George Navallo, a special detective, was attacked last night in an Italian saloon on Third avenue, Elizabeth, by Charles Wood and Philip Dunn.

Navallo's jaw was broken and his face badly cut and bruised by blows from billiard cues and cuspidors. The interior of the saloon was wrecked, and several men were badly injured in the general melee which followed. Navallo was taken to the General Hospital, and Wood and Dunn were arrested. Navallo may die.

—Additional locals on third page.

—One of the classes of the North Plainfield Public School was to have enjoyed a ride in a stage to Springfield this afternoon, but owing to the weather the trip was postponed.

CORBETT CLAIMS CHAMPIONSHIP.

New York World Transfers Laurels from Bob to Jim.

New York, Oct. 12.—The New York World has taken the pugilistic championsnip from Fitzsimmons, who supposed he held it, and given the bauble to Corbett. The transfer was made today, and in this language, Corbett evidently concurring:

"According to precedent in pugilism a champion must either accept a challenge—if one is issued to him—within six months after the challenge is issued, or else he forfeits the championship. It is over six months since Fitzsimmons was first challenged by Corbett to fight again for $10,000 a side and the championship and as he has made the sporting public weary by his numerous announcements of retirement, he is therefore regarded as a 'good, old has-been.'

"Corbett was never accused of being afraid to defend the title, and now that he regains the title again by the retirement of Fitzsimmons he will no doubt be ready to fight any one who issues a challenge to him and secures backing for $5,000 or $10,000 a side, sooner than listen to the same sarcastic remarks which sporting men passed about Fitzsimmons. The American public is anxious to see Corbett regain his lost laurels in the ring, and the chances are that if he comes out with a statement to the effect that he will fight any man in the world for the championship, he will make a great hit."

WE desire to notify our former patrons that we have disposed of our business to the BARD CYCLE COMPANY. Our books will be with them during this month and we wish to have all accounts closed at an early date.

Plainfield Cycle and Sporting Goods Co.,
147-149 NORTH AVENUE.

Of Local Interest.

The Information Supplied by This Barber Will Prove of Inestimable Value In This Vicinity.

When the striped pole or sign which now indicates a barber shop, was employed to let the public know where cupping or blood letting was professionally performed, close shaves were a daily occurrence, not the easy removal of the hirsuit or hairy adornment of the head and face, but close shaves from entering eternity. More than one unfortunate entered the barber-surgeon's doorway to leave it a corpse or so weak that it required weeks to get the victim of malpractice on his feet, blood letting was used for everything from a heartache to a corn, and a pain in the loins was invariably treated with two incisions, one on each side of the spine, like plasters and liniments those helped from the counter irritation they created, and we may presume that had Mr. Silzer, Barber, of 22 Hiram street, New Brunswick, N.J., lived in the time of George III, of England, in place of taking the course he did a short time ago with his back, blood-letting would have been resorted to. Read how he treated his troubles. Mr. Silzer said: "I had no doubt but that my trouble aroused from my kidneys, for the pain centered in the small of my back. It was very sore in that locality. It hurt me to stand on my feet, especially so on Saturdays, my busy day. An occasional griping pain passed through the abdomen to the groin. I went for a box of Doan's Kidney Pills and procured them from a drug store to see if they would relieve me from the pain. Well, that is just what they did and they did it in short order. I cannot help but recommend Doan's Kidney Pills, they did all that I could expect and all that is claimed for them."

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BEATEN BECAUSE HE WAS HAPPY.

Somerville Hotel Man Said to Have Brutally Whipped a Half-witted Boy.

It is currently reported that an indictment has been found against George Schenck, chief of the fire department and proprietor of the Ten Eyck House, the leading hotel of Somerville, for assault and battery.

On Monday an organ-grinder stopped in front of Schenck's hotel, on Main street, and was grinding out some lively tunes when "Johnny" Carrigan, a harmless, half-witted young man, began dancing on the sidewalk and a crowd gathered. When Schenck appeared he was angered at the antics of Garrigan, and the bystanders say he struck Garrigan a blow on the neck that knocked him down, and then kicked him after he was lying on the sidewalk. The crowd was indignant at this act, and they induced Garrigan to make a complaint against Schenck. The first Justice appealed to refused to issue a warrant without a more careful examination of the evidence. Justice Kitchen finally issued a warrant and Schenck was arrested and bound over to appear before the Grand Jury. Fifteen witnesses appeared before that body against Schenck, who had previously been one of the most popular men in the town. He will probably be tried at the present term of court.

Oak Dining Tables, $4.50 up.
Oak Sideboards, $9 up.
Oak Dining Chairs, 95c. each up.

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New Bicycle Corset!
Also well adapted for wear during all healthful exercises.
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210 WEST FRONT ST.
WE GIVE MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE COUPONS.
Men's working shirts - 25, 39, and 50c. Special line of linen crash from - 5c up.
New line of Fall Teck and four-in-hand ties. New outing flannels at 5, 8 and 10c yard.

YOU!!

And everybody else who want to get a pair of good wearing, stylish FINE SHOES at the LOWEST PRICE you have ever heard of, ought to come and see our new Fall and Winter stock. The manufacturers have really outdone themselves this season in every respect, and we can positively give our patrons the best value ever. Oh! you ought to just see what an elegant fine shoe we can give you for $2 and $3—the best of service.

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TRADING STAMPS BY THE MILLION. ELEGANT PREMIUMS.
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TURNIP CAUGHT HIM ON THE LIP.

A Frolicsome Clerk Found it Didn't Pay to Fool With a Farmer

A raw turnip and the lower jaw belonging to Bert Clawson, one of the clerks at the grocery of Scheuer & Co., collided on West Front street at an early hour this morning. A produce farmer drove up in front of Scheuer's store to sell some of the cabbages with which his wagon was loaded. Clawson came up, and, as a joke, jumped on the front seat and started to drive away. The owner of the load of cabbages came out of the store and saw him departing. Then the owner opened fire on Clawson with some turnips that he picked up at a nearby stand. Clawson turned around and one of the hard turnips caught him squarely on the lower lip. The lip began to swell and caused Clawson's friends lots of fun.

—Ira F. Randolph and James Manning left this noon for Barnegat Bay where they will spend a few days fishing.

Fred Pope, of the law firm of Pope & Runyon, is in Freehold today making a search for a property title.

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	Were	Now
Men's Overcoats and Ulsters	$5.50	$3.98
" " " "	8.00	5.00
" " " "	8.75	6 50
" " " "	9.50	6.50
Boys' Overcoats and Ulsters	4 50	2.75
" " " "	6.00	3.90
" " " "	4 50	3 00
Children's Knee Pants	150	1.00
" " "	1.00	.60
" " "	.75	.40
" " "	.50	.30
" " "	.35	.20
Children's Overcoats	4 50	2.18
" "	3.25	1.98

	Were	Now
Children's Overcoats	6.00	3.98
Children's Suits	4.00	2 98
" "	2.98	.98
" "	4.75	3 37
" "	4.87	3.37
" "	2 75	1.98
" "	2.75	.98
" "	8.00	4 25
" "	6.00	3.87
Men's Pants	1.75	.98
" "	2.75	1.12
" "	1.50	1.00
" "	1.37	.75
" "	2.50	1.48

	Were	Now
Men's Suits	9.50	5.48
" "	8.00	3.80
" "	9.00	6.98
" "	8.00	5.00
" "	5.50	2.98
Men's Working Shirts	.50	.29
" Shirts and Drawers	.50	.39
" Neckwear	.50	.39
" Sweaters	.50	.18
Men's Derby Hats (large assortment)	2 00	1.30
" " "	3.00	1.90
" " " (a large assortment)	1.50	1.00
Soft Hats		38c up
Large assortment of Gloves		25c up.

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HAPPY FALL WEDDING.

Brilliant Nuptial Event Consummated in St. Mary's.

CHURCH BEAUTIFULLY DECORATED.

The Altar Garlanded With Roses—Ceremony Performed by Rev. Father Smyth—Bride Gowned Smartly—Reception Held at the Home of Bride's Parents—Given a Great Send Off by Their Many Friends.

It was a brilliant audience that gathered in St. Mary's R. C. church last evening at 7:30 to witness the marriage of Miss Teresa Keely, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick T. Keely, of 599 LaGrande avenue, to Thomas J. Hughes, of East Second street. The large edifice was crowded to the very doors with friends of the popular young couple. The decorations in the church were especially noteworthy. In festal array the altar presented a scene of beauty, garlanded with roses and surrounded with stately palms, while the lighted candles gave an additional effect.

The doors of the church were opened shortly before 7 o'clock and while Charles Ward, John E. Keely, Michael J. Mack and Fred Hughes, the ushers, were seating the relatives and friends, Miss St. Leger, who presided at the organ, executed with rare skill appropriate wedding selections.

It was only a few minutes past 7:30 when the familiar notes of the Mendelssohn wedding march were heard on the organ. At the same time the doors of the church were thrown back and the four ushers entered followed by Miss Julia Keely, sister of the bride, who acted as bridemaid. She wore a smart gown of cream colored silk trimmed with lace and ribbon, and carried a bouquet of pink roses and maiden-hair fern.

Then followed the bride, a charming brunette, richly gowned in white brocaded silk, en traine, trimmed with lace. She also wore a veil which was caught up with orange blossoms, and carried a shower bouquet of bridal roses. She was leaning on the arm of her father, who gave her away in marriage.

At the altar the bridal party met the groom and best man, John P. Powers, and Rev. Father P. E. Smyth, pastor of St. Mary's church, who performed the ceremony, assisted by Rev. Father Murphy, the assistant pastor. The ceremony was a beautiful one and very impressive. At its conclusion, the beautiful Loehengrin wedding march was played as Mr. and Mrs. Hughes left the church. As they passed down the aisle they gracefully acknowledged the presence of their many friends with pleasant recognitions.

The bridal party were then taken to the home of the bride's parents, where a reception was held for the relatives and intimate friends of the married couple. The house was prettily decorated with flowers and smilax, while an arch was neatly arranged in the hallway over the stairway. The bridal couple stationed themselves in the parlor, where they received the congratulations of those present, who wished them long life, plenty of happiness and success. During the evening a supper was served to the guests, and the younger folks indulged in dancing to the health and happiness of the bride and groom.

A strong evidence of the esteem and popularity of Mr. and Mrs. Hughes was shown in the many valuable and useful gifts received by them, consisting of dinner and tea sets of china, silverware, furniture, banquet lamps, linen, and many other gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Hughes departed from the scene of festivities amid a shower of rice and old shoes in time to catch the 11:28 train for New York, from which place they will go to Virginia, where they will enjoy their honeymoon. On their return they will reside on East Second street, in a house owned by the groom and which is completely furnished and awaiting their reception. The groom is a valued employe of F. C. Langhorne, the Front street photographer.

Mr. White's Offer.

On Friday morning Edward White will present to every lady free of charge a cake of Colgate's violets toilet soap—a soap equal to cashmere bouquet. The only condition is that you bring a copy of their advertisement in Thursday night's Press.

Excavating for New Building.

Work was begun this morning by Contractor Thomas J. McGann, Jr., in excavating for the cellar for the new building that W. M. Stillman is to put up at the corner of West Front street and Madison avenue.

Testimony Taken.

The examination of witnesses in the case of the contested will of Rachel A. Clark was continued before Surrogate Parrot at Elizabeth yesterday. Further hearing was then postponed until Thursday.

STOLE FROM A DEAD WOMAN.

WESTFIELD AROUSED OVER OFFENCE.

An Italian Woman Died and Before Her Body Was Fairly Cold It Was Stripped of Valuables.

Mrs. Mary La Verent, an Italian woman, died at her home on Spring street, Westfield, Sunday, and yesterday, while the corpse was lying in the house, some members of the Westfield Italian colony looted the house of the few goods it contained, even carrying off the dead woman's clothes, and taking $40 which she was known to have in a small bag around her neck. About six months ago the woman's husband, Francisco LaVerent, deserted her and went back to Italy with a young Italian woman whose acquaintance he had made in Westfield. Mrs. LaVerent was left with two children, a boy eight years old and a girl only three. She toiled hard to support the children, but as she was in somewhat delicate health, she found the struggle a hard one. On Sunday morning she died, leaving her three children, one a new-born babe, to the mercy of strangers.

The funeral was held yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock. As soon as the news of the woman's death spread in the colony, a horde of sons and daughters of Italy flocked to the squalid quarters, and appeared to take an interest in the friendless children. The body was left in their care for a time, and when the priest returned yesterday to perform the last rites, he found the house robbed of everything that was of any value whatever. Some of the clothes had been taken from the corpse and the bag containing the money which was around the dead woman's neck, was also gone.

While the place was being robbed the two older children were kept at the house of another Italian nearby, so that they could not know what was taking place. After stripping the house of everything, the ghouls deserted it, leaving the dead body unguarded.

Yesterday complaint was made in the matter to Justice Collins and he proceeded at once to the Italian quarter and took measures to recover the stolen goods. He first made secure whatever goods were left in the house, and then made an announcement that he would give the parties in possession of the stolen goods one hour in which to return them. If all were not recovered then he would make a search of all the houses in the neighborhood, and if any goods were identified by the child of the dead woman as having belonged to his mother, he would arrest the person in whose possession the goods were found.

The Justice's course soon had the desired effect. From all points of the compass Italian men and women soon began to appear with bundles under their arms Before an hour had elapsed nearly all the stolen cloth ng and furniture and $20 of the missing money were recovered.

HIGH VALUE ON HER AFFECTIONS.

Summit Young Woman Wants an Erstwhile Admirer to Pay $10,000.

Tomorrow, in the Union County Court at Elizabeth, a breach of promise suit will be called for trial. The plaintiff, who seeks to obtain $10,000 damages, is Miss Joanna Murphy, a resident of Summit, and a sister of Father Murphy, of St. Mary's church, this city. The defendant is former Assemblyman Philip Tumulty, of Jersey City, who for years has been prominent in Democratic political circles and also held lucrative offices He is between fifty-five and sixty years old, while the plaintiff is a comely woman of thirty. The couple, it is asserted, were engaged to be married two years ago, but for some reason the marriage did not take place. Now Miss Murphy, who blames the defendant for this, wants ample compensation from him for trifling with her affections.

THE FIRST REHEARSAL

Active Preparations for the Spielkartenfest Progressing.

The active preparations for the Spielkartenfest are now going forward and the rehearsals have begun. The first of the rehearsals for the older young people who are to take part in the dances, was held at the Casino last evening. Miss Stewart was present and gave instructions in the dance.

The rules concerning those who are to be admitted to the rehearsals will be very strict this year, and only the dancers and their escorts will be allowed to witness the rehearsals.

Street Cars Temporarily Stopped.

During the storm yesterday morning traffic was temporarily suspended under the Watchung avenue bridge, as the water was very high there. The trolley cars had to transfer their passengers around that place.

GIFT OF A SILVER PLATE

BRYANT SCHOOL MAKES A PRESENT TO WINFIELD SCOTT POST.

Presentation Made at the Camp Fire Last Night, Where Also a Good Time Was Enjoyed Socially By All.

A pleasant event of last evening was the camp-fire given under the auspices of Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., to the members of the Woman's Relief Corps and the Sons of Veterans. The post room was well filled with an assemblage of loyal people who enjoyed the fine programme presented. On the platform were seated Rev. L. E. Livermore, chairman of the camp-fire committee, and beside him were Commander I. L. McVoy and Mrs. C. B. Stephens, president of the Woman's Relief Corps. The chairman, in his usual happy manner, introduced the several numbers, the first of which was a vocal solo by W.C. Smith, Jr., followed with a reading by Miss Etta Raybert. Both numbers were well received, and when the chairman introduced J. H. Carney hearty applause was given. Mr. Carney said: "It is, indeed, a great pleasure to speak to the survivors of the late war and their lady friends, and meet with the Sons of Veterans and congratulate them in following the footsteps of those who lost their lives during the late war in defending our country's honor. I say to all sons should a call ever come from the north, east, south or west, be you ever ready as were your fathers and forefathers to respond to the call to save our country's emblem, that the glorious Stars and Stripes may ever float in the soft breeze of heaven and over our free country, remembering always that thousands of loving hearts and tender hands are banded together to care for the sick and wounded. God forbid that you should ever be called, but if you are you will find the Woman's Relief Corps at their post ever ready to assist you in defending our country's honor. So much, my friends, from a Son of a Veteran, whose father tonight lies near the battle fields in a soldier's grave."

Mr. Carney concluded his remarks by giving the audience some character sketches in the German dialect. Following Mr. Carney, Miss Jomini rendered a pleasing vocal solo occompanied by Clifford Braider on the piano. The next number was an address by Major Reed, of Philadelphia. Mr. Reed was an organizer of the Sons of Veterans in Pennsylvania, and is also a Grand Army veteran. He gave a thrilling, patriotic address, and complimented the members of the several orgnizations.

Miss Mertie Randolph, of Park avenue, was introduced and gave pleasing recitations in her usual clever manner. She was accompanied on the piano by Miss Livermore. The next number was a complete surprise, when Mrs. Smalley from the Woman's Relief Corps, presented the post on behalf of the corps with a handsome solid silver plate to be placed on a flag-staff bearing a flag which was presented to the post May 30th, 1897. On the plate is the following inscription: "Presented to Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, Department of New Jersey, G. A. R., May 30th, 1897, by Bryant Public School, Plainfield, N. J."

The gift was received by Commander McVoy in a neat little speech in which he thanked the donors heartily on behalf of the post. The two remaining numbers on the programme consisted of an address by Major Miller, in which he made reference to the proposed soldiers' monument, and a vocal solo by W. C. Smith, Jr.

The rest of the evening was devoted to enjoying a generous supply of ice cream and cake by the committee in charge of which M. C. Dobbins was the chairman.

TALENTED ENTERTAINER.

Miss Anna L. Harris Gave a Selected Programme of Readings.

A talented young woman from the Emerson School of Oratory, in Boston, Miss Anna L. Harris, gave an entertainment at the Y. M. C. A. hall last evening, under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society of the First Presbyterian church. Miss Harris gave the entertainment entirely alone and made it a delightful one, worthy of a far larger audience than was present to hear her.

She showed her ability to give humorous or pathetic selections equally well. She was at her best, however, in the sleep walking scene from "Macbeth," which she gave in an exceedingly realistic manner, and in that charming little poem of James Whitcomb Riley's, "My Old Sweetheart."

Mrs. Pruden and Miss Pruden, of East Second street, are visiting Philadelphia relatives.

STRIKE AT SILK MILL.

THIRTY GIRLS AT THE STIRLING MILLS STOPPED WORK.

The Company Proposed a Cut in Wages Which the Girls Refused to Accept—A Compromise Has Since Been Affected.

The little town of Stirling was the scene of great excitement yesterday between the hours of 12 o'clock noon and 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and for a time it looked as though the silk mills of that place would be obliged to shut down. The officers of the company that run the mills decided in the morning to make a cut in the wages of the girls that wind the silk before it is put on the loom. The cut was to be 20 cents on a hundred yards, and when the thirty girls whom the cut would affect, heard of the proposed scheme they decided that they would stop work rather than accept the reduction. At noon the proposition was made to the girls and they were informed that their wages would be reduced as stated above. The girls held a conference at once to determine their action. As a result they decided to declare a strike which began at once.

They left the mills and stood about the village in groups discussing the situation, and it was not long before the townspeople learned of what had happened, and they joined in the crowd and advised the girls not to go back until the company made suitable concessions.

It soon became apparent to the officers of the company that they had stirred up a hornet's nest, and that unless they compromised matters and the girls resumed work, they would have to close the rest of the mill. A consultation followed, and the officials decided to offer the girls a cut of eleven cents instead of twenty cents, and the leaders among the strikers were called in to hear the proposition. It seemed to impress them favorably, and after consulting with their colleagues in the matter, they accepted the proposition and went back to work. At present there is considerable work on hand and the company could not afford to let the thirty girls go, hence the compromise.

YALE CLUB MEETING.

The Annual Dinner Will Probably Not be Given This Year.

The advisibility of holding another dinner of the Yale Club this year was the principal topic of discussion at the meeting of the Yale Club last evening. The old dinner committee were not present at the meeting, but they sent in a written report in which they advised that the custom of the club of holding an annual dinner be given up for the present on account of the lack of interest among the members. The question was thoroughly discussed by the members at the meeting and it seemed the general sentiment that the dinner should be held this year as of old. A resolution was passed to that effect and then a new dinner committee was appointed. The new committee consisted of Charles S. Foote, James R. Joy and George A. Strong.

The election of officers for the ensuing year was held and resulted as follows: President, A. H. Atterbury; vice-president, Herbert L. Moodey; secretary and treasurer, Arthur Lovell.

ONLY A SMALL BALANCE.

The Treasury of Children's Home In Need of Assistance.

There appears to have been a misapprehension regarding the funds of the Children's Home because the treasurer's report, made at the anniversary, showed a balance on hand of $2,020.60 on the first of May last, the end of the fiscal year. At that time a portion of the invested endowment fund had come into the treasury by a mortgage that had just been paid off. Since then the money has been reinvested so that at the present time all there is for running expenses is $380. The average monthly expenses are $190, and the yearly coal bill has yet to be paid.

Motion to Be Argued.

The motion of City Judge DeMeza, counsel for R. F. M. Chase, to quash the writ of attachment served in the case of Cronin against Chase, will be argued before Justice Thomas, of the borough, on Friday afternoon. The hearing was to be held this afternoon but was adjourned until that time.

Chainless Wheels Coming.

The agency for the Columbia bicycle in Plainfield has been temporarily established in one of the windows of George W. Rockfellow's grocery store. The Columbia chainless wheel will be out this week.

A Hollow'een Supper.

A Hollow'een supper will be given by the ladies of the First M. E. church in Vincent chapel, Monday evening, November 1st. Entertainment and games, commemorative of the day, will be furnished for the young people.

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A FULL RETRACTION MADE.

ANONYMOUS WRITER CONFRONTED

In the Presence of Her Husband She Exonerated the Innocent Girl From Serious Accusations.

Where before only those in the most select circles had gossiped of the affair resulting from the anonymous letters written by a prominent society woman, the whole city read between the lines in the story published in The Press last night and the subject was the fad for tea table gossip in many families.

In gathering the facts for the story the Press reporter's efforts were fraught with obstacles in the way of the reticence of the parties concerned. Since the publication of the story it has been learned that an error was made in stating that a settlement was yet to be made between the writer of the scandalous letter to the boarding school principal and the parents of the daughter slandered.

It is now learned that a settlement was effected last Saturday afternoon in the office of the lawyer in whose hands the matter had been put. It consisted of the accused woman signing a paper in which was stated that she was the author of the letter and that the statements made in it were absolute falsehoods. The husband of the woman was one of the witnesses to the declaration.

CHILDREN FRIGHTENED.

Heard Suspicious Noises and They Jumped Out of a Window.

Neighbors of J. A Layton, who resides at 137 Grove street, were startled last night about 9 o'clock to hear the terrified cries of several children as they ran about screaming "thieves!" It appears that all the older members of the family had gone out early in the evening leaving the house in care of the younger children.

About 9 o'clock the children heard some suspicious noises about the house and thought they were caused by burglars. The back door was locked and they were afraid to go through the front door of the house because the suspicious noises came from that direction. In terrible fright the children jumped out of the window and ran yelling to the neighbors. An investigation was made and it was found that one of the windows had been mysteriously raised. After the bolder ones had looked about no trace of robbers could be secured and once more the community regained its quietude.

STATE W. C. T. U. MEETING.

Opening Day of the Twenty-fourth Annual Convention.

The twenty-fourth annual convention of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, of New Jersey, opened in Trenton yesterday afternoon with a prayer and conference meeting conducted by Mrs. M. C. Nobles, of Atlantic Highlands.

Last evening a meeting was held at Association Hall. The delegates were welcomed to the city by Mayor Sickels. Welcomes were also extended on behalf of the Trenton unions, by Mrs. R. M. Anderson; on behalf of the Mercer county unions, by Mrs. G. M. P. Wells, and on behalf of the churches, by Rev. Dr. S. M. Studdiford. The response on behalf of the convention was made by Mrs. C. Gebhardt, of Clinton.

FATAL TORNADO AT ELIZABETH.

House Overturned and a Hod Carrier Caught and Killed.

A tornado, followed by a cloudburst, swept over Elizabethport shortly before noon yesterday and did considerable damage. Fences and outhouses were blown down, trees uprooted, and at 211 Rankin street a new two-and-a-half-story dwelling, almost completed, was demolished by the wind.

James Clark, a hod-carrier, who was working in the vicinity, took shelter at the side of the building when he saw the tornado coming. He was crushed beneath the ruins and was dead when his body was extricated. He was 35 years old, married, and his home was in Bayonne City. He boarded on Union street, Elizabeth. He leaves a wife and three children.

ENTERTAINED THE MINISTERS.

The Pastors Given a Pleasant Time at the Home of S. A. Cruikshank

The Ministers' Association, of this city, was entertained at the handsome residence of S. A. Cruikshank, of Belvidere avenue, on Monday evening. It was the regular monthly meeting of the association and it was the turn of Rev. Floyd Appleton to entertain. At the request of Mrs. Cruikshank, the meeting was held at her home and a dinner was given to the ministers. The paper of the evtning was read by Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph.D. Several of the ministers were unable to be present.

SPENCER NOMINATED.

Chosen as Candidate for Surrogate on Second Ballot.

VAN DOREN NAMED FOR ASSEMBLY.

The Republican Convention in Somerset County Met at Somerville This Morning—Plainfield Represented on Committees—Senator Reed Opposed Spencer's Candidacy for Surrogate.

(Special Correspondent to The Daily Press.)

Somerville, October 13th—The contest for political honors opened this morning at 11 o'clock in the County Court house, when the Republican county convention was called to order by ex-Senator L. A. Thompson, chairman of the Somerset County Republican executive committee, after which J. L Griggs, of Somerville, was made chairman of the convention on a motion made by ex-Mayor W. H. Whiting, of Bound Brook. County Clerk F. W. Somers nominated Henry A. McGee, of North Plainfield, secretary and the North Plainfielder accepted the position. The official roll call of the delegates was then read by the secretary. This was followed by a motion offered by former Mayor B. A. Hegeman, Jr., of North Plainfield, that the committees be appointed. Mr. Hegeman was appointed chairman of the committee on resolutions, while N. B. Smalley secured a place on the committee on credentials.

The delegation from North Plainfield and the township consists of B. A. Hegeman, Jr., P. A. Emmons, N. B. Smalley, J. W. Codington and Henry A. McGee. After the appointment of committees Mr. Hegeman moved the convention adjourn until 2 o'clock.

There is a large sprinkling of political leaders from North Plainfield, including W. C. Smith, Poole Voorhies, Andrew Lutkins, W. L Smalley, Senator Reed, H. N. Spencer, Judge Brown, Charles H. Lyman and D. J. Carney, and the chief topic discussed during the early part of the convention was the attitude of Senator Reed, who seemed to show that he was supporting G. W. Cooper, Mr. Spencer's strongest opponent for the office of surrogate. Mr. Spencer has for his chief backer ex Senator Thompson, and the latter, together with Mr. Spencer's friends, naturally feel ruffled to think that the Senator has thus turned his energies toward those outside of his habitation.

It was conceded that Mr. Spencer would have the support of the entire delegation from North Plainfield as well as from the leaders who were not delegates. During the adjournment the delegates devotod their time to a discussion of the latest move on the part of the Senator.

When the convention was called to order at 2 o'clock Chairman J. L. Griggs called for a report from the resolution committee, and Mr. Hegeman, chairman of the committee reported. The resolutions in the first place endorsed the platform of the National Republican Convention, especially that which referred to protection and the 100 cent. dollar. They congratulated the country on the election of President McKinley, and rejoiced in the advancing tide of prosperity which has already started the wheels of industry under the policy of the Republican administration. They also rejoiced that the people of Somerset county were so emphatic in their declaration for law and order in the large majority they gave for the anti-gambling amendment to the State Constitution, thus ratifying the action of their representatives in the Legislature.

The resolution pledged the active assistance of the delegates to the convention, and confidently submitted them to the suffrages of the Somerset county voters as worthy of their support. The resolutions were adopted by a unanimous vote.

The next business of importance was the work of nominating candidates for the Assembly and for the office of Surrogate. J. V. D. VanDoren, of Hillsboro, received the nomination for Assembly, receiving the solid support of the delegates.

The following persons were nominated for surrogate: G. W. Cooper, of Bernards; G. A. Dilts, of Bridgewater; J. Newton Voorhies, of Franklin; P. N. VanNise, of Hillsboro; H. Newton Spencer, of North Plainfield.

The first ballot by townships was as follows:

	Spencer.	Cooper.	Voorhies.	Vanhise.
Bedminster,	3	2		
Branchburgh,	4	1		
Bernardsville,		5		
Bridgewater,	5			
Franklin,			5	
Hillsboro,				5
Montgomery,			1	4
North Plainfield,	3	2		
Warren,	5			
	20	10	6	9

B. A. Hegeman, Jr., nominated Mr. Spencer. On the second ballot, which was the same as the first, except the four votes previously cast by Mont-

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SPAIN'S REPLY READY

Cannot Set an Exact Date for Ending the War With Cuba.

HOSTILITIES TO CEASE SOON

The Pacification Would Have Been More Rapid, It Is Asserted, Had It Not Been for Filibusters Under the United States Flag.

Madrid, Spain, Oct. 13.—It is semi-officially announced that the reply of Spain to the note presented by the United States Minister, Gen. Woodford, has been drafted by the Minister of Foreign Affairs, Senor Gullon, and will be submitted to the Cabinet at its meeting to-day.

The reply, it is further stated, will announce that Spain is unable to fix exactly the date when the war will be over, but the Ministers are persuaded it will not be long, because "the situation of the rebels is critical, and the efforts of the Spanish troops are sure of success, owing to the rebel situation and the concession of autonomy, administrative and economic, which will be perfected before January. The Government hopes actual hostilities will finish shortly."

Spain, the reply continues, thinks the reforms and the activity of the Spanish troops are sufficient elements to secure the immediate pacification of the island, which, it is asserted, "would have been more rapid if the rebels had not had the support of filibusters who, under the shelter of the American flag, have contributed to maintain this state of affairs."

Sympathy for Weyler.

Havana, Oct. 13.—Senor Romero Robledo, a former Cabinet Minister, has telegraphed to Gen. Weyler from Spain, saying that the day will come when the latter will have "justice done him and be accorded reparation."

Gen. Weyler has also received numerous telegrams from other important politicians, bankers and merchants in Spain, expressing sympathy with him personally and with the policy he followed in Cuba.

It is now said to be possible that Gen. Weyler will not leave Cuba until Oct. 30, when he will embark for Barcelona.

BLOODY BATTLE IN IDAHO.

Four Men Killed in a Fight Between Shepherds and Settlers.

Pocatello, Idaho, Oct. 13.—News just received from Long Valley, in Washington County, says that there has been a battle between the settlers and the shepherds, in which four men were killed and one dangerously wounded.

Details are meagre, but it appears that fifteen of the settlers warned the sheep men to leave the valley, and when they refused made an attack upon the sheep camp.

Thirty shots were fired by the settlers, and a man named Barber, leader of the sheep men, was killed.

The sheep men returned the fire, killing three of the settlers. The rest of the attacking party fled.

The trouble is the outgrowth of the strained relations that have existed in that section between the settlers and sheep men for some time. It is not an uncommon thing for stock to be maimed and haystacks to be burned and even settlers and sheep men to exchange shots, but no one has heretofore been killed.

League Will Abolish Temple Cup

Boston, Oct. 13.—The National League, at its coming Fall meeting in Philadelphia, will probably abolish the Temple Cup series. The actions of the Boston and Baltimore players in the recent series was the last straw. They clearly demonstrated that they cared more for gate receipts than for the glory of winning the cup, and by equally dividing the money instead of splitting it up on the 60 and 40 per cent., as laid down in the conditions, they made the games appear farcical.

It is said that President Soden, of the Boston Club, will offer a resolution to abolish the series. It may be that the League will put up a purse for the winning club. Selee and Hanlon counted up and divided the Temple Cup receipts. Each Boston and Baltimore player got a trifle more than $300.

Carnegie's Big Ore Deal.

Milwaukee, Wis., Oct. 13.—Andrew Carnegie has perfected the largest iron producing combination in the world by securing the lease of the Tilden mine. He will operate this big producer in combination with the Norrie and the group of mines which he owns in the Mesaba range. Dr. Nelson P. Hulst, a mining expert, has been placed in charge of all the Carnegie mining interests.

The series of operations whereby the Carnegie interests have come into control of the greatest group of iron ore producing properties in America constitute the most important movement that has taken place in the iron trade for years.

A Jack the Ripper.

Lyons, France, Oct. 13.—A shepherd was yesterday arrested in the Department of Ain, forty-four miles from this city, charged with committing a series of so-called Jack the Ripper murders.

He has confessed to killing three shepherds, three girls and two old women. Vacher was formerly confined in an asylum for the insane.

The series of murders attributed to him commenced in 1894, and they appear to have been actuated by purely bloodthirsty instincts, as the victims were all poor people.

They were terribly mutilated after their throats had been cut, and all the women were criminally assaulted.

$10,000,000 Beer Trust.

Harrisburg, Pa., Oct. 13.—The Central Pennsylvania Brewing Company, with a capital of $10,000,000, has applied to the State Department for a charter.

This company will control most of the breweries throughout the central part of this State.

Hugo's Work Barred.

Philadelphia, Oct. 13.—The committee of the Board of Education of the Girls' High School of this city has placed Victor Hugo's "Les Miserables" under the ban of educational conservatism.

TWO WOMEN KILLED.

Mother and Daughter Murdered by Burglars in Camden.

Camden, N. J., Oct. 13.—There is still great excitement over the murder which occurred in this city early yesterday morning, when desperate burglars shot and killed two women who endeavored to save their property from the thieves. The murderers escaped, and thus far have eluded capture.

Mrs. Emma Vane, aged 65 years, was instantly killed, and her daughter, Mrs. Sallie Shaw, expired in less than half an hour, without regaining consciousness.

The two women lived at 242 Line street, in the lower part of Camden, near the river front. It was about 4.30 o'clock when the police discovered the crime. Eli Shaw, a son of Mrs. Shaw, was seen at the third-story window and was shouting for the police at the top of his voice. The young man has been ill with typhoid fever, and in a statement to the police said that he was awakened shortly after 4 o'clock by a pistol shot. He made his way down stairs, and at the bottom of the third-story stairs found his mother bleeding and unconscious. He ran to the window and gave the alarm.

When the police entered the house they found Mrs. Vane sitting in a chair in the sitting-room dead, with a bullet wound in her head. Mrs. Shaw was at once removed to the Cooper Hospital, where she died in a few minutes, without making any statement.

The shock incident to the tragedy has caused a relapse in the condition of Mrs. Shaw's son, and it is feared will result fatally. An examination of the house showed that a rear shutter had been forced open, and a bureau drawer on the second floor had been ransacked.

Reward Offered.

Mayor Wescott this afternoon authorized the offering of $500 reward for the arrest and conviction of the murderers.

The police think it possible the robbers knew Mrs. Vane had money in the house, and, not knowing it had been paid out, were searching for it when the women came upon them.

Eli Shaw, the son and grandson, was rigorously examined by two Philadelphia detectives last night, but at the end of their inquiry he was not detained. The police say that the glass of one of the kitchen windows, supposed to have been smashed by the burglars while gaining entrance to the house, was broken from the inside.

American Racers in England.

London, Oct. 13.—American horsemen and the racing public generally are looking forward with unusual interest to the result of the Cesarewitch Stakes, to be run to-day at Newmarket. Apart from the intrinsic value of the event it possesses a certain fascination for the adherents of the Stars and Stripes ever since Foxhall Keene beat a field of eighteen in 1881, and then emphasized his quality by picking up a penalty of fourteen pounds and winning the Cambridge Stakes two weeks later.

America makes a bold bid for a revival of the Foxhall sensation this year, and is well represented in both handicaps. The notable Yankee-bred ones in to-day's race are August Belmont's Keenan and J. R. Keene's St. Cloud II. The former is a 5-year-old, whose form previous to his exportation from here is well remembered. St. Cloud II. is a 3-year-old who ran third to the famous Galtee More in the St. Leger recently. He was then meeting the Irish crack at practically even weights, while now he has a concession of thirty-one pounds.

States' Day at Nashville.

Nashville, Tenn., Oct. 13.—New York, Connecticut and Delaware had their celebrations at the exposition yesterday. New York was represented by her Lieutenant-Governor, Timothy L. Woodruff. Gov. Tunnel and staff were here to do the honors for Delaware. The ancient Putnam phalanx, of Hartford, arrived in the morning, demonstrating Connecticut's interest in the day. The battalion made up of four separate regiments of Brooklyn's contingent of the New York State Guards paraded this morning.

The day's festivities concluded with a reception and grand ball in the New York building, which is headquarters for the visiting delegations.

From the Pope to McKinley.

London, Oct. 13.—President McKinley will soon be the recipient of a handsome volume containing a description of the Borghese apartments in the Vatican.

The book is handsomely illustrated and is considered by book lovers to be the most luxurious volume ever published.

Only 100 copies of the book have been printed. The heads of all the European nations will also receive copies of the book. Pope Leo is the donor.

The Condition of the Pope.

Wichita, Kan., Oct. 13.—Bishop J. J. Hennessy, of this city, who led the recent American pilgrimage to Rome, has returned. Speaking of the Pope's health, Bishop Hennessy said:

"I see no change in the Pope since my last visit four years ago, save that he is bent a little more, but his physical health is good, his eye is bright, his mind clear, his judgment excellent and his memory extraordinary."

To Corner the Milk Supply.

London, Oct. 13.—The Pall Mall Gazette says that a New York syndicate, which already controls a large part of the milk supply of New York City, is attempting to raise funds in London in pursuance of a scheme to obtain control of still more of the supply, in order to establish a monopoly and dictate the price of milk in New York and the surrounding district.

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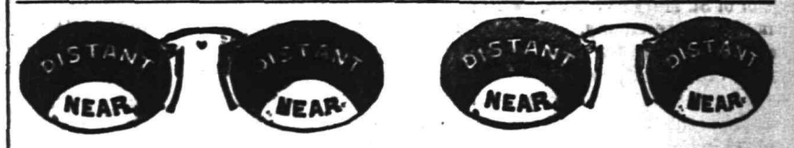

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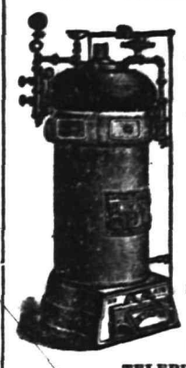

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1897 Taxes

NOTICE is hereby given to the tax-payers of the City of Plainfield that the taxes assessed in said City for the year eighteen hundred and ninety-seven are now due and payable, and that if said taxes be not paid before the
20th Day of December
next, the names of the defaulters with their respective taxes, will be returned to the City Judge for prosecution. The Commissioners of Appeal in cases of taxation in and for the said City will meet at the Council Chamber, No. 109 Park avenue, Plainfield, N. J., on the
4th Tuesday of November
next, (November 23rd, 1897,) at two o'clock p. m., to hear complaints relating to assessments.
E. H. BIRD,
Collector.
Dated, Plainfield, N. J., October 1st, 1897. 10-7 tf.

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Executor's Settlement.
Notice is hereby given, That the account of the subscriber, Executor of John A. Briant, deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphan's Court of the County of Union, on Wednesday, the Twentieth day of October next.
NATHAN J. COMPTON.
Dated August 13, 1897. 8 18 o a w 10 w

THE MILLINERY STORE.
A selection of trimmed Hats and Bonnets that is pleasing. Not grotesque styles, which no one cares to wear, but a charming collection of stylish, sensible, wearable
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With an endless variety of shapes, from the ordinary grades to the expensive, rich beautiful feathers and plumes, and all the requirements of hat trimming we can undoubtedly please the most fastidious.
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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The appearance of the Grant Avenue station has been much improved by the grading of the lawn and roadway leading to it.

—The fall and winter programme for the Primary Teachers' Union has been issued, and those who are interested should obtain one.

A few weeks ago the editor was taken with a very severe cold that caused him to be in a most miserable condition. It was undoubtedly a bad case of la grippe and recognizing it as dangerous he took immediate steps to bring about a speedy cure. From the advertisement of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the many good recommendations included therein, we concluded to make a first trial of the medicine. To say that it was satisfactory in its results, is putting it very mildly, indeed. It acted like magic and the result was a speedy and permanent cure. We have no hesitancy in recommending this excellent Cough Remedy to anyone afflicted with a cough or cold in any form.—The Banner of Liberty, Libertytown, Maryland. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Bass, of Second place, is confined to her home with illness.

Conductor McCormick, of the street railway, has returned from a few days' outing.

Those who believe chronic diarrhœa to be incurable should read what Mr. P. E. Grisham, of Gaars Mills, La., has to say on the subject, viz.: "I have been a sufferer from chronic diarrhœa ever since the war and have tried all kinds of medicines for it. At last I found a remedy that effected a cure and that was Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy." This medicine can always be depended upon for colic, cholera morbus, dysentery and diarrhœa. It is pleasant to take and never fails to affect a cure. 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Evarts Tracy and family, of Hillside avenue, have taken up their residence in New York.

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Miss Madeline Day, of Mercer avenue, is staying in Orange.

Croup Quickly Cured.

MOUNTAIN GLEN, Ark.—Our children were suffering with croup when we received a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It afforded almost instant relief.—F. A. Thornton. This celebrated remedy is for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Benjamin Schenck, of East Fifth street, has been visiting in Somerville.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by L. W. Randolph.

E. Maxwell Honeyman, of Duer street, returned to Lafayette College Monday afternoon after spending Sunday at home.

Electric Bitters

Electric Bitters is a medicine suited for any season, but perhaps more generally needed when the languid, exhausted feeling prevails, when the liver is torpid and sluggish and the need of a tonic and alterative is felt. A prompt use of this medicine has often averted long and perhaps fatal bilious fevers. No medicine will act more surely in counteracting and freeing the system from the malarial poison Headache, Indigestion, Constipation, Dizziness yield to Electric Bitters. 50c. and $1.00 per bottle at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

Walter B. Rittenhouse, of East Sixth street, will appear before the board of examiners of the New Jersey Naval Reserve on Friday evening to take his examinations for the office of ensign. He has already received his commission from Governor Griggs.

Stands at the Head.

Aug. J. Bogel, the leading druggist of Shreveport, La., says: "Dr. King's New Discovery is the only thing that cures my cough, and it is the best seller I have." J. F. Campbell, merchant of Safford, Ariz., writes: "Dr. King's New Discovery is all that is claimed for it; it never fails, and is a sure cure for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I cannot say enough for its merits.' Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds is not an experiment. It has been tried for a quarter of a century, and to-day stands at the head. It never disappoints. Free trial bottles at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

STRIPPED A SOCIETY WOMAN.

A Bridgeport Lady Accused of Stealing a Diamond Ring.

Bridgeport, Conn., Oct. 13. — All Bridgeport is in a state over the indignities to which one of her society women has been subjected in a local jewelry store.

The injured woman was Mrs. Jane Wingfield, whose position in Bridgeport society is thoroughly established, and she was stripped of her clothing for the purpose of searching her for a diamond ring which she was accused of stealing.

Mrs. Wingfield visited Olsen's store for the purpose of selecting a ring. Max Fairchild, salesman, displayed a tray containing a large variety. Suddenly he accused the woman of appropriating a diamond circlet and demanded that she replace it in the tray.

Her face burning with indignation, Mrs. Wingfield turned to leave the store.

Fairchild ran around the counter and interrupted her, at the same time bawling, "Police! police!"

Mrs. Wingfield turned, and sitting down, demanded that a policeman be sent for.

Several officers arrived in response to the salesman's outcry, and when the situation was explained to them Mrs. Wingfield was asked to submit to being searched.

The young woman to whom was delegated the task of searching her had not yet found the missing bauble, and she actually made Mrs. Wingfield open her mouth that she might inspect it to ascertain if she had pouched the ring in her cheek or held it under her tongue.

The saleswoman was obliged to report that she had found no trace of the missing jewel, but how the victim of this search ever managed to get into her clothing again and find her way home is a mystery to herself.

The missing ring was subsequently found in another part of Olsen's store.

Jeweller Olsen offered an abject apology to the injured woman last evening, but the infuriated husband would not listen to him. He still threatens vengeance on the hasty salesman, whose accusation of his wife resulted in the insults and indignities, and he has brought suit against Olsen for $5,000 damages.

RECORD BREAKING EXPORTS.

Valued at $70,062,911 Last Month, Against $52,910,489 in 1896.

Washington, Oct. 13.—Reports received from several shipping ports by the Bureau of Statistics of the Treasury Department show that the reports of the principal articles of domestic merchandise were much larger during September than in any other month in recent years. August was a record-breaking month, but September showed a still greater increase, the value of the articles exported amounting to $70,062,411, as against $52,910,489 for September, 1896.

During the last month exports of breadstuffs were twice as great as those of the corresponding month last year, three times those of September, 1895, and four times those of September, 1894. The increase in other staples of domestic production was almost as marked, cottons exported being valued at $14,655,400, mineral oils at $4,850,891, cattle and hogs at $3,096,752 and provisions at $12,835,422. Other articles were exported as follows: Corn, $6,092,296; wheat, $19,685,751; fresh beef, $1,810,990; bacon, $3,515,607; hams, $1,649,446; lard, $2,571,171.

Real Trouble in Catskill.

Albany, Oct. 13.—Forty families living on Main street, in Catskill, have petitioned Gov. Black, alleging that the works of the Eastern Paving Brick Company, at Catskill, are operated as a nuisance and are a serious menace to health. The families living in the vicinity allege that every sewing machine near the works has been rendered useless on account of rust, occasioned by the gas from the works, and that the houses must be kept tightly closed the year around, because the kilns give out heavy black smoke, coal gases and foul and noisome smells and odors dangerous to health.

Postmasters Appointed.

Washington, Oct. 13.—The following fourth-class postmasters have been appointed by the President:

New Jersey—Upper Macoupin, Passaic County, Thomas H. Mable.

New York — Downsville, Delaware County, Arthur J. Wilson; Newville, Herkimer, Chester A. Fort; Rockdale, Chenango, Joseph H. Powers; Vestal Centre, Broome, Wesley Osincup.

These changes, with the exception of that at Downsville, New York, were to fill vacancies caused by removal for political reasons.

Col. George North Resigns.

Philadelphia, Oct. 13.—Col. George H. North, the stock broker, who was imprisoned for contempt in failing to make payment of a legacy of $2,000 from an estate of which he is the executor, has resigned his commission as Adjutant-General of the National Guard of Pennsylvania, which he has held since March 20, 1879. He will be placed on the roll of retired officers. No settlement has yet been effected of the complications which caused his imprisonment.

A Fake About New York's Finances.

Albany, Oct. 13.—The State Comptroller and State Treasurer are amazed at the audacious fake statements sent out by a press association pretending to show the condition of the State Treasury on Oct. 1. This statement said the balance in the treasury on Oct. 1 was $2,313,314. At the State Treasurer's office to-day it was learned that the balance in the State Treasury on Oct. 1 was $7,243,904, or nearly $5,000,000 more than was stated, and $2,313,858 more than was in the State Treasury on Oct. 1, 1896.

Yale-Princeton Football.

New York, Oct. 13.—Harrison Hall, manager of the Princeton football team, and D. C. Twitchell, manager of the Yale eleven, met in this city yesterday afternoon and practically completed arrangements for the big game between these universities to be played at New Haven on Nov. 20.

Bryan at Bowling Green.

Bowling Green, Ky., Oct. 13.—W. J. Bryan spoke here yesterday to nine thousand people. He said that his reception in Kentucky had been very gratifying, and regarded that as an indication that silver is gaining ground.

KLONDIKE TREASURES

Returning Miners Tell of Great Wealth There.

CLAIMS ARE UNDEVELOPED

Estimates of Immense Ore Deposits in Ground as Yet Unbroken. Claims Not as Rich as on the Klondike, but Climate Better.

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 13.—The steamship *City of Topeka* arrived here Monday night from Alaska. It had on board eighty-five miners from Cook's Inlet and over two hundred and fifty thousand dollars worth of gold dust. George Hall, who represents more mining interests than any other individual passenger, says that three hundred thousand dollars came down. No man had less than one thousand dollars. The party left Cook's Inlet on Sept. 22 on the steamer Dora, connecting at Sitka with the Topeka.

Hall has bought and bonded three thousand acres in Sunrice district, and expects, by hydraulic work, to take out one thousand dollars per day. The miners, he says, are satisfied with Cook's Inlet. Gold is not found there in such large quantities as on the Klondike, but there is plenty of it and no trouble about food.

Among the miners with money were John Raynor, $40,000; Robert Michaelson, $40,000; A. M. Brown, $15,000; E. C. Price, $20,000, and H. A. Schmeser, $14,000, all taken out in one year. Thomas Williams, Robert Elliott, Richard Lane, Frank Ducrey and Fred Smith have from $5,000 to $15,000 each. Sink Creek, at Cook's Inlet, which was abandoned, is now valuable. Smith took out $1,000 there in two days.

The next boat will bring down more Cook's Inlet miners and plenty of gold. Hall says that there has been no rain all Summer, and the creeks are low. One man told him that if the water did not rise he would take out $40 a day. Mining is done on the beds of creeks, and high water stops the operations. Three hundred miners will Winter at Cook's Inlet.

The *Topeka* brought down John A. Maloney, a lawyer of Juneau, who had reports from Dawson up to Sept. 8. He left there on Aug. 9. He said:

"No boats have arrived with food, and the residents were very much excited. Every bit of food had been contracted for, but there was not sufficient there to feed the inhabitants until Spring, and unless boats arrive from St. Michael's there will be actual starvation this Winter. That is not idle talk.

"Fifty persons were to arrive there on Sept. 20 and come out overland to Juneau. Scarcity of food is driving them away. When it became known that I was going to take a party out from Dawson on Aug. 29 I had five hundred applications for passage on the little steamboat that took us up Pelly River. These persons wanted to come out because they knew that there would be actual starvation, and they did not care to be among the victims. There is gold at Dawson in plenty, but not food."

Washington, Oct. 13.—A report from the United States educational agent at St. Michael's, Alaska, representing a bad condition of affairs in the Yukon country, with prospects of starvation during the Winter, has been presented to the Cabinet by Secretary Bliss. The Cabinet agreed that it would be better to wait for a report from Capt. P. H. Ray, who is investigating the condition on the Yukon, before taking any official action to relieve the distress. It is doubtful if any more relief can be sent to St. Michael's this year.

JOHN CHANLER INSANE.

Amelie Rives' First Love and Astor Heir.

New York, Oct. 13.—John Armstrong Chanler, the great-grandson of John Jacob Astor and formerly the husband of Amelie Rives, the author, was taken to Bloomingdale Asylum six months ago. His friends spread a report that he had gone to Europe, and it was said at his law office in the Equitable building yesterday that he still was abroad.

Amelie Rives, whose divorce from Mr. Chanler was obtained in as mysterious a manner as was his commitment to Bloomingdale, and who on Feb. 18, 1896, was married to Prince Troubetsky, became a mental wreck last June and was taken to a sanitarium in Philadelphia. Later it was announced that she had recovered her health.

Mr. Chanler married the gifted author soon after her book "The Quick or the Dead?" made a sensation in the literary world. No two persons in all the country were more talked about than this couple when they went abroad for the honeymoon. Now both are under treatment for mental disorders.

To Finance the Jersey Bridge.

New York, Oct. 13.—The adjourned annual meeting of the New York and New Jersey Bridge Company, set for yesterday, was again adjourned until Nov. 9, to await the completion of the syndicate, now forming, which is to take up the proposed issue of $60,000,000 of bonds. The syndicate is partially completed, and it was reported yesterday includes two banking firms of this city and a representative of London and Paris capitalists. As the syndicate, when formed, will doubtless demand representation in the Board of Directors, the election of the board will be postponed until the syndicate is prepared to act in the matter.

Dropped Dead at Basket Ball.

Newburg, N. Y., Oct. 13.—Dr. James Johnstone, a veterinary surgeon, 32 years old, and a member of the Tenth Separate Company, dropped dead in the armory last night while playing a practice game of basket ball. Johnstone left a widow. Heart disease is supposed to have been the cause of death.

20,000 Cattle Sold at $13 a Head.

San Antonio, Tex., Oct. 13.—The largest cattle deal made in Texas since the boom days of fifteen years ago was arranged here to-day, Ike T. Pryor selling to Winfield Scott, of Fort Worth, 20,000 head of cattle of all classes for $13 per head, Fall delivery. Other big sales are pending.

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PLAINFIELD, N. J., OCT. 13, 1897

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Fair Tonight and Thursday; Cooler Tonight.

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 65 Degrees.

COMING EVENTS.

October 13—Bookkeeping and Commercial Course at the Y. M. C. A.

October 13—Anniversary of Junior Endeavorers at First Presbyterian church.

October 14—Borough Council meets to hear objectors to Watchung avenue report.

October 14—Meeting of Parliamentary Club at Y. M. C. A. Hall. 10 a. m.

October 14—Shorthand taught by George Weeks Sanford at the Y. M. C. A.

October 14—Advanced class in Mathematics at the Y. M. C. A

October 14—Recital at Vincent chapel by Prof. Barbour.

October 15—Borough Democratic primary in schoolhouse. 8 p. m.

October 25—William Blaikie at the Y. M. C. A. "How to Get Strong."

October 26—Entertainment Plainfield Mandolin and Guitar Club at Monroe Avenue church.

In commenting on L. W. Serrell's letter to The Press concerning the proposed county ownership of an electric railway, the New Brunswick Home News says:

Mr. Serrell appears to have gone over the ground very thoroughly, and unless his estimates of the cost of the improvement are exaggerated at least 50 per cent., it would seem to be a losing game for the taxpayers of Union county. The plan, however, is very interesting in the line of municipal enterprise, and if it is to be undertaken anywhere Union county is a first-rate place to make the experiment.

Public ordinances seeking to regulate the use of bicycles are of little avail unless seconded intelligently by the riders themselves. Instead of this being the case, many bicyclists boast of having violated this or that ordinance without detection. It may be so because of the comparative newness of the sport, and time will bring the remedy. The bettering of affairs rests almost entirely with the great body of riders.

The sweeping effect of the anti-gambling amendment can be realized when it is known that under a strict application of the law even the gift of prizes in progressive euchre is made an offense. The friends of the race tracks now boldly declare that they will insist on having the amendment carried out to the letter.

A New York chorus girl has just been married to a New Jersey farmer. It seems a natural step for her to take. A young woman who has been a chorus girl is accustomed to a life of ease and luxury, and it is well known that the farmer's wife does not have a thing to do but enjoy herself.—Rochester Union.

Plainfield will be entitled to the following representation by wards in the Democratic county convention, to be held in Elizabeth October 19th: First ward, 4 delegates; Second ward, 2 delegates; Third ward, 2 delegates; Fourth ward, 6 delegates. The primaries will be held Friday evening of this week.

It may not be generally known, but it is a fact, nevertheless, that the late John R. McPherson had his eyes cast towards the Gubernatorial chair of New Jersey, and that his political lieutenants were endeavoring to shape affairs so that his nomination might be accomplished.

If there is any one man interested in the laying of sidewalks in the borough that man is Mayor Wilson. His Honor can be seen frequently going from one end of the borough to the other looking after the interests of all concerned.

The fact that the Greater New York Mayoralty contest is four-cornered does not necessarily make it a square one.

"Killed by a horse car." An evidence that New York is still behind the times in some things.

Convention Echoes.

On Friday evening, at 8 o'clock, the Endeavorers of the Park Avenue Baptist church will hold a "convention echo" meeting, at which reports of the recent gathering at Paterson will be given by the six delegates from the society. The singing, which will be led by Horace J. Martin, will be a special feature. Following the echo meeting a recognition service for the newly-elected officers will be held.

Locals on page 3.

—The third grand fair of the Independent Fife and Drum Corps will be held next week at Washington Hall.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Assemblyman W. R Codington was in Elizabeth yesterday on business.

Miss Mary VanEps, of East Front street, has recovered from a slight illness.

Miss Belle Lewis, of Somerset street, is entertaining her cousin, John Lewis, of Newark.

Miss Fenner, of this city, who has been visiting relatives in Dunellen, has returned home.

Julius Froebling, of New York city, has returned after a visit with friends in this city.

Mrs. Jonn H. VanWinkle, of Duer street, who has been very ill, is much improved in health.

William Jones, the genial porter at Randolph's pharmacy, has gone on a two weeks' vacation.

Mrs. Leonard Bunn, of Elmwood place, has about recovered from her recent severe illness.

Miss Lila Abrams, of Rocky Hill, has been the guest of Mrs. George Lewis, of Mountain avenue.

Mrs. Julius Froebling and family, of Liberty Corner, are visiting Mrs. J. A. Hoffman, of Grove street.

Mrs. Jacob T. Stout, of Atlantic Highlands, is a guest at the home of John H. VanWinkle, of Duer street.

Miss Ethel Marsh, of New York, has returned to her home after a visit with Miss Fannie Western, of Washington avenue.

Charles Dunlap, of East Fifth street, has recovered from his illness and is able to resume his duties at the law offices of Murphy & Blatz.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward F. Randolph, of West Front street, have returned after visiting relatives in Brooklyn.

Justice Sperry, of the borough, celebrated his seventy-seventh birthday at his residence on Grandview avenue Tuesday.

VISITORS SHOULD SEE IT.

Hahne & Company's Acre of Home Furnishings.

It is doubtful if there is a single store in New York city, either a department store or a furniture establishment, which carries the amount or variety of house and office furniture that Hahne & Company, of Broad street, Newark, have constantly on hand. There are literally acres of floor space in this great store devoted to the articles that make home comfortable and luxurious. It is possible for every one to be suited, whether the furnishings desired are either of medium quality or of the finest made in the world. There are not a few pieces of various qualities to be selected from, but dozens of qualities and scores of designs in every line of home decoration; and there is nothing offered for sale that is not good for years of service.

Hahne & Company have visitors daily from every part of New Jersey, and it is worth anyone's while to inspect the various rooms which are furnished according to the latest style with bedroom furniture, dining room requisites, library comforts, parlor and sitting furnishings, etc. These apartments show the effects to be secured with an outlay of a comparatively reasonable amount of money.

There are few houses in the United States that are larger buyers of furniture than Hahne & Company, so that it is easy to understand why that concern can undersell competitors in the race for the approval of New Jersey housewives.

"So far as office furniture is concerned," said one of the firm to the writer, "you can understand what we are doing in that line when I tell you that we furnish every office of the Prudential Insurance Company, no matter in what part of the United States it is situated."

Hahne & Company's furniture floor is a sight that no visitor to Newark should miss seeing.

Has Not Bought Boynton Beach.

Colonel J. F. Krueger, son of Gottfried Krueger, denied yesterday that his father had purchased the resort in Middlesex county known as Boynton Beach, on Staten Island Sound. A rumor had been current for several days that the resort had passed into Krueger's hands, and that he would open it up as a park, at which beer and liquor would be sold. Boynton Beach was built up and has always been owned by Cassimer Boynton. It is a temperance resort, and a favorite with Sunday-schools and families.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The fac simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

--Additional locals on page 3.

—A meeting of the A. O. H. will be held tomorrow evening.

—An important meeting of Franklin Council, No 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., will be held tomorrow evening.

—The Central Railroad Company has had new drip sheds placed under the Watchung avenue bridge.

—Charles Dolliver, of Fairview avenue, is now studying law in the law offices of Codington & Swackhamer.

—Tomorrow evening a social will be held in Warren chapel under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society.

—On West Front street, near Rock avenue, the city is laying drainage pipes to carry off surface water from Front street.

—The Juniors of the First Presbyterian church celebrate their anniversary this afternoon. There will be a programme.

—On West Front street, opposite Washington avenue, the sidewalk is very low, and in wet weather walking is very disagreeable.

—Tomorrow Trinity Commandery, No. 17, K. T., will go to Morristown to take part in the annual field day exercises of the order.

—A meeting of the Home Mission Society of the Crescent Avenue church will be held in the chapel of the church on Friday afternoon.

—There will be no programme at the anniversary of Miantonomoh Tribe of Red Men, Friday evening. The anniversary will consist of a sociable held in the wigwam of the tribe.

—The case of Schwed Brothers against Daniel Acker, on contract, came before Justice Nash yesterday for trial and a verdict was given for the plaintiff for the full amount and costs.

—Justice Newcorn has issued summons in the cases of Wilcox against Keiderling, Thompson against Smith, and Thompson against Smith and others, all on contract, returnable on the 20th.

—Murphy & Blatz have started the following suits in Justice Nash's court: J. W. VanSickle against J. S. Negley, on contract, and Mary Fawcett against Caroline Clark, on contract.

—A meeting of Central Lodge will be held tomorrow evening when two candidates will be initiated and several propositions will be received. The final arrangements will be made for the public meeting on October 22d.

—There is still an opportunity at the Y. M. C. A. for young men who wish to study shorthand. The class is taught twice each week by George Weeks Sanford, who is instructor in shorthand at the Plainfield High School.

—We want you to see Peck's glorious display—there's never been anything to compare with it in Plainfield. Never anything so beautiful, so complete. From the richest to the plainest and all the way between them is nothing lacking in art goods.

—Yesterday, while a man named Johnson was driving with a load of hay through Grant avenue, one of the wheels on the wagon collapsed, and another wagon had to be secured to cart the hay away. Traffic on the avenue, near Front street, was blocked for a while as a result.

—Three more men were captured for the chain-gang of Middlesex County in a raid yesterday near New Brunswick. The tramps were captured sitting around a fire and were lodged in the Middlesex county jail pending a hearing. They will probably be sentenced to ninety days in the chain-gang.

—It is about time that some method is adopted that will carry off surplus water in heavy rains from under the railroad bridges in the centre of the city, chiefly under the Watchung and Park avenue bridges. The short rain of yesterday made it obligatory for the Street Railway Company to transfer passengers under the Watchung avenue bridge.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by druggists, price 75c per bottle.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Two things every young housekeeper should have—a reliable cook book and a pure baking powder.

We furnish both.

Cleveland's baking powder can be bought at your grocer's, and our cook book is mailed free on receipt by us of stamp and address.

Guarantee.

Grocers are authorized to give back your money if you do not find Cleveland's the best baking powder you have ever used.

Cleveland Baking Powder Co., N.Y.

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—An entertainment will be given in the W. C. T. U. rooms October 26th.

—There will be some initiatory work done at the meeting of Unity Lodge, Knights of Pythias, this evening.

—A new flagstone sidewalk is being laid on Putnam avenue, near Franklin place, to replace the old board walk that used to be there.

—Trinity Commandery, Knights Templar, held a special drill Tuesday evening in preparation for the field day at Morristown tomorrow.

—The Midland Water Works Company is now pumping water from South Plainfield to Metuchen, and everything seems to be working very satisfactory.

—A good time is promised for the meeting of Perseverance Lodge, Knights of Pythias, Friday evening. The second rank will be worked on one candidate.

—Meeting of the Christian and Missionary Alliance on Thursday evening at 7:45 at the rooms of the W. C. T. U., Watchung avenue. Some of the speakers from the convention now in session in New York are expected to be present.

PIANOS

We are now closing out at a sacrifice several odd styles of new pianos, and a great variety of slightly used organs and pianos to make room for new stock.

ORGANS

Catalogues, full particulars and terms sent upon application.

SOLD ON INSTALMENTS, IF DESIRED.

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THURSDAY NIGHT, OCTOBER 14TH. Extraordinary Attraction.

BROOKE AND HIS FAMOUS CHICAGO MARINE BAND!

Finest Concert Band in America. The Greatest Popular Music Band in the World.

The beautiful American Prima Donna,

Miss Sibyl Sammis,

Soprano.

Prices - - 25, 50, 75 and $1.00.

A Piano Sensation!

During this month we're going to sell good Pianos at the previously unheard of price of $170 cash, or $190 on easy monthly payments.

We bought nearly a hundred from different makers during the summer. These are good pianos that we guarantee for five years.

We have also marked down for this month the prices on all of our regular lines of Hardmans, Gablers, Voses, Sterlings and Standards. There is decided saving for the buyer who comes during this sale.

It would be worth your while to buy now, even if you don't want the Piano until Christmas; we'll store it for you without charge.

FIVE TIMES LARGER STOCK OF PIANOS THAN ANY OTHER HOUSE IN THE STATE.

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THE FRANKLIN COMPANY.

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Factories are now being built at

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and all will open with many American mechanics, on or before October 1, 1897. We have applications for 75 to 100 dwelling houses. Here is a chance for BUILDERS, CONTRACTORS and INVESTORS. This property is only to be seen to satisfy the most skeptical of its future. Sewers, water, electric lights, telephone, &c.

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We have just received our new

Fall Suitings and Trouserings.

Trousers to order, $5, $6 and $7.

Business Suits to order, $15 and $20.

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CORNER PARK AND NORTH AVENUES.

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FALL AND WINTER

-CLOTHING-

-: FOR :-

MEN, BOYS AND CHILDREN.

One of the leading wholesale manufacturers in New York has failed and their entire stock was sent to us to be sold at less than forty cents on the dollar they cost to manufacture. The house was noted in New York, and only the very best and choicest lines were handled by them. Recollect these will be sacrifice prices and will last but three weeks. A great opportunity for money-saving clothing buyers.

The very finest tailor-made clothing in the world will be sold at retail for less than half the prices that other stores ask for inferior goods. As this is such a rare occurrence, we respectfully invite all intending purchasers of clothing to give their personal attention and call early, as the choicest goods will most naturally go first. The sheriff must be paid in cash and this elegant stock of fine clothing will consequently be sacrificed at an enormous loss. We will sell you fine fall and winter suits, fall and winter overcoats, ulsters, heavy-weight trousers, coats and vests, handsomely and elegantly made, equal to the best merchant tailor's work, for less than the actual cost of the labor in making these fine garments. Here is your opportunity to purchase a suit or overcoat for what the lining would cost at any tailoring establishment in the city. A few prices will tell the whole facts. Means a saving of 60 per cent. on every dollar spent. We deal only in reliable clothing, and will not undertake to sell one dollar's worth of clothing unless we know that what we sell will give the buyers as good wear as if he paid us what the garment was worth. Men's winter all-wool suits, sizes from 33 to 44, that are sold all over Plainfield at $7.50 and $8.00, are sold here at $3.75; if not satisfied with this suit in any way, bring it back and get your money. Men's fine clay-diagonal heavy-weight suits, silk-lined, worth $22.00, at $7.50. Men's satin lined dress suits in cutaway, worth $22.75, at $8.50. We offer 600 dark colored good suits in mixed cheviots and cassimers at $3 50, $4 50, $5.00 and $5.25, worth easily from $8.00 to $12 00. All wool men's pants at 85c. Heavy cheviots and cassimere pants at 95c, $1 10, $1.25 and $1 50, worth double. Fine double breasted heavy black cheviot suit handsomely made, at $5.25, that other stores ask $15.00 for. Elegant Prince Albert dress suits, very fine imported cloth, wholesale price $18.00 to $25.00, sale price $9.50. Extra fine dress pants, over one hundred styles in stripes and silk mixtures, neat checks and cords, $1.25, $1.50, $1.65, $1 90 and $2.25, worth from $3.75 to $5.50.

Bring this with you and if not shown everything here as advertised we will pay your car fare. Boys' neat double breasted suits, all wool warranted, with double knee and double seat, $1,00, 1 25, 1.50, 1.75 and 2.24, worth three times as much. Men's fine covert cloth fall overcoats, in light and dark shades, silk-lined, worth $16.00, at $5.00, latest styles. Men's heavy diagonal fall overcoat, fine finish, worth 12.00 to 15.00, at $5.50. Men's fine black melton overcoat, blue or black, elegantly made, at $6 50, worth 12.00. Men's imported kersey overcoats silk lined, French facing, worth 22.00, at $8.25. Men's dress overcoats at $3 25, worth 10 00. Buy your overcoat now and you will save sixty cents on every dollar. Men's ulsters, dark blue, all wool, waterproof cloth, worth 18.00, at $6.50. Very fine ulsters at $5.50 and $6.50, worth double. A good ulster for drivers at $2 50 and $3.00, worth from 6 00 to 8.00. Extra fine dress suit for young men and boys, long pants actually valued at 12 00 to 15 00, sale price at $4.50. Young men's single or double-breasted blue or black cheviot suit at $3.50, regular price 10.00. A good youth's suit at $2.50, worth 7 50. Bring anything back within fifteen days, that is not entirely satisfactory. Men's extra fine brown plaid suits at $3.50, $4.50 and $5.00, worth from $9.00 to 15 00. Men's winter bicycle suits at $2 00, $2 50 and $3, worth from 5.00 to 12.00. Remember, no other store in Plainfield can sell you such fine clothing for any less than three times these prices. We have over three thousand suits to choose from. All wool clay diagonal sack suit at $5.90, worth from 12.00 to 15.00. Over one thousand woolen knee pants from 15c to 60c. Everybody living within tweny-five miles of Plainfield should visit this great sheriff sale.

SALE BEGINS SATURDAY, OCTOBER 2, at 7:30 A. M.

New York Clothing Co.,

Next door to Music Hall, Plainfield, N. J.

M. WEINBERGER, Manager. Car fare paid to all out of town buyers. Don't miss this sale, it will pay you to come at once. Sale takes place rain or shine. Don't forget the place; it is 214 West Front Street, next door to Music Hall. Look for New York Clothing Co.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Mrs. W. H. Cole is very much improved from her recent illness.

J. B. Cloos, of Plainfield, visited relatives in the borough yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dougherty will move to Bloomsbury next Tuesday.

A routine business meeting of the Jr. O. U. A. M. was held last evening.

S. B. Terry, of Brooklyn, spent yesterday with his nephew, W. H. Terry.

The painters have completed the first coat of paint on the Presbyterian church.

Rev. Frank Fletcher, of New Market, was in Plainfield yesterday calling on friends.

Mrs. Daniel Randolph, of New Durham, was the guest of borough friends yesterday.

Augustus Warden is able to be at work again after his lively experience with bees.

The Building and Loan Association will meet next Monday evening to receive dues.

A "Tissue Tea" will be given in the chapel of the Presbyterian church tomorrow evening.

Mrs. Closson has returned to Trenton, after spending several days with Mrs. William Hamilton.

Mr. Stewart's handsome $5,000 house is nearing completion, and will soon be ready for occupancy.

William Jennings has resigned his position with Walter Runyon, the funeral director of the borough.

Yesterday's severe rain proved one thing, that is that the general drainage of the borough is poor. The Council should adopt some means whereby this could be remedied.

T. C. Bodine has just received the contract to place a steam and hot air system of heating in the house owned by ex-Secretary of the Navy W. C. Whitney, which is located at Aiken, S. C. The estimated cost is about $1,000.

This evening at Alvah Gray's coal office the Republican primary will be held for the purpose of selecting five delegates to attend the Middlesex county convention, when nominations will be made for one senator, a surrogate and three assemblymen.

SCOTCH PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Mrs. George Clark is entertaining her sister from New York for a week.

Mrs. Frederick Sheelen is dangerously ill at her home in Scotch Plains.

Mrs. Stiles M. Parse has been spending a few days with relatives in Newark.

Miss Anna McGuire has been very ill for several days with quinsy sore throat.

George C. Miller and family, of Fanwood, will shortly remove to New York city.

Mrs. John Marron, of Plainfield, spent Sunday here as the guest of Mrs. William Lee.

On account of the stormy weather yesterday only one session was held at the school.

A tally-ho party from New Brunswick stopped at Emery's Hotel for dinner on Sunday.

A picked football eleven from Plainfield defeated the Scotch Plains team here Saturday afternoon.

The registry board met in the town rooms yesterday to revise registry list. One new name was added.

Mrs. W. H. Hoar, of Fanwood, lost her pocketbook containing a sum of money in the vicinity of the post-office on last Saturday.

Edward Dorward is enlarging William Flanders' "prairie schooner" and getting it ready for Mr. Flanders' proposed driving trip to North Carolina.

Fanwood Council, No. 744, R. A., met in their rooms last evening and completed arrangements for the reception of the grand officers on November 9th.

The building occupied by Sheelen Bros., at Fanwood, has been purchased by the Central New Jersey Land Improvement Company, from the Baker estate.

The case of William C. Stanbery against Eve M. Baker, to recover the value of a quantity of sewer pipe, will be tried on appeal in the Supreme Court at Newark next Monday.

Miss Maggie Fitzgerald acted as bridemaid at the wedding of Miss Mary Duffy and William Grogan, both of Raritan, which took place in St. Joseph's church, New Brunswick, last night.

A union Sunday-school service is being arranged to take place in All Saints' church shortly, and a number of prominent speakers will be present. In the evening a union church service will be held with singing by the boy choir of Holy Cross church, Plainfield.

Catarrh in the head, that troublesome and disgusting disease, may be entirely cured by a thorough course of Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great blood purifier.

Hood's Pills cure nausea, sick headache, indigestion, biliousness. All druggists. 25c.

WESTFIELD

ORDINANCE PRESENTED.

TROLLEY COMPANY AGAIN BEFORE TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE.

Statement of Road Repairs for the Year, and Other Official Business—Social Club Elects Officers—Other Personal Items.

The Westfield Township Committee held a meeting last night, and upon the recommendation of Engineer H. C. VanEmburgh, gave Contractor Johnston an extension of time until the 23d to complete the work of grading and curbing Broad street between Prospect and Elm streets. If the work is not completed by that time, a forfeit will be exacted for each day overtime. The township clerk was instructed to notify the Suburban Electric Company that their poles on Broad street were in the way of proposed improvements on Broad street, and must be changed according to the contractor's wishes. A. A. Gaddis, representative of the Elizabeth and Westfield Railway Company, presented the written consent of the requisite number of property owners along its proposed line of tracks, and also a copy of the ordinance which it petitions the Committee to pass. The question of repairs and alterations to the Central Railroad's culverts within the township was discussed, and as nothing has yet been done in the matter, the Committee decided to visit Superintendent Peddle in a body on Friday and request a speedy completion of the work. The clerk stated that the Union Water Company had done nothing as yet toward repairing Lawrence avenue, as requested by the Committee. Several property owners sent in agreements to pay their sewer assessments in annual installments. Township Treasurer Morehouse read a statement of the township road account, showing expenditures for the year of $3,097 and a balance remaining of $2,750. Road Superintendent J. R. Connolly was instructed to oversee the work of the contractor who is repairing Broad street. Bills to the amount of $419.68 were ordered paid and the Committee adjourned to meet on Friday evening, the 22d.

The Social Club held its annual business meeting at its rooms in the Standard building, last night, and elected the following officers: President, W. H. Gomes; vice-president, Dr. Fred A. Kinch; secretary, A. E B. Bogert; treasurer, H. H. Dounes; governing board, L. R. LeClear, W. H. Hackett and E. J. Whitehead. A house committee will be appointed later by the governing board. The treasurer's report showed the financial condition of the club to be excellent.

The trustees of Fairview Cemetery held their bi-monthly meeting in the Public Library rooms, on Broad street, Monday evening, and the committee in charge of the matter announced that the books containing a history of the cemetery and much information of value to plot-holders are now ready for subscribers.

Mrs. E. R. Wheelock, formerly of Westfield, died suddenly of paralysis on Monday at her home in Brooklyn. The funeral was held this afternoon.

The boards of registry of the first and second districts met last evening and added a number of names to the registry lists.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ostrander, of Omaha, Neb., are visiting Mr. Ostrander's sister, Mrs. S. W. Reese, of Elm street.

Holy Trinity Roman Catholic church will hold a fair today and tomorrow at Etta Hall for the benefit of the church.

The Ladies' Sewing Society of the Presbyterian church will meet in the lecture room tomorrow afternoon.

Charles Frederick has returned home after a visit with his uncle, C. F. Conant, of Prospect street.

Chief Dennis and staff will conduct an inspection of the Westfield Fire Department tonight.

The Exempt Firemen's Association held a meeting in the fire department rooms last night.

Miss Belle Flowers, of Montclair, is the guest of Mrs. Herbert Jones, of Broad street.

Westfield Lodge, No. 169, I. O. O. F., holds a meeting tonight.

It Reflects Our Methods.

There are two notable points about the sale of

Henry's Electric Liniment

that are worth notice. First, we guarantee it. If it fails to give satisfaction in any respect your money will be cheerfully refunded. Second, it is a remedy that can be guaranteed; it would be folly to sell an inferior remedy that way.

The price is 25 cents. It cures bruises, strains, backache or deep seated pains anywhere.

Our proposition on this remedy applies to all the preparations we make. Our aim is to make satisfaction the basis of every transaction. We believe that such methods appeal to thinking people more than plausible promises of something for nothing; more than the use of schemes which in the end must prove a delusion.

FRANK ROWLEY,
DRUGGIST,
45 SOMERSET ST, TEL. 213 A.

JAPAN'S BIG ENTERPRISE IN AMERICA.

Large Appropriation by Imperial Diet—To Inform Americans How to Make Tea.

Several months ago, the Japanese Tea Guild sent to this country a special commission, composed of Mr. S. Mitsuhashi, President of Shizuoka Prefectural Assembly, and Mr. J. Ohara, member of Japanese Parliament, to investigate the condition of the Japanese Tea trade in the United States and Canada and to co-operate with Mr. T. Furuya and Mr. T. Mizutany, the American representatives of the Japanese Tea Guild, in giving publicity to the merits of Japanese Teas and the method of preparing them for drinking which would insure the best results.

Mr. Furuya and Mr. Mizutany are planning to open Tea Bazars in many of the principal cities in the United States and Canada, where ladies can enjoy a cup of fine Japanese tea made by experts, and at the same time receive instructions which will enable them to make it equally well at home. More than half the tea consumed in the United States and Canada is of Japanese growth, yet, the majority of Americans apparently do not understand how to prepare it so as to develop the delicious qualities which it contains. It is believed by these gentlemen that, when Americans are in possession of the secret of making good tea, the consumption in this country will fully equal that of Europe in proportion. The Japanese Government has appropriated a large fund to aid the Japanese Tea growers and Tea merchants in prosecuting this educational work, and it is hoped that American ladies will be apt students. The main Bureau of the Japanese Tea Guild has issued an official recipe for making Japanese Tea, the translation of which is as follows:

First.—Use a small dry, and thoroughly clean porcelain teapot.

Second.—Put in one teaspoonful of tea leaves for each cup of tea desired.

Third.—When using Japanese teas, pour on the required quantity of fresh boiled water, and let stand with closed lid from 2 to 3 minutes. Never boil the leaves. In order to retain the natural flavor, Japanese tea leaves should be kept in tight can or jar, free from moisture.

NOTE.—To thoroughly enjoy the natural, delicate and sweet flavor of Japanese Teas, neither sugar nor cream should be used.

That Popular Music Band.

It is pleasant to announce the coming of anything so entertaining to the masses as a concert by Brooke and his famous Chicago Marine Band, which will be heard at Music Hall tomorrow night. This band is called, and undoubtedly with justice, the greatest popular music band in the world. Everybody says they never heard popular music played so entertainingly, nor so much of a variety of music introduced into a programme with contrasting rapidity. The concerts given by Brooke throughout the east have been unprecedented in the annals of musical events of this character.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

—A number of improvements are being made about the home of B. A. Hegeman, Jr., of Washington Park.

—At the meeting of the Reform Club tomorrow evening at Reform Hall there will be an interesting programme consisting of recitations, songs and speeches.

—We not only can tell you if glasses will improve your vision, but we can make the glasses for the purposes should they be neeessary. Our men have both the practical and theoretical knowledge necessary for this work. At 107 East Front street every Thursday, Leech, Stiles & Co.

George Egel, proprietor of the Grandview Meat Market is ill at his home, 250 Somerset street, with an attack of the grip.

RANDOLPH'S
--DRUG STORE.--

A Pharmacy conducted in the interest of the People's Health. Nature's Wonderful gifts to alleviate the ills of life. Pharmacists having years of experience compound your needs. We solicit your continued confidence.

L. W. RANDOLPH, Prescription Druggist,
143 WEST FRONT STREET. TELEPHONE CALL 109.

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GOLF

players will find a complete line of Golf Goods at our Stores. Prices always consistent with quality

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Two Stores.
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Elm St., Westfield.

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Craig place, in the Sunday-School room, on Wednesday and Thursday afternoons and evenings, October 13th and 14th. Admission, evenings, 10 cents. Afternoons free. 10 13 2

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WANTS AND OFFERS.

FIRST-CLASS help and first-class places at the Swedish intelligence office, 23 Somerset place. s 23 tf

YOUNG lady wishes situation as copyist, insurance or law office. Address Y, care Press. 10 7 6

STRAWBERRY plants by 100 75c. or 1,000 $3; Lovett, Greenville and Brandywine. For sale by W. H. Rogers. Washingtonville, N. J. 10 11 tf

MILK for sale; 20 qts daily. Address V, care Press. 10 12 3

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 403 East Fifth street, 10 12 2

TO RENT—Small store, 12x24. 113 Madison avenue, near Front street. Rent $9. 10 12 3

WANTED—Two girls, cook and waitress; references required. Mrs. Samuel Townsend, 40 Myrtle avenue, North Plainfield. 10 12 2

WANTED—Office boy; good reference. 197 North avenue. 10 12 tf

GIRL wanted for general housework. Apply at 14 Craig Place. 10 12 2

WANTED—German or Swedish girl for general housework. Apply 40 Westervelt Ave. 10 12 2

BOARDING—Beautiful second story rooms heated; reasonable. 214 East Ninth street. 10 8 6

DESIRABLE house, low rental, improved. 235 East Sixth street. Call, 231. 9 10 tf

YOUNG man 22, would like position at any thing; well educated, strong and willing. Address J. H., care Press. 10 11 6

BOY wanted to assist on milk wagon and do chores. Address P. O. box 322, City. 10 11 2

$2,000 wanted on first mortgage at 5 per cent. Address M, care Press. 10 13 2

WANTED—Small girl to assist in housework at 314 East Fifth St.

BOARDERS received, 95 Rockview avenue. Fine large rooms, superior table. 10 13 2

LOST—Yesterday, a black leather music roll. Reward if returned to Geo. O. Stevens, West Front street.

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WANTED—A competent colored girl as cook and laundress; Plainfield reference required. 927 Central avenue.

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No Clause in Existing Treaties Provides for Extradition in Such Cases—Action by Spain Improbable—No Complaint Made.

Washington, Oct. 13.—The alleged Charles Duval, who effected the escape of Miss Cisneros, is Charles Duval Decker, or Karl Decker, as he is generally known. He is connected with the Washington office of the New York Journal, and was formerly a Washington reporter in the staff of the Baltimore American. He was in Cuba last Winter for the Journal, and returned there about a month ago under a contract from Mr. Hearst to effect the girl's release. Decker is a married man, and had a written agreement with Hearst providing for Mrs. Decker's support and remuneration in case Decker should be killed or put in prison.

No complaint about the release of Miss Cisneros has yet been made to the State Department by the Spanish Government. Senor Dupuy DeLome, the Spanish Minister, is out of town. He will be the proper person to make complaint.

It is supposed in official circles here that he will file a demand for the arrest and extradition of the girl, if she is in the United States, and the arrest of the young men concerned in her rescue. But whatever action the Spanish Government takes will be merely formal. Nothing whatever to the injury of Miss Cisneros and those who assisted her to escape will result from any action Senor Dupuy DeLome and this Government may take.

The State Department will undoubtedly decline to extradite the beautiful Cuban on the ground that she was a political prisoner. This is the rule followed by this country in all cases of refugees charged with complicity in rebellions. As for the men who got Miss Cisneros out of prison, they are quite as safe as the girl. There is no provision in any of our extradition treaties for the surrender of American citizens to foreign governments for trial. Such a provision was inserted in a treaty for extradition between the United States and the Orange Free State during the Cleveland Administration, but it was rejected by the Senate.

If the rescuers are arrested in this country on demand of Dupuy DeLome, they will be brought before a United States Commissioner, who will be obliged to release them on account of the refusal of the United States to recognize the authority of the State Department to surrender an American citizen to a foreign government for trial.

It is believed at the State Department that the Spanish authorities are heartily glad of the girl's escape, and will not press the case too closely. A demand for the punishment of the rescuers may be made, however, and a claim against the United States for damages on account of the rescue may follow.

A Demonstration in Miss Cisneros' Honor.

New York, Oct. 13.—Miss Evangelina Cossio y Cisneros is at the Broadway Central Hotel, but nobody is allowed to see her outside of the few persons connected with her escape from prison. The Cuban colony here has planned a big demonstration in her honor. A committee authorized by the Cuban delegation discussed yesterday the details of the demonstration, and decided that it should take place on Thursday or Friday.

The Treasury to Appeal.

Washington, Oct. 13.—Secretary Gage to-day instructed the Collector of Customs of New York to enter an appeal from the recent decision of the Board of General Appraisers, asserting that the Dingley Tariff law did not become operative until the moment it was signed by the President. The order of the Secretary is based on the instructions of the department originally sent out, directing that duties be assessed on goods entered after midnight on Friday, July 23.

The Secretary says that the department cannot accept the decision of the appraisers as final, and directs the application for review under the provisions of the act of June 10, 1890, "in order that the issue may receive the interpretation of the United States Circuit Court."

Yellow Fever in Jamaica.

New York, Oct. 13.—Advices from Jamaica say that the ravages of the yellow fever epidemic continue unabated, although it is hoped that the recent heavy rains may help to check it. Many new cases and several deaths have occurred. The serious fears entertained that Kingston would not be the only place visited by the plague have been more than realized, and there is little doubt that the disease has broken out in other parts of the island. In Port Royal there have been several grave cases among the seamen and officers stationed there. The city of Kingston has been quarantined by the naval station at Port Royal and by the military stations at Park Camp and Newcastle.

Gov. Bushnell Confident.

Springfield, Ohio, Oct. 13.—Gov. Bushnell, before leaving for Columbus to attend to official duties, said this about the Ohio campaign:

"I feel confident that I will be re-elected. I have visited nearly every part of the State, and everywhere have found Republicans cheerful and confident. The interest in the cause of free silver is not any way near as great as it was last Fall, when in the rural districts gains as great as twenty-five votes to one precinct were made in some parts of the State by the silver forces.

Woman Suffrage in Indiana.

Laporte, Ind., Oct. 13.—The women of Indianapolis, under the direction of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, will at once begin a crusade for suffrage by circulating petitions in every township in the State, praying that the Legislature amend the Constitution and grant them the right to vote. Mass meetings in the interest of female suffrage will be held throughout the State.

Corporation Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the following Ordinance has been introduced before the Common Council, read the second time and ordered engrossed preparatory to its third reading, and that it is the intention of the Council to adopt the same.

J. T. MACMURRAY, City Clerk.
Plainfield, N. J., Oct. 4, 1897.

AN ORDINANCE

authorizing the Central Railroad Company of New Jersey to lay down and maintain a Siding or Turnout across North avenue and to run and operate engines and cars thereon.

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That the Central Railroad Company of New Jersey be, and they are hereby authorized and empowered to lay down, construct and maintain, one railroad track across North avenue in the City of Plainfield, and to run and operate railroad engines and cars on and over said railroad track across said North avenue, and that such authorization is granted upon the following terms and condition.

A. That the point where such single railroad track shall cross said North avenue shall be between lands of said Railroad Company on the South side and lands of Charles H. Leonard on the North side of said North avenue and not nearer than fifty (50) feet to Berckman street and not father from said Berckman street than two hundred and fifty (250) feet.

B. That said single railroad track shall be laid and maintained, as nearly as possible, at right angles to said North avenue.

C. That said single railroad track shall be so laid and maintained that the top of the rails shall be on a level with said avenue.

D. That for one foot on the outside of the rails, and between the rails, the said Company shall lay and maintain in good order on a level with the rails, planking, so that the crossing of said railroad track by vehicles shall be easy and convenient, such planking to extend a width equal to three-fifths of the carriage or driveway of said avenue. That the roadway of said North avenue, adjacent to to said crossing, be continually maintained on a level with said planks, and that the planks shall be renewed when, in the opinion of the Street Commissioner, it is necessary.

E. That said Railroad Company in the laying down and maintenance of said single railroad track shall make such culverts or drains, or both, on the gutter lines of the avenue to pass the surface water flowing in said gutters as shall be required by the Street Commissioner of said City.

F. That said Railroad Company shall erect a sign or signal post on one side of said railroad track on the curb line, to be lettered "Railroad Crossing. Look out for the Locomotive."

G. That said Railroad Company shall cause every engine, car, cars, engine and car or cars, which shall be moved across said avenue to be preceded in the going direction of said cars or engines by a flagman to warn persons traveling upon said avenue of the approach of said cars or engines, and no cars or engines shall be moved at a greater speed than such person can walk.

H. That the authorization above granted shall be terminable on thirty days' notice by a resolution of the Common Council to that effect served on said Railroad Company, and in such case said Railroad Company shall forthwith remove all tracks and rails from said avenue and restore the said avenue to the condition in which it now is.

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Leave New York, foot Liberty street, at 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00 a. m.; 12 00 m., (12 45 and 1 00 Saturdays only) 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, (5 15 except Saturdays) 5 30, 5 45, (6 00 except Saturdays) 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 00, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45 p. m.; 12 15, 1 00 night. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00, 9 00, 9 15 a. m.; 12 m.; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00 p. m.; 12 15 night; 1 00 a. m.

Leave New York from Whitehall street at 7 00, 7 35, 8 25, 8 55, 9 55, 11 55 a. m., (12 45 Saturdays only) 1 00, 1 25, 2 25, 3 25, 3 55, 4 25, 4 55, 5 25 (5 55 except Saturdays) 6 25, 6 55, 7 50, 8 25, 9 10, 9 55, 11 30 p. m., 12 10 night. Sundays—At 7 00, 8 15 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 2 30, 3 55, 5 25, 6 55, 7 25, 8 25, 9 50 p. m., 12 10 night.

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Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 50, 8 00, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 9 15, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 01, 52, 10 08, 11 16 a. m.; 12 25, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 18, 7 55, 8 38, 9 03, 10 05 a. m.; 12 10, 1 15, 1 35, 2 35, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 38, 6 43, 6 19, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 05 p. m. Sunday, 7 15, 9 05, 9 30, 10 35 a. m.; 1 10, 1 55, 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 20, 10 20 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a.m (1 40, Saturdays only) 2 11, 2 32, 3 35, 4 36 5 03, 5 14, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 16, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 25, 11 20, p. m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 06, 9 35, a. m.; 2 03, 3 39, 6 35, 8 30, 10 15, 11 14 p. m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35 8 03, 8 13, 9 02, 9 48, 11 45, a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05 3 25, 4 15, 5 28, 6 08, 6 40, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05 p. m Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a. m; 12 05, 1 20, 5 15, 6 58, 7 53, 8 05, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a. m., 1 01, 2 11, 4 55, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 8 06 a. m; 2 03 6 35 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a. m; 12 32, 4 04, 7 00, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 52 a. m; 6 30 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield 9 54 a. m; 5 03, 5 15 p. m

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Mantcoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, & c with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

1 01 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for station on D., L. & W. R. R.

2 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, MauchChunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

4 55 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Scranton, Wilkesbarre, Tamaqua, Shamokin, (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

5 03 and 5 15 p. m., way or Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 06 a. m. Sundays for Easton.

1 01 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 03 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, etc., and at Junction for D., L. & W. R. R.

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For Trenton, 5 17, 8 44, 9 46 a. m.; 1 01, 2 17, 4 25, 5 34*, 6 38* 8 21, 9 37* p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a. m.; 2 25, 4 55, 5 09*, 6 45 p m.; 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 8 44, 10 44 a. m.; 2 17, 5 34*, 6 45 p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 10 44 a. m.; 5 09*, 6 45 p. m.; 1 17 night.

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CHATTANOOGA'S ELECTION.

Landslide on the Democratic Side. Republicans Beaten by 1,600.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Oct. 13.—The municipal election here yesterday resulted in a landslide towards the Democratic side. Col. E. Watkins, Democrat, was elected Mayor over Thomas McDermott, Republican, by a majority of 995. Two years ago the Democratic candidate went in by a majority of less than one hundred, and in the last twenty years a Democratic Mayor has been an exception. Six out of eight Democratic Councilmen were elected, the Republicans losing heavily in every ward.

The Democratic gains are ascribed to the exceptional popularity of Col. Watkins, thorough organization and the difficulties the negroes had in voting, the election being under the Australian Ballot law.

TOM WATSON AGAIN.

Big Fusion Arrangement to Run Him for Governor of Georgia.

Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 13.—A combination which threatens to give the Democracy of the State a hard tussle in the Gubernatorial election next year has grown out of a conference between State Senator Yancey Carter, th Populist standard-bearer of the State, with Walter Johnson, United States Marshal, and Edward A. Angier, District Attorney, after which the announcement was made that the Georgia Republicans would support Thomas E. Watson for Governor in the next campaign. Watson will also be on the ticket of the Prohibition party and the Farmers' Alliance, and his popularity in recent days renders it possible that some of the Democratic vote will go to him. The leaders of the machine Democracy will exert themselves to counteract the influence of this arrangement.

Sheriff Sues Paper and Preacher.

Jersey City, Oct. 13.—Sheriff William Heller, of Hudson County, N. J., has instituted a libel suit aganist the Evening Journal, of Jersey City, claiming $50,000 damages.

The declaration sets forth that the Sheriff is charged with having deliberately, corruptly and unlawfully caused men to come before the court to serve as Grand Jurors, and while serving as such jurors to do the dirty work of protecting crime and criminals. The article, the declaration says, has greatly injured the good character of the Sheriff, and leads many to whom he is unknown to suspect him of having been guilty of such offences.

Sheriff Heller has also instituted libel proceedings against the Rev. A. Kennedy Duff, pastor of the United Presbyterian Church, in West Hoboken. The Rev. Mr. Duff, in a sermon preached about two weeks ago, openly accused Sheriff Heller of drawing his Grand Juries for the express purpose of shielding gamblers and permitting them to ply their trade.

The League Island Dry Dock.

Washington, Oct. 13.—The Pennsylvania delegation in Congress are much concerned about the fate of the proposed new dry dock for the League Island yard. Representative Adams came to Washington Monday, and was at the Navy Department to consult with the naval officials in regard to the matter. He has entered vigorously into the matter, and says that unless the department accedes to the demand of the Pennsylvania Congressmen there will be a big fight on hand next Winter. From all that can be learned at the Navy Department, it is thought that Secretary Long will not pay any attention to the demands of the representatives from Pennsylvania, but will follow the advice of the dock experts of the Navy Department, and that he will not make any recommendation to Congress for the location of one of the new docks at League Island. Senator Penrose and other Congressmen, while in Washington recently, intimated that they were prepared to fight hard for the new dock, and will take the matter into the Senate and House of Representatives, if need be.

Syracuse's Jubilee.

Syracuse, N. Y., Oct. 13.—This city to-day is getting over its holiday in honor of its semi-centennial. In fact, the city has been incorporated only forty-nine years, seven months, but yesterday was fixed by the authorities as the civic holiday, as the Fall weather would be more suitable for the public demonstration. There was a grand parade, in which 15,000 persons, representing nearly all the organizations of the city, took part.

The parade was five miles long, and was three hours in passing the reviewing stand in Clinton square. Many elaborate floats representing the city's growth were in the procession. On the reviewing stand was a living flag of 500 school children in red, white and blue dresses.

Killed by a Tornado.

Elizabeth, N. J., Oct. 13.—A tornado passed over this city yesterday afternoon, and after blowing down a house on Rankin street and killing a man, seemed to rise in the sky and pass away to the north. Its path was marked by uprooted and broken trees, leveled fences and damaged buildings extending in a torturous line for nearly three miles from the lowlands into the manufacturing district to the higher territory of the residential section in the northwest. The greatest damage was in the lowlands, where the wind had an unbroken sweep across miles of salt meadows.

Was the Turnkey Bribed?

Havana, Oct. 10.—Senor Don Manuel Valdes Pita, judge of the district of Belden, in Havana, has arrested Jailer Jose Quintana and the guard, Ramon Garcia, from whom Miss Evangelina Cosio y Cisneros escaped.

Ramon Garcia is the custodian of the cell and door keys, and the judge wants to know if the young Cuban lady did not merely walk out of the main door, and with the consent of Quintana and Garcia.

Gen. Rivera Has Not Resigned.

Madrid, Oct. 12.—The report that Gen. Primo de Rivera, Captain-General of the Philippine Islands, had resigned and that his resignation had been accepted turns out to have been erroneous. The Government will retain Gen. Rivera at Manila for the purpose of developing the reforms that are to be inaugurated in the islands.

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GOSSIP FROM GRIDIRON.

HAPPENINGS AMONG THE LOCAL FOOTBALL PLAYERS.

Games That are to be Played and Points About Teams and Individual Players That May Prove Interesting to Cranks.

Rivalry between the Orange and Elizabeth Athletic Clubs in football bids fair to be fully as fierce this year as last. The members and backers of both teams appear to be equally confident, and it is likely that the game which they play on the afternoon of Election Day will be fully as well attended and attract as much interest as did the Orange Crescent matches of former years. Orange has about decided on the make-up of her team, but Elizabeth is still testing her material, of which there appears to be an abundance. Capt. Phil Stillman will not select the men who will make up his team in the game with Orange until every man trying for the team shall have had an opportunity to show what he is made of.

BASKET BALL.

The date for the regular opening of the basket ball season in Plainfield has not yet been set. The regular team and the business men's team at the Y. M. C. A. have already met and will play several other games, but the first outside opponents of the Y. M. C. A. team have not yet been selected.

Physical Director C. E. A. Heywood, of the Y. M. C. A., says that the prospects for a good basket ball season were never so bright in Plainfield. There are now twenty candidates for a five men team. It is his intention, however, to give them all a chance, and it will be by merit only that the team will be selected.

An attempt is being made to arrange a series of five basket ball games between the teams from the Plainfield and Summit Y. M. C. A's. for a silver cup, the cup to go to the club winning the three games. There was great rivalry between the two teams last year, and such a dual league would make the contests between the teams this year of great interest to players and audiences as well.

CYCLING COMMENT.

Joseph Clum and George Eckhart, of this city, enjoyed a spin on their wheels through the Oranges Sunday.

Peter B. Matthews, of Grove street, started on his wheel for Philadelphia this morning. He will remain there for several days. His cyclometer registered 6,140 miles for this season when he started.

UPSET IN A FLOOD.

An Elderly Man in a Dangerous Predicament Under Clinton Avenue Bridge.

The heavy rain of last night left the water quite deep under the Clinton avenue bridge, at Evona, this morning. At about 8:30 o'clock an elderly man attempted to drive through in a small phæton, but the pony which he drove became frightened and gave a sharp turn, upsetting the phæton and throwing the driver out. As the water was nearly three feet deep, and the man rather feeble, his mishap threatened for a moment to result seriously. While he was struggling in the water, Alfred Randolph, driver for H. A. Weber, the Liberty street grocer, happened along and fished the struggling man out of the water. The shafts of the phaeton were broken and it was otherwise badly damaged

Surprised Friends in Stelton.

A party of young folks, consisting of the Misses Giles, Miss Libby Joseph, Miss Jenkins, Miss Cora Richardson, Miss Ella Gardner, Miss Sadie Randolph, and Messrs. John Steiner, W. Moore, Judson Giles, D Laing, Fred Ross, Dyckman Winckler, Fred Phillips, Fred Batson and John Dilts, were conveyed from Plainfield to Stelton last evening in Captain Hand's stage where they surprised their friends, the Misses Lizzie and Ada Runyon. The jolly party took possession of the house at once and all enjoyed a good time. The evening was spent in playing games and dancing, and when the guests reached home this morning it was nearly 3 o'clock.

—The class in bookkeeping and commercial course at the Y. M. C. A. will meet tonight.

COLORED GROOM HAS DISAPPEARED.

Now His Bride and Friends Are Wondering What Has Become of Him.

A sensation was sprung in colored society circles in this city today by the announcement that Robert Kenney, a young colored man who was to have been married today, had left town suddenly last night for parts unknown.

Kenney is employed as a coachman by Dr. Monroe B. Long, of 415 Park avenue. Some months ago he became acquainted with Miss Nora Williams, a young colored woman whose home is at 309 Arlington avenue, and the acquaintance soon resulted in their becoming engaged.

No intimation was given by Kenney at any time of his wish to break the engagement. The wedding was arranged to take place tonight, and the invitations were sent out and all the arrangements made accordingly.

Yesterday Kenney went about the city completing arrangements for the wedding. He hired a quantity of dishes from a caterer and made other provisions for his approaching marriage. This morning he went to the railway station and boarded the 1:17 train for the south.

He has not yet returned to this city, and it is thought that he has gone to his old home in the south in order to escape marriage. The news of his flight fell like a bombshell among the friends of the couple. They are unable to account for his action.

COLLECTED WAGON WHEELS.

Mr. Nevins Objected to the Loss of His and Brought Suit.

Stirling has just passed through a strange experience. Farmers living in that region have been missing the wheels to their wagons. They would awake in the morning and find their farm wagon in the barn with only three wheels. One wheel went from a wagon belonging to Israel J. Coon; another disappeared belonging to A. B. Nevins, and four from vehicles belonging to the Stirling silk mills.

The wagon owners grew indignant and began to watch for the appropriator of wagon wheels. At last it was claimed that the man had been discovered, and a Swede, formerly in the employ of Vincent Cornish, of the valley road, was pointed out as the guilty man. Then Mr. Nevins started legal proceedings against him in Justice Havey's court at Stirling.

Suit was brought in tort and the preliminary proceedings started. Yesterday the case came up for trial and all the residents for miles around came to see the fun. The defendant was represented by A. H. Cornish and the plaintiff by a lawyer from Summit. The case was an exciting one and the testimony was somewhat contradictory. A jury was sworn in and after a long trial they brought in a verdict for the plaintiff for $40 and costs.

SPENCER NOMINATED.

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gomery for VanNise, the nomination was given to Spencer, thus giving him one more vote than was necessary for the nomination.

The feeling on the part of the Spencer men is very great against Senator Reed, whom they claim is trying to get control of the county in opposition to ex-Senator Thompson, and it seems to be the general feeling here that Mr. Reed has politically killed himself.

Mrs Louis M. Cole, of Baltimore, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. Meredith Dryden, of West Seventh street.

Miss Grace Smith, of Park avenue, and Miss Minnie Arnold, of Manning avenue, are the guests of New York friends.

Mrs. Anna Spencer, of New York, who has been visiting her sister, Miss Henrietta Bonnell, of Manning avenue, has returned home.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The Patrolmen's Benevolent Association held a meeting this afternoon and elected one new member.

—The Park Club board of governors did not hold a meeting last evening, but will meet next Tuesday evening instead.

—At the meeting of the Rathbone Sisters, last evening, one candidate was initiated and two propositions were received.

—Manager George H. Willey, of Music Hall, is in Philadelphia today purchasing costumes for his theatrical troupe with which he will start out next season.

—The women of the German Reformed church will hold a fair this afternoon and tonight and tomorrow afternoon and evening in the basement of the church. All are cordially invited.

—Drake's Band, of Elizabeth, has been secured to accompany Trinity Commandery, No. 17, K. T., of this city, to Morristown tomorrow, when they will take part in the annual field day exercises of the order.

—A meeting of the Borough Council will be held tomorrow evening at which time the Council will meet all persons interested in the Watchung Avenue Commissioners' report who have any objections to make thereto.

—Those needing the services of an expert electrician will find Frederick Chase, of Fanwood, a very handy man to have around. Ten years' experience has made him thoroughly conversant with all the details of the business, and he will be able to give very low rates for first-class work.

—An entertainment will be given in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church on the evening of October 18th, under the auspices of the Young Ladies' Mission Band. The entertainment will consist of tableaux and readings from James Austin's book entitled "Emma."

WHO WAS THE MAN?

Brown Claims That He Had Nothing to Do With the Case.

William Brown claims that it is all a case of mistaken identity; that he did not crowd Tom Marley off the sidewalk and that the latter did not use his "growler" with dampening effect on Brown's head. The story of Tom Marley, the drunken negro and the pail full of beer has already been told in The Press. Marley thought that the colored man who tried to crowd him off the sidewalk was Brown The man, whoever he was, ran around the corner, with Patrolman Cash in full pursuit, and was never seen again.

Yesterday, Roundsman Frederickson met Brown on the street and placed him under arrest on the charge of fighting and being drunk and disorderly. He was arraigned before City Judge DeMeza and the latter held Brown under bonds to appear for trial on Saturday morning.

Brown pleaded not guilty and declared that he had not been near Marley last Saturday night and that he had not been drunk on that night or any other night. He claims that he will be able to prove an alibi when the case comes to trial.

Miss Grace Crane, of East Second street, has returned home after a visit with relatives in Brooklyn.

John C. Whiting, formerly assistant secretary at the Y. M. C. A., who has been spending a few days with his mother on East Sixth street, returned today to New York city.

Peter V. Weaver, an old veteran, of West End Park, and his fellow comrade, Albert Runyon, of Mountain avenue, will drive to Rahway tomorrow and attend the annual reunion of Bramhall's Battery and the First New Jersey Cavalry.

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" "	4.87	3.37
" "	2.75	1.98
" "	2.75	.98
" "	8.00	4.25
" "	6.00	3.87
Men's Pants	1.75	.98
" "	2.75	1.12
" "	1.50	1.00
" "	1.37	.75
" "	2.50	1.48

	Were	Now
Men's Suits	9.50	5.48
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" "	9.00	6.98
" "	8.00	5.00
" "	5.50	2.98
Men's Working Shirts	.50	.29
" Shirts and Drawers	.50	.39
" Neckwear	.50	.39
" Sweaters	.50	.18
Men's Derby Hats (large assortment)	2.00	1.30
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KEEN WORDS ABOUT AN AXE.

LED TO A FIGHT BETWEEN WOMEN.

Dora Parsons Accused of Being the Aggressor—She Will Answer to the City Judge.

Miss Dora Parsons, the dusky heroine of a famous breach of promise case that came up for trial in the city court last winter, is now about to figure in another trial before City Judge DeMeza. This time, however, she is the prisoner instead of the complainant, her sister-in-law, Mrs. Helen Parsons, from Paradise alley, figuring as the latter.

Mrs. Helen Parsons is the wife of Jacob Parsons, and together they have lived in peace and quietude in the alley, undisturbed by family troubles. Paradise alley itself has been unusually good of late, and the police have had little to do there. This last trouble arose over an axe that belonged in the household of Mrs. Helen Parsons. Her dusky sister-in-law skipped over the other day from her home on East Fourth street and borrowed the axe, as she wanted to cut wood. The axe was loaned, but not returned. Late Tuesday afternoon Miss Dora went over to the Paradise alley household. The two women began to talk about the axe Their words were cutting and grew sharper as the quarrel grew fiercer. Finally, Mrs. Parsons alleges that her sister in-law grew so angry that she seized the former by the gown and began to tear it into fair-sized strips She also claims that the angry Dora set her finger nails in Mrs. Parson's throat leaving two ugly cuts that are still to be seen.

After Mrs. Parsons escaped, she hurried to City Judge DeMeza's office, showed the ragged condition of her raiment and the cuts on her neck and made a complaint against Dora. A warrant was issued for the offending Miss Parsons, and Roundsman Frederickson was put on her track yesterday afternoon. Before he found her, however, she came to Chief Grant and gave herself up.

She was brought before City Judge DeMeza and released to appear for trial Saturday morning, when the case will be investigated and the story of the trouble will be heard.

THE OLD LEADERS WON.

Hot Fight in the Republican Primary in New Market Last Night.

The Republican primary at New Market last night to elect delegates to the Republican county convention was one of the most hotly contested held in years, the fight being between the old leaders and the new element who want to get control. For years the primary has been held in the afternoon, and when the call was made for the evening there was a great deal of surprise expressed, because it is inconvenient for some of the Republicans of the township to get there in the evening. But the fight was so hot that the attendance was large, notwithstanding the new order of things. A special train from South Plainfield brought a large crowd of voters from that section. The delegates representing the old faction were chosen as follows: Martin D. Nevius, 40; Wm. Drake, 39; J. P. Osmon, 43. The opposition delegates, who were defeated, were as follows: A. L Storms, 35; John Sebring, 22; Wm. Fitz Randolph, 34. Thomas Brantingham, 1.

The Repulican primary held last evening at Dunellen was a quiet affair and there was no opposition shown. Dr. Brakeley called the meeting to order and he was chosen chairman. Wilson Fredericks was made secretary. After the call for the meeting was read, Charles Coriell was elected delegate to attend the convention to be held at New Brunswick. As a second delegate, F. A. Gise was chosen in case he should be needed. The delegates were given the power to fill their own vacancies.

Their First Meeting of the Season

The Parliamentary Club held its first meeting of the season in the small hall of the Y. M. C. A. building at 10 o'clock this morning. About thirty members were present. The usual practice was held, and the president, Miss C. R. Yates, and Mrs. S. R. Krom were elected delegates to the State convention of the Federation of Woman's Clubs, which meets in Camden on the 2-th inst. Mrs. Elmer Runyon and Mrs. A. V. D. Honeyman were elected to membership, and the meeting adjourned to the 28th, when the annual election of officers will be held.

Discussed License Question.

The philanthropic committee of the Society of Friends held a meeting in the meeting-house, on North avenue, last night. About twelve members were present, and the chief event of the meeting was a discussion of the coming election to decide the matter of liquor license.

ONLY A HORSE, BUT LOVED

TRADED OFF FOR A "BAG OF BONES" BY INEBRIATED HUSBAND.

Mrs. John Staats Insists That Her Husband Had No Right to Dispose of the Horse and Brings Suit to Recover the Equine.

Everybody loved "Toby;" the children cried with glee when the good old equine appeared; the dogs barked joyfully before his forefeet; and his owner, Mrs. Sarah Staats, patted him on the nose and gave the faithful creature a lump of sugar that had been saved specially for him. "Toby" had grown up with the neighborhood and had become a recognized part of it. He belonged to Mrs. Staats, who used to drive him out every day until September 23d, when something dreadful happened. Since then the neighborhood has been mourning the loss of poor "Toby," and the courts have been called in to restore the animal to its original owner.

On that fateful day John Staats, husband of Mrs. Sarah Staats, took "Toby" and went out for a drive. It is said that he indulged too freely, for he has no remembrance of what happened on that afternoon except that he traded "Toby" for another horse that seemed at the time to be far superior to the faithful old equine. At any rate, when he returned Mrs. Staats found a strange horse in the shafts instead of her beloved "Toby." She says the new horse was scarcely more than a bag of bones and could nowhere equal dear old "Toby"

Mr. Staats had no remembrance of what became of the old steed, but the neighbors were called in and finally decided that the horse belonged to Mahlon Mulford, of New Market. So Mrs. Staats hitched up the new addition to her stable and drove to see Mr. Mulford. Mulford admitted that he had "Toby" in his barn, but explained that he had secured the horse by a fair trade made on the road and what was more he intended to keep "Toby." Mrs. Mulford left the other horse at Mulford's and went home.

Now, while "Toby" was not such a valuable horse in the eyes of the world, she had long owned him and had grown greatly attached to him. So she determined to get him back. She consulted her lawyer, Francis J. Blatz, of Murphy & Blatz, and as a result, suit was started in Justice Nash's court, in tort, to recover possession of the departed "Toby." Yesterday summons were served on Mulford, and trial was set down for October 22d.

A CHURCH FAIR.

Women in Charge and Have Arranged Things in a Pretty Shape.

The women of the German Reformed church are holding a fair for the benefit of the church. It opened yesterday afternoon and will continue until this evening. Everything has been well arranged for sale in the basement of the church. The committee in charge, consisting of Mrs. Jacob Blimm, Mrs. Phillip Giese, Mrs. Phillip Bach, Mrs. Fred Conde, Mrs. N B Smalley, Mrs. Angerbauer, Mr. Doeringer, August Wolf and Mr. Schleif, made every preparation for a successful fair.

The fancy table is in charge of Mrs. Jacob Blimm and Mrs. Hook. Mrs. Angerbauer and Mrs. Fred Conde were in charge of the grocery table. The cake and candy table was under the supervision of Mrs. N. B Smalley and Mrs. Phillip Giese, and Mrs Phillip Bach looked after the refreshments.

An attraction is the contest for two prizes, a rocking-chair and a handsome quilt. Those who are contesting for them are Mrs. Phillip Giese, Mrs. Angerbauer, Mrs. Jacob Blimm, Mrs. Fred Conde and Mrs. Phillip Bach.

Last evening a short musical and literary programme was presented by some of the young people of the church, and the large attendance found plenty of ways to pass an enjoyable evening.

County Doctors Met.

The Union County Medical Society held its regular meeting in the Y. M C. A. building yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. About forty members were present, and the vice-president, Dr. Green, of Elizabeth, presided. After the routine business was transacted the association listened to an interesting paper read by Dr. William C. Boone, of this city.

State Endeavor Officers Coming.

The Christian Endeavorers of Plainfield will, at an early date, have an opportunity of meeting the State officers of the society. It is quite likely that the State board will hold a meeting in this city soon.

Germans Will Sing.

On the evening of November 9th, the singing section of the Gesang and Turn Verein will give a concert at the Spielkartenfest, to be held in the Cycle Academy for the benefit of the hospital.

MENTIONED FOR OFFICE.

Union County Men Who Are Talked Of as Candidates.

NEITHER PARTY HAS A SLATE FIXED.

Both County Conventions Will Be Held Next Week—Roger F. Murray, of This City, Will Probably Get an Assembly Nomination—James E. Martine, of This City, Talked Of For the Surrogateship

The Elizabeth Journal says:

Next week will be convention week for both Republicans and Democrats, and nominations will be made for candidates for surrogate and assembly. In political circles there is considerable stir, but there have been no slates fixed up which are certain to be adopted by the conventions.

It is well understood that Hon. George T. Parrot will receive the nomination for a renewal of honors of surrogate, and so far as that office is concerned the Republicans will have no other candidate.

But who are to be the Republican nominees for the assembly no one can tell just yet. There are candidates aplenty, or at least a number who are talked of as likely to go before the convention.

Sometimes it looks as if the ticket of last fall will be renominated. Hon. J. Martin Roll, of Springfield, is said to be ambitious for a third term, and there has been considerable talk that Hon. W. R. Codington, of Plainfield, had the same desire. But yesterday it was stated that Mr. Codington had expressed himself as not in the race. If any of the former assemblymen are renominated, the convention will in all probability honor them all, Messrs. Roll, Codington and Clauss.

In Mr. Codington's district there is a strong feeling favorable to the nomination of Roger F. Murray, of Plainfield. Former County Attorney Clarence M. Ward, of Rahway, has many supporters, and in this city, among the men who are mentioned as candidates are: Former Councilman George A. Squire, Councilman Robert L. Patterson and former Councilman Robert G. Houston.

The Democrats are as far from being settled upon their candidates as the Republicans, and more so in respect to the surrogate's nomination. The most probable opponent to Surrogate Parrot is former County Clerk John L. Crowell. His boom was launched at the Whitestone excursion, and it has been carefully nursed by his friends, with all the assistance that veteran in politics could himself give.

Jacob W. Sheppard, of this city, is talked of for the surrogate nomination, and his candidacy has grown in favor during the past week. There are others who hold to James E. Martine, the "farmer orator," although it is understood that Mr. Martine does not wish the nomination. It is also probable that some Democratic lawyer will get into the race as a dark horse.

For the assembly honor State Committeeman William D. Wolfskiel was regarded as slated for the nomination some months ago, but he is going to have a strong opponent in Councilman John J. Gardner, of the First ward.

Other candidates are: Samuel Schleimer, of the Tenth ward, Edward Nugent, of the Eighth ward, Frank Vosseller, of Plainfield, a son of the late County Clerk James S. Vosseller.

The Democratic primaries will be held on Friday evening and the convention on the 19th, at Turn Hall.

The Republican primaries will be held on Monday evening next, and the convention in Lyceum Theatre on Friday afternoon next, at 3 o'clock.

ELDERS AND DEACONS CHOSEN.

Annual Meeting of Trinity Reformed Church Held Last Night.

The annual meeting of the congregation of Trinity Reformed church for the election of elders and deacons was held last evening, at which time there was a good attendance of members. F. E. Smith, A. L. Force and H. J. Martin were chosen as elders, and R. A. Meeker, Curtis M. Thorp and E. E. Anthony were selected as deacons. This comprised all of the important business that was transacted.

Quarterly Meeting Held.

Next Sunday at the Mt. Zion A. M. E. church will be held the quarterly meeting. In the morning, at 10 o'clock there will be a love-feast, and in the afternoon there will be preaching at 3 o'clock. The evening service will be devoted to communion. Visiting brothers are expected.

Left Less One Leg.

Charles Manning, who sometime ago met with an accident which resulted in the amputation of a leg, was discharged from the hospital this morning.

JUMPED THE WRONG WAY

Senator Reed Seems to Be Outside the Breastworks.

HE COULDN'T BEAT LEW THOMPSON.

The "Tall Sycamore" Sought to Gain Control of the County Leadership Through the Surrogate Candidacy—Thompson on His Mettle—Did Reed Dig His Political Grave by Such Action?

The fight for the nomination of Surrogate in the Republican convention of Somerset county, held in Somerville yesterday, is evidently broader in results than the nomination of H. Newton Spencer, the old political war horse of "over the brook." While there were several other candidates contesting Mr. Spencer's claims with vigor, the fight in reality was between former Senator Thompson and Senator Reed for control of the county. The Surrogate candidacy was the cornucopia through which the issue was brought to a focus.

After the nomination of Mr. Spencer had been accomplished the political wiseacres immediately proclaimed that "Charlie Reed is politically dead." Before the convention Mr. Reed hadn't said that he was for Mr. Spencer. He hadn't said that he was against him either. His position might be described as that of a man on the fence. But Spencer's friends thought that when it came to a choice between the North Plainfielder and any of his opponents, he would jump off on the former's side. But he didn't. He wanted to play in the political backyard of George W. Cooper, the rotund Somervillian, who ached to have the place Mr. Spencer got, and that is how he came to fall outside of the breastworks.

That is mere detail, however. Lew Thompson—all politicians of Somerset address him familiarly by his abbreviated given name—was the man whose efforts Senator Reed wanted to compass. Thompson is what Senator Reed wanted to be—the leader in the county. Thompson was Spencer's sponsor. It naturally came about in the course of political events that Spencer stood in the way of Reed's aim. Sweep Spencer out of the way and Thompson's influence would have been impaired, the attitude of the Senator seemed to bespeak.

Thus it was that the "Tall Sycamore of Somerset"—the sobriquet applied to the Senator in the Legislature—worked among the delegates yesterday seeking support for Cooper.

The bone of contention, it appeared, was the Warren delegation. A namesake—John C.—of Cooper, Spencer's rival, headed the delegation—they call him the uncrowned king of Warren—and he was persistant and steadfast in being the tail to the Spencer kite. Could he have been won over it was considered that Spencer's kite would have trailed in the dust of defeat. But Thompson had the string that guided the Spencer affair and he handled it so successfully as the political winds seemed to shift that there never was a break.

It remains to be seen what the effect will be on the future political aspirations of Senator Reed. Matters of a political trend are fraught with surprises. Spencer's friends say that Reed's public career is at an end. But the Senator has a way about him that may overcome any such general feeling. But whatever the outcome is the Senator will turn in and try to elect Spencer.

TO LEARN FIRST RUDIMENTS.

A Change in the Method of Instruction in Singing.

A change has been made in the method of instruction in singing at the Plainfield High School. Heretofore it has been the custom to have only one singing class composed of all the pupils in the High School. While some are well versed in music there is a certain proportion who have no knowledge of the principles of sight-reading, and now it is planned to start an elementary class for their benefit. The latter class will hold its lessons on Monday and Friday mornings under the instruction of Charles H. Lewis, the instructor in that branch. The advanced class will take up selections as of old and will hold a lesson on Monday mornings. They will be granted one extra study period on Fridays.

Attending Knights Field Day.

About fifty members of Trinity Commandery, No. 17, K. T., of this city, left this morning in a special car for Morristown, where they took part in the annual field day exercises of the order. At Elizabeth the commandery was met by Drake's Band who accompanied them to their destination and escorted them in the parade. The commandery made a very fine showing as they marched to the North Avenue station.

—Additional locals on page 3.

LONG IN PUBLIC VIEW

H. NEWTON SPENCER A RESIDENT OF NEW JERSEY ALL HIS LIFE.

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In nominating H. Newton Spencer for Surrogate in the Somerset county Republican convention yesterday, Former Mayor Hegeman said that five years ago when Mr. Spencer's friends rolled up 320 majority for him in the borough it was thought that he was surely elected. But in the rest of the county he was beaten, Mr. Hegeman said that it was then tacitly understood that when it came time for another nomination for Surrogate Mr. Spencer should be given another chance. Times had changed since then and Somerset was now a Republican county and there were other candidates in the field for the same honor. They were all good fellows, he said, but it was for the delegates to decide who was to have the nomination. It had been claimed that North Plainfield has the plum of the county offices. "We have and we are proud of it," said Mr. Hegeman, "and we might be content if we didn't have such a worthy son to present." Mr. Hegeman then formally nominated Mr. Spencer.

Henry Newton Spencer is the son of James L and Caroline B. Spencer. He was born in Washington Valley, Essex (now Union) county, N. J., September 18, 1843, and graduated from Wallace's Business College, at Plainfield, in 1857, then entering the grocery business in the employ of his brother, Lewis Craig Spencer. At the outbreak of the war his brother entered the army, and his father conducted the business, with the assistance of H. N. Spencer, until 1866.

At that time Mr. Spencer opened business at Rahway. In 1869 he removed to North Plainfield, where he took charge of the store he now occupies at 76 and 78 Somerset street, and has continued there uninterruptedly to the present time. He cast his first vote for Abraham Lincoln for the presidency, and has been active in the Republican party ever since. During the past ten years he has represented his district on the Somerset county executive committee, and on the executive committee of the Republican State League during the past eight years. Mr. Spencer has held many responsible positions, both civil and political, having served several times as township and district clerk prior to 1886, and since then has been collector and treasurer for the borough and township of North Plainfield.

On January 12th, 1867, Mr. Spencer was married to Mary J. Gibby, daughter of Judge Gibby, of Rahway, and by them two sons and a daughter were born.

Mr. Spencer has been active in the management of the Reform Club for several years. He is a member of the Exempt Firemen's Association, the Royal Arcanum and a director of the American Fire Insurance Company. He is of French lineage, and has an ancestry not inconspicuous in the Revolutionary War. His great-grandfather is supposed to have been killed at the battle of Elizabeth in 1780. On the maternal side, William Line, his great-great-grandfather was a captain of militia in the Continental Army, and lived on a farm near Blue Brook, Washington Valley, Union county.

Mr. Spencer is a man that is well-thought of and liked by all who know him, and his many excellent qualities have won for him many friends, both Democrats and Republicans.

Both Offenders go to Jail.

Last evening Henry Morse, colored, a resident of Coontown, was arrested by Chief Wilson, of the borough, for being drunk and disorderly. Morse was found wandering about dooryards in Washington Park, and he was promply given the proper treatment, which was thirty days at Somerville, in default of the payment of a $10 fine. Early this morning Marshal Schenck arrested Adam Martine, an old resident of the borough, for being in an intoxicated condition, as well as disorderly. Recorder Thomas gave him a choice between $10 or thirty days. He took the latter.

Bride and Groom Gave a Supper.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hughes gave a supper in the Catholic Club Lyceum, corner of Liberty and Sixth streets, last night. The attendance was very large, and a most pleasant evening was passed by those who showed their regard for Mr. and Mrs. Hughes by accepting their hospitality.

—A successful dance was held in T. A. B. Hall last evening, for the benefit of the Pastime Social Club.

—There are shoes, and there are shoes. VanArsdale calls your attention to his shoe advertisement today.

PLIGHT OF A GIRL TOURIST.

SEPARATED FROM HER BROTHER.

Miss Higgins Had Been in New York Sightseeing—Started for Home and Unable to Find Her Brother.

The good residents of South Plainfield are quite excited over the fact that they have in their midst a stranded young woman. Separated from her brother as they boarded one of the Lehigh Valley trains at Jersey City, she is now at the South Plainfield hotel without funds or tickets, waiting to learn of his whereabouts.

Arthur B. Higgins and Miss Bertha Higgins are brother and sister. Their home is in Geneva, N. Y. Several weeks ago they came to New York on a sight-seeing trip, and after seeing all they wished prepared to return. They were to leave Jersey City yesterday afternoon on the Lehigh Valley Railroad. They arrived at the station and the sister went and took her seat in the train while her brother remained behind to purchase a cigar. He carried the money and tickets of the party.

The train pulled out of the station and started on its way, but Higgins did not appear. His sister thought at first that he had boarded another car and would soon join her, but as the minutes rolled by and he did not appear, she appealed to the conductor for help. Together they went through the train, but Higgins was nowhere to be found. Thoroughly alarmed for fear that her brother had met with some accident, Miss Higgins finally decided to leave the train at South Plainfield. She had no ticket nor money.

At South Plainfield she went to Fitzgerald's Hotel and told her story. She was taken in and given a room and her wants provided for. She was very anxious about her brother and feared that he was in trouble somewhere. The South Plainfielders became interested in the case and are now using their best efforts to locate the missing man.

JONES IS GUESSING.

Wondering if Someone Took His Wheel Intentionally or by Mistake.

Jacob Jones is still guessing whether somebody stole his wheel, or made a mistake and took the wrong wheel. It happened yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock. Jones is an insurance agent and lives on Central avenue. He rode up to the City Hotel on his wheel, jumped off and went into the hotel, leaving the wheel standing at the curb. When he came out of the hotel a few moments later the wheel was gone. The missing wheel was a '96 Hartford that Mr. Jones has ridden for some time.

Mr. Jones began to look about for his wheel thinking that some friend had played a practical joke. In the place where he had left his wheel there was a lady's Richmond wheel. Nobody came to claim the latter. At last a man, who had stood on the opposite corner, came over and said that he had seen a man ride up on a lady's wheel, go into the hotel and come out again, and get on the man's wheel. He had ridden off on the latter.

The lady's wheel is now waiting in the City Hotel until its owner shall come back to claim it. Meanwhile Jones is walking and waiting to find whether it was a case of theft or mistaken identity.

Wesley Evangelists Coming.

The Wesley evangelists, of New York, who will be in this city next Sunday, are fast becoming noted for the impression which their work makes everywhere. They will have charge of the men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, and in the evening will assist in the services at the East Third Street mission, and at the Memorial chapel at Washingtonville.

Y. M. C A Notes.

The advanced class in mathematics meets at the Y. M. C. A. tonight.

George Weeks Sanford, who is in charge of the shorthand course at the Y. M. C. A., is highly endorsed by the president of the Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute and by the secretary of the Brooklyn Branch of the Y. M. C. A.

Miss Tomlinson gave the first of her series of readings in English literature to a class of ladies at the Y. M. C. A. building this morning. The class meets twice a week, on Thursday mornings and on Monday afternoons.

Death of Mrs. Garretson's Mother.

Mrs. Jacob F. Sharp, mother of Mrs. J. F. Garretson, of this city, died at her home in Somerville today. She was an elderly woman, well known and beloved by many friends in this city and Somerville. The funeral will be held from her late residence on Main street, Somerville, Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

I. M. Price, of Brooklyn, has returned to his former position as a clerk in the pharmacy of Horsley Barker, on West Front street.

THE CAMDEN TRAGEDY

Murderers of the Two Women Have Not Been Traced.

SON KNOWS BUT LITTLE

Suspicion Against Him Seems to Have No Foundation and Friends Discredit It—Bullets Not of the Same Size.

Camden, N. J., Oct. 14.—The murder of Mrs. Emma Zane and her daughter, Mrs. Sarah M. Shaw, is the only thing discussed here. There are several Philadelphia detectives, as well as the Camden police, at work on the case, and as far as known there does not seem to be any clew to the murderers.

The friends of the dead woman scout the idea that Eli Shaw, son of Mrs. Shaw, had anything to do with the crime. He is 19 years of age, a member of the Methodist Church of Camden, and of excellent reputation. He is the one who gave the alarm.

There were rumors that burglars did not kill the woman and hints that young Shaw committed the crimes. It was pointed out that he had a 22-calibre revolver in his hand at the time the police were summoned, and that every one of the chambers had been discharged.

The autopsy held on the bodies of the murdered women showed that both had met death by being shot with 32-calibre revolvers. The 22-calibre pistol in the possession of Eli Shaw had nothing to do with the case.

It is the general opinion here that the double tragedy was committed by some one who was familiar with the Zane and Shaw families. They lived in a good portion of the city and were reported to be wealthy. This had led some to think that the double tragedy was committed by some resident of Camden.

The police were informed shortly after the commission of the crime, and it is argued by those holding that the murderers live here that should the murderers have attempted to leave the city the news sent to the police of surrounding places almost immediately would have headed them off.

The bodies of Mrs. Zane and her daughter are in their house at 242 Line street. The arrangements for the funeral have not yet been completed. Both women were widows, and the only man in the house was the son, Eli Shaw.

Two Arrests.

Camden, N. J., Oct. 13.—Two men—one tall, the other short—were arrested yesterday afternoon at Stockton district, a suburb of this city, in connection with the murder of Mrs. Zane and her daughter.

The men went into a Stockton saloon and asked the bartender to take care of a pistol for them until they should call for it last night. The bartender followed them until he met a policeman, who arrested them.

The prisoners answer the description of two men seen by Howard Ross, an engineer of the Pennsylvania Railroad, at 4.30 Tuesday morning. He was walking on his way to the railroad yards when he was nearly knocked down by the men running against him. This was shortly after the murder and was within a few blocks of the Zane house.

TWO WOMEN DROWNED.

Carriage Bearing a Party Returning from a Wedding Upset.

Monticello, N. Y., Oct. 14.—John O'Neil, of Fallsburg, and Miss Rose Lynch were married Friday night at the bride's home at Mountaindale. A company comprising William F. O'Neil, of the law firm of Reynand, Harris & O'Neil, of New York; his daughter Edna, and Archibald D. O'Neil, a hotelkeeper, of Fallsburg, and his wife and daughter Clara, attended the wedding. On their return home in a carriage, while attempting to cross the Neversink River at Denniston's Ford, the harness broke and the horses took fright. The carriage was overturned and the occupants were thrown into the swift water. Lawyer O'Neil saved himself and daughter. Mrs. O'Neil and daughter were caught in the current and swept away. Mr. O'Neil saved himself by catching one of the horses by the tail, and was dragged to the opposite shore. The bodies have not been recovered.

Worse Than War.

Washington, Oct. 14.—Among the interesting data furnished by the report of the Interstate Commerce Commission, just out for the year ending June 30, 1896, is the fact that 1,900 employes were killed and 30,000 injured during the year, an increase of 50 killed and 4,000 injured.

Besides these 181 passengers were killed and nearly three thousand injured. The number of persons other than employes and passengers killed was 4,406, and injured, 5,845.

There were 886,000 railway employes.

Orphan Home to Be Investigated.

Poughkeepsie, Oct. 14.—The State Board of Charities will investigate the charges of cruelty in the De Puyster Orphan Home, at Tivoli. Mrs. Anita B. Fisk, president of the New York Auxiliary of the Woman's Home Mission Society, which controls the home, is at Tivoli, and to-day will make a report on the charges at a meeting of the auxiliary, to be held in this city. Gen. De Puyster, of Tivoli, and the Methodist clergymen throughout the country are bringing pressure to bear to have a rigid and impartial investigation made.

A Silver Mayor Elected.

Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 14.—Thomas Taggart is re-elected Mayor of the city by a plurality of nearly 5,000. The entire Democratic ticket is elected.

The money question was the main issue. The Democrats indorsed the Chicago platform and combined with the free-silver Republicans on Taggart.

David Martin Wields the Ax.

Harrisburg, Pa., Oct. 14.—Secretary of the Commonwealth Martin has asked for the resignation of Col. James E. Barnett, the Deputy Secretary of the Commonwealth. Richard E. Cochran, of York, a son of a former Auditor-General, has been appointed his successor.

CANADA'S DEFENCES.

Mr. Dilke Thinks Canada Should Be Better Prepared to Protect Herself.

Ottawa, Oct. 14.—Sir Charles Dilke, in a letter from England, touches upon the subject of the defense of Canada in the event of a war with the United States. He says:

"The statement of our military need made by the average man, neglects the defense of Canada. We yielded to pressure from the United States in the Venezuelan question. We are yielding to similar pressure again, and pressure somewhat ungraciously applied, in the sealing question. There is a war party or a jingo party, in the United States which openly avows the intention to humiliate and weaken us, and ultimately to drive us into war. There are it is to be hoped, and perhaps believe in the United States a majority of peace-loving citizens, who shrink with as much horror as we do from the prospect of a conflict between such powers; but, however anxious we may be for peace, and however much we may work to keep it, yet we cannot close our eyes to the obvious facts; and one of these facts is that circumstances might occur under which we should, by no fault of our own, find ourselves at war with the United States, with Canada calling upon us to defend her."

SENT LUETGERT'S CHILDREN OUT.

The Judge Wouldn't Have Them in the Courtroom During a Speech.

Chicago, Oct. 14.—The first plea to the jury on behalf of Adolph L. Luetgert was made yesterday by the junior counsel for the defense, Albert Phalen. Luetgert's two children were brought into court, and the prisoner held his youngest boy on his lap and fondled him ostentatiously. Assistant State's Attorney McEwen objected to the exhibition, and the children were ordered removed by the Court. Mr. Vincent objected to the Court's ruling.

"There can be but one object in the defendant's action," pursued the Judge, "and that is to excite sympathy."

"I except to the Court's remarks," said Mr. Vincent, and the incident was over, but the buzz of comment lasted some time longer. One of the jurors smiled when the sausage-maker caressed his children. Mr. Phelan's plea was not oratorical. He scored the State's witnesses and declared that perjury had been freely committed to convict Luetgert. He resumed his argument this morning.

10 TO 7 ON VAN WYCK.

Lots of Money to Wager at That Odds on the Tammany Candidate.

New York, Oct. 14.—Offers to bet upon Van Wyck, conditioned upon none of the candidates for the Mayoralty of Greater New York withdrawing, aggregated a large amount yesterday on the New York Stock Exchange. E. B. Talcott offered $15,000 at odds of 10 to 7 on Van Wyck. He wanted to bet it either in whole or in amounts of $1,000 to $700. He made one bet of $1,000 to $700, E. F. Patchen putting up the latter amount on the field. Later in the day E. L. Norton, of Henry Allen & Co., offered to bet $5,000 against $3,000 that Van Wyck would be elected. M. B. Mendham made a bet of $500 to $250 that Low would not be elected.

E. J. Stachelberg, of M. Stachelberg & Co., offered in Wall street yesterday to bet $10,000 to $7,000 on Van Wyck, conditional on Tracy's non-withdrawal.

ENGLAND AND BIMETALISM.

The British Cabinet Will Reply to American and French Proposals.

London, Oct. 14.—The Daily News says it understands that the Cabinet will, on Saturday, definitely reply to the American and French bimetallic proposals.

In anticipation of any action by the Government a strongly worded memorial is being signed by London bankers, discount brokers and merchants against the Bank of England holding one-fifth of its note reserve in silver.

The memorial earnestly deprecates any interference with the existing standard, and is especially emphatic against any change in the Indian currency without a full discussion in Parliament.

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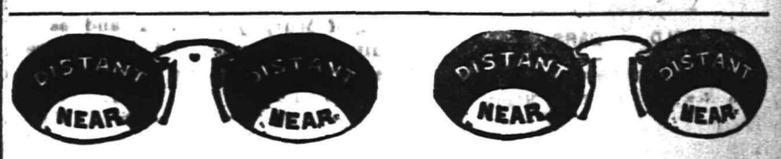

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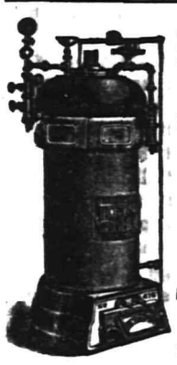

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NOTICE is hereby given to the tax-payers of the City of Plainfield that the taxes assessed in said City for the year eighteen hundred and ninety-seven are now due and payable, and that if said taxes be not paid before the
20th Day of December
next, the names of the defaulters with their respective taxes, will be returned to the City Judge for prosecution. The Commissioners of Appeal in cases of taxation in and for the said City will meet at the Council Chamber, No. 109 Park avenue, Plainfield, N. J., on the
4th Tuesday of November
next, (November 23rd, 1897,) at two o'clock p. m., to hear complaints relating to assessments.
E. H. BIRD,
Collector.
Dated, Plainfield, N. J., October 1st, 1897.
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Safe Deposit Vaults
THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK.
Of Plainfield, New Jersey,
Capital.....$200,000.
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A selection of trimmed Hats and Bonnets that is pleasing. Not grotesque styles, which no one cares to wear, but a charming collection of stylish, sensible, wearable
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With an endless variety of shapes, from the ordinary grades to the expensive, rich beautiful feathers and plumes, and all the requirements of hat trimming we can undoubtedly please the most fastidious.
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C. W. LINES,
Mason and Builder,
Plainfield, N. J.
Residence, 18 Elm Place.
Estimates cheerfully given.
Jobbing promptly attended to

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—A meeting of the consistory of Trinity Reformed church will be held this evening.

A few weeks ago the editor was taken with a very severe cold that caused him to be in a most miserable condition. It was undoubtedly a bad case of la grippe and recognizing it as dangerous he took immediate steps to bring about a speedy cure. From the advertisement of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the many good recommendations included therein, we concluded to make a first trial of the medicine. To say that it was satisfactory in its results, is putting it very mildly, indeed. It acted like magic and the result was a speedy and permanent cure. We have no hesitancy in recommending this excellent Cough Remedy to anyone afflicted with a cough or cold in any form.—The Banner of Liberty, Libertytown, Maryland. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Fred Hughes, of Somerset street, has returned to Philadelphia, after his brief vacation at home, during which time he acted as an usher at the Keeley-Hughes wedding.

Those who believe chronic diarrhœa to be incurable should read what Mr. P. E. Grisham, of Gaars Mills, La., has to say on the subject, viz.: "I have been a sufferer from chronic diarrhœa ever since the war and have tried all kinds of medicines for it. At last I found a remedy that effected a cure and that was Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy." This medicine can always be depended upon for colic, cholera morbus, dysentery and diarrhœa. It is pleasant to take and never fails to affect a cure. 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

A. B. Wilson, of Rahway, secretary of the Union county union of Christian Endeavor Societies, was in Plainfield on Tuesday evening on business with other officers of the same organization in this city.

Croup Quickly Cured.

MOUNTAIN GLEN, Ark.—Our children were suffering with croup when we received a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It afforded almost instant relief.—F. A. Thornton. This celebrated remedy is for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Miss Florence L. Spaulding, of Bound Brook, was the guest yesterday of Miss Luella Crowther, of Sanford avenue.

A pain in the chest is nature's warning that pneumonia is threatened. Dampen a piece of flannel with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bind over the seat of pain, and another on the back between the shoulders, and prompt relief will follow. Sold by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

—Harry Kearns has resigned his position in the store of Woodhull & Martin.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by L. W. Randolph.

C. Nichols, general secretary of the Rahway Y. M. C. A., visited the association building in this city yesterday.

Electric Bitters

Electric Bitters is a medicine suited for any season, but perhaps more generally needed when the languid, exhausted feeling prevails, when the liver is torpid and sluggish and the need of a tonic and alterative is felt. A prompt use of this medicine has often averted long and perhaps fatal bilious fevers. No medicine will act more surely in counteracting and freeing the system from the malarial poison. Headache, Indigestion, Constipation, Dizziness yield to Electric Bitters. 50c. and $1.00 per bottle at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

James C. Manning, Daniel Manning, Ira Randolph and Howard Randolph, of this city, left on Tuesday to spend a week on Barnegat Bay on the schooner of Captain Dorsey. Fishing and hunting will be the chief amusements of the party.

Stands at the Head.

Aug. J. Bogel, the leading druggist of Shreveport, La., says: "Dr. King's New Discovery is the only thing that cures my cough, and it is the best seller I have." J. F. Campbell, merchant of Safford, Ariz., writes: "Dr. King's New Discovery is all that is claimed for it; it never fails, and is a sure cure for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I cannot say enough for its merits."

Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds is not an experiment. It has been tried for a quarter of a century, and to-day stands at the head. It never disappoints. Free trial bottles at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

JUSTICE FIELD TO GO

His Retirement to be Followed by a Big Shake Up.

McKENNA HIS SUCCESSOR

Judge Goff May Enter the Cabinet and Be Succeeded by Assistant Secretary of State Day as Attorney-General.

Washington, Oct. 14.—Associate Justice Stephen Johnson Field, of the United States Supreme Court, has made formal application to President McKinley to be retired from the Bench under the law allowing members of that court to be retired when 70 years old.

Attorney-General Joseph McKenna, of California, will most likely be nominated to succeed Justice Field on Dec 6, when Congress convenes, five days after the retirement of Justice Field takes effect.

According to one story, the accuracy of which cannot be vouched for at present, Assistant Secretary of State William H. Day is to become Attorney-General, Secretary Sherman is to retire to private life, Secretary of the Navy Long is to be transferred to the State Department and Assistant Secretary of the Navy Theodore Roosevelt is to be advanced to the head of the Navy Department.

The President is seriously considering the appointment of Mr. Day as Attorney-General, and the succession to Attorney-General McKenna is believed to lie between Mr. Day and Col. J. J. McCook, of New York. Col. McCook having once declined the Interior Department portfolio, some doubt is expressed as to whether he would now accept the Attorney-Generalship, but it is known that he would prefer that office to any other in the Cabinet.

Justice Field has been eligible for retirement since Nov. 4, 1886.

Efforts were made during the Cleveland Administration to induce Mr. Field to retire, but he was determined not to give President Cleveland an opportunity to appoint a Democrat to succeed him.

Field's Great Career.

Justice Field is 81 years old. When his retirement shall go into effect—Dec. 1—he will have served longer than any Justice on this Bench. His term of service will then be thirty-four years, seven months and twenty days. The law prescribes that he shall, when retired, receive the full Associate Justice's salary—$10,000 a year—for life. Until Justice Field's advent to this Bench the record for length of service was held by Chief Justice Marshall. Field was appointed by President Lincoln.

FALSE INSURANCE RETURNS.

Startling Revelations from Investigation of a Life Association.

Hartford, Ct., Oct. 14.—The directors of the National Life Association have admitted to Insurance Commissioner Betts that millions of dollars of insurance had been kept on the books and reported to the directors when payments on this business had not been made since 1892; that President Dolphin S. Fletcher had been not once, but continually, a party to misrepresentation to the directors; that he had been responsible for systematic false statements as to the business of the company, and that he had compelled all under his direction in the company to do his bidding, and make the statements he ordered, or walk the plank.

No one was prepared for such a revelation. It is said that when an examination was determined upon twelve millions of alleged insurance reported in annual statements was marked off.

President Fletcher, whose resignation, with that of Secretary H. T. Braman, has been accepted, was not present when the revelations were made. Mr. Braman, with tears in his eyes, told how he had to do the president's bidding or lose his $6,000 position when he had a family dependent upon him.

Commissioner Betts said the president had not been ignorant of the false returns, and must have known all about the two millions on the books, but not reported to the State Department. He also averred that policies have been shaved.

It is stated that Mr. Fletcher, who, though no longer connected with the company, has been at the office every day, will be requested to deliver his keys and refrain from interfering with the work in progress by even so much as being present to see what is going on.

Mr. Fletcher has endeavored to explain away some of the points made by the State officials. Steps have been taken towards a reorganization of the company, which is still on a firm financial basis. Mr. Fletcher and his family own a majority of the $100,000 capital.

Bridegroom 87, Bride 90.

Rochester, Oct. 14.—Announcement has been received in this city of the approaching wedding of Benjamin F. Hunt, of Boston, formerly of Rochester, and Mrs. Julia A. Sherman, of Watertown. The ceremony will take place at the home of the bride on Oct. 20. The prospective bridegroom is in his eighty-eighth year and the bride is 90 years old. Mrs. Sherman is reputed to be worth over $1,000,000.

Oppose Feathers in Hats.

San Francisco, Oct. 14.—The Women's Parliament, which is in session at Los Angeles, has devoted itself principally to the discussion of extravagance in dress.

The women passed a resolution condemning the use of feathers in the decoration of hats, on account of the slaughter of birds which the fashion causes.

Three Brothers Found to Be Insane.

Bridgeton, N. J., Oct. 14.—Antonio, Charles and Lewis Jorio, brothers, who clubbed their father to death at Vineland last Winter and have since been in Cumberland jail, were to-day ordered by the court to be sent to the insane asylum at Trenton. Antonio has twice tried to kill his keeper.

Scaffold Broke and Five Men Killed.

Dallas, Tex., Oct. 14.—Through the fall of a scaffold at the Baptist Church being built at Piano, Tex., five men were killed. The men fell a distance of thirty-five feet.

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PLAINFIELD, N. J., OCT. 14, 1897

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

(Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Fair Tonight; Probably Fair Friday; Slightly Warmer.

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 65 Degrees.

COMING EVENTS.

October 14—Borough Council meets to hear objectors to Watchung avenue report.

October 14—Shorthand taught by George Weeks Sanford at the Y. M. C. A.

October 14—Advanced class in Mathematics at the Y. M. C. A

October 14—Recital at Vincent chapel by Prof. Barbour.

October 15—Borough Democratic primary in schoolhouse. 8 p. m.

October 25—William Blaikie at the Y. M. C. A. "How to Get Strong."

October 26—Entertainment Plainfield Mandolin and Guitar Club at Monroe Avenue church.

The bar associations in various localities of this State ought to see to it that the lawyer who practices unprofessional conduct in any manner is driven from his profession or exposed to public mortification. The only way to purify the bar is for those who honor their calling to require that those who dishonor it shall not have equal privileges with themselves before the courts.—New Jersey Law Journal.

For the benefit of affianced couples we impart the knowledge that there is a new way of getting married. It is modern—real up-to-date—and not according to old forms. In tying the nuptial knot the bride is not asked to obey the husband. In assuming the married state they merely bow their heads together in the affirmative. It makes woman the equal of man.

A costly joke was said in a New York court the other day. A man stole an umbrella and when the Judge asked the culprit what he got on it, (meaning in a pawnshop) the prisoner essayed to be funny and replied "rain." The Judge carried the joke a bit further by sentencing the thief to two years in State prison.

Was there ever a campaign within the memory of the oldest inhabitant but what James E. Martine was either mentioned or nominated for some office? At present the "farmer orator" is being talked of for the Democratic nomination of Surrogate.

Those who are engaged in driving nails in political caskets for other people must remember that the fickle-mindedness of present adherents is ofttimes the jimmy that pries off the coffin top at some future date.

This is distinctly not a year for new political bosses in old parties. If you disagree with the old dictator why start a new party—that's the New York fad in politics.

Senator Reed was one of the first to congratulate H. Newton Spencer after his nomination yesterday.

Miles Ross is in the saddle in Middlesex Democracy again.

The Democratic primaries are to be held tomorrow night.

The glad hand is now in form with the politicians.

Thanksgiving is just six weeks away.

ENGINE BURIED UNDER COAL CARS.

Costly Collision on the Port Reading Railroad, But No One Hurt.

An engine drawing a coal train crashed into a light engine on a sharp curve on the Port Reading Railroad, four miles from Metuchen, yesterday morning. The road is a part of the Philadelphia and Reading system, and consists of a single track from Bound Brook to Port Reading, on Staten Island Sound.

The crash wrecked two engines, both of which were going to Bound Brook, and ten large coal cars were piled in a heap on top of one of them. No one was injured, although several of the crew of the train were badly shaken up.

Put Over the Term.

The $3,000 damage suit of Keely against Callahan was put over the term in Circuit Court at Elizabeth this morning, owing to the absence of Marion Ackerman, one of the witnesses, who is in Washington.

Catarrh in the head, that troublesome and disgusting disease, may be entirely cured by a thorough course of Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great blood purifier.

Hood's Pills cure nausea, sick headache, indigestion, biliousness. All druggists. 25c.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Wm. Grogan, of Westfield, was a visitor in Plainfield yesterday.

Patrolman Saunders has about recovered from his recent illness.

Rev. Mr. Kionka, of Riverside, called on Plainfield friends yesterday.

Mrs. Fred Conde, of New street, is able to be out again after a severe illness.

Theophilus Bond, of East Front street, has returned from a business trip to Philadelphia.

Miss Elizabeth Cady, who has been spending the summer vacation in Ohio, returned yesterday.

Miss Mattie Merrill, of VanEmburgh & Son's dry goods store, is much improved from a recent slight illness.

Mr. and Mrs. E R. Taylor, who have been visiting Plainfield friends, returned today to their home at Mt. Vernon, O.

William Newcorn left for Stamford, Conn., last evening, on a very important case. He will also stop at New Haven on his return.

Mrs. Eliza Greagory, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs Jacob Rounsville, of West Fourth street, left for her home in South Dakota yesterday.

Mrs. S. A. Cruikshank, of Belvidere avenue, has issued invitations to eight young ladies in this city to attend a birthday party to her daughter, Helen, Monday evening.

Claude Edwards and Frank Edwards, of LaGrande avenue, arrived at their Plainfield home Tuesday after driving their horse down from Carthage, N. Y., to this city.

William A. Kline, William Downes and Peter Robinson attended the State convention of the Knights of Pythias, held at Bordentown yesterday, as delegates from Goodwill Lodge, No. 15, of this city.

Dr. and Mrs. Edward Everett Cady, of Madison avenue, arrived on the steamship Ems from Naples yesterday. They have been away three months, confining their travels this year to Germany, Switzerland and Italy.

Wm Kline, James Scott, Jos. Barrett, Chas. Jefferson, Lewis Peterson, Wm. Downs and Peter Robinson, delegates from Goodwill Lodge, No. 15, K. of P., went to Bordentown today to attend the annual meeting of the Grand Lodge officers of the State of New Jersey.

THE BATTLE OF YORKTOWN.

That Revolutionary Event to be Celebrated at the Wallace House.

The Revolutionary Memorial Society of New Jersey intend celebrating the anniversary of the battle of Yorktown at their headquarters, in the Wallace House, Somerville, Tuesday, October 19th, at 12 m., and cordially invite on that occasion all the citizens of Union county who take an interest in matters of this character to be present.

The exercises will be very interesting, as distinguished speakers have been invited and promised to attend. The interest of the occasion will be enhanced by the undoubted identification of the Wallace House as disclosed by the following paragraph taken from the Royal Gazette, a loyalist paper published in New York by James Rivington in 1778:

New York, Dec. 19th, 1778.—By late accounts from New Jersey we are informed that General Washington's headquarters were at Mrs. Wallace's, about twelve miles from Brunswick; the Earl of Sterling's at Convivial Hill, a seat of the jocund Philip VanHorn, Esq., about seven miles from Brunswick; Major General Green's at VanVechter's, on Raritan river; Brigadier-General Knox's with the artillery at Col. McDonald's, at Pluckamin, about eighteen miles from Brunswick. With these four general officers there are about seven and twenty hundred Rebels; Brigadier-General Maxwell commands at Elizabethtown with his brigade consisting of 800 militia cantoned between Elizabethtown and Newark. Col. Stephen Moyoan is marched, it is said, to Lancaster, in Pennsylvania. A southern brigade, commanded by a Col. Woodruff, lately consisting of 900, rank and file, we are informed are now reduced by desertion to 500.

THE SCHOOL FRATERNITY.

The Kappa Delta Phi to be Started Again in the High School.

A meeting will probably be held in the Plainfield High School tomorrow afternoon to start up the Kappa Delta Phi for the coming season. The success of that secret and literary organization has already been proved by several years' trial, and the boys in the High School are now considering it an honor to be elected to membership of that fraternity. Among its alumni members are the brightest young men who have graduated from the High School for the last four years. At the meeting tomorrow the new officers will be elected and the plan for the year's work arranged. There are already a large list of applicants to fill the vacancies in the membership.

—The iron for the new bridge on Watchung avenue has been placed in position on the Plainfield side of the brook, and the men are now erecting the iron on the borough side.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Additional locals on page 3.

—A regular meeting of the A. O. H., will be held this evening.

—The new residence of James R. Joy, on Myrtle avenue, is rapidly nearing completion.

—A new piazza is being built to the front of the residence of Mrs. E. F. DuBois, of Park avenue.

—Important business will come before Central Lodge, A. O. U. W., at the meeting this evening.

—There will be a communication of Jerusalem Chapter, R. A. M., this evening in the Masonic Hall.

—The North Plainfield fire department bell tower has been painted, as will be the custom hereafter.

—While they last there will be a special bargain sale of plant stands at Packer's at 49 cents. Former price $1.

—Councilman Serrell's new house on Sycamore avenue is nearly completed, and will be occupied in a short time.

—Next Tuesday evening the Sons of Veterans will hold an important meeting, and every member is urged to attend.

—It is understood that Lawyer H. C. Runyon will be a candidate for Councilman at-Large at the December election.

—This evening a cobweb social will be given in Warren chapel under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society.

—Brook avenue has just been macadamized and will soon be a fine thoroughfare for wheeling and driving.

—A meeting of the Woman's Relief Corps will be held tomorrow evening, when business of importance will be considered.

—The Synod of the Presbyterian churches of New Jersey will meet in this city next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

—The local lodges of the A. O. U. W. will hold an entertainment and public meeting in Reform Hall on Friday evening, October 22d, at 8 o'clock.

—On the afternoon of October 22d the Children's Aid to the Town Improvement Association will meet and elect officers for the ensuing year.

—Randolph, the Front street druggist, has introduced a trolley cash system in his up to-date store and many steps are thus saved by the clerks.

—An earnest invitation is extended to all interested to attend the meeting to be held at Reform Hall this evening. An excellent programme has been arranged.

—A primary meeting for the Democrats of the borough and township will be held Saturday night in the basement of the North Plainfield Public School.

—George Bedford, of the Walter Scott Printing Machine Company, is doing most of the work on the horseless truck which is being built according to Mr. Scott's own patents.

—Attention is called to the advertisement in today's Press of S. Scheuer & Co., and by looking it over you will find many things that you need and which can be secured for the least possible money.

—Twenty members of the Y. M. C. A physical department, nearly all of whom are newly-elected, have undergone physical examinations. The evening gymnasium class promises to be larger this year than last.

—"An Evening in Toronto" will be the title of a very pleasant evening's diversion which will be held in Vincent chapel this evening under the auspices of the Epworth League of the First M. E. church. The delegates at the recent National convention will relate their experience in that Canadian city.

—Before making out your shopping list read over the many good things that Edward White tells about in his advertisement. At that store you will find every article just as advertised, and you are perfectly safe in sending for any article you wish, as their policy is, that if goods are not satisfactory they refund your money.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they do is tenfold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by druggists, price 75c per bottle.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

The true composition of Cleveland's baking powder is plainly printed on every can. That's honest; that's fair.

You know what you are eating when you use Cleveland's.

Guarantee.

Grocers are authorized to give back your money if you do not find Cleveland's the best baking powder you have ever used.

Cleveland Baking Powder Co., N.Y.

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COUNTY COMMITTEEMEN

Vacancies Filled by the Somerset Republican County Convention.

The final business brought before the Republican convention at Somerville yesterday was the appointment of members of the county executive committee to fill vacancies. They were as follows: North Plainfield borough, First district, B. A. Hegeman, Jr.; North Plainfield township, Charles P. Sebring; Bedminster, James Rodenbaugh; Bernards, Second district, William Conkling; Bound Brook, W. B. R Mason; Bridgewater, Second district, William Stryker; Fourth district, J. L. Griggs; Sixth district, Augustus Campbell; Hillsboro, Second district, P. V. D. Van Doren; Montgomery, J. H. Schomb; Warren, John C. Cooper. The committee will meet in a few days to organize for active campaign work.

A Pleasant Time.

The third of the series of free-will socials given under the auspices of Martha Washington Council, No. 23, D. of A., was held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew K. Mattis, 301 Madison avenue, last evening. There was a large number present, including members of the various secret organizations in the city. Games and dancing were the principal features of the evening. Refreshments were served at a late hour.

DEMOCRATS ATTENTION!

The Democratic voters of the City of Plainfield, are requested to meet at the following places, Friday evening, at 7:30, to elect delegates to the County Convention to be held at Elizabeth, October 19th.

	Delegates
First Ward, Hoagland's express office	4
Second Ward, Bryant school -	2
Third Ward, Revere House -	2
Fourth Ward, Blimm's Hotel -	6

J. E. MARTINF, Pres.
Dem. Association.
MICHAEL FLYNN, Sec.

PIANOS

We are now closing out at a sacrifice several odd styles of new pianos, and a great variety of slightly used organs and pianos to make room for new stock.

ORGANS

Catalogues, full particulars and terms sent upon application.

SOLD ON INSTALMENTS, IF DESIRED.

Mason & Hamlin Co.

3 and 5 WEST 18th STREET, NEW YORK.

A Piano Sensation!

During this month we're going to sell good Pianos at the previously unheard of price of $170 cash, or $190 on easy monthly payments.

We bought nearly a hundred from different makers during the summer. These are good pianos that we guarantee for five years.

We have also marked down for this month the prices on all of our regular lines of Hardmans, Gabler's, Voses, Sterlings and Standards. There is decided saving for the buyer who comes during this sale.

It would be worth your while to buy now, even if you don't want the Piano until Christmas; we'll store it for you without charge.

FIVE TIMES LARGER STOCK OF PIANOS THAN ANY OTHER HOUSE IN THE STATE.

Lauter Co.

657-659 Broad Street,
Newark, N. J.

Just Notice Ladies Hands

and see if there are any that look as well as those covered with Kid Gloves from

Peck's.

The Klondyke at Home.

THE LINCOLN STEEL TOOL WORKS.
THE FRANKLIN COMPANY.
THE STAR INCUBATOR CO.

Factories are now being built at

"L-I-N-C-O-L-N"

and all will open with many American mechanics, on or before October 1, 1897. We have applications for 75 to 100 dwelling houses. Here is a chance for BUILDERS, CONTRACTORS and INVESTORS. This property is only to be seen to satisfy the most skeptical of its future. Sewers, water, electric lights, telephone, &c.

New Jersey Mutual Realty Co.,
S. D. DRAKE, President and Manager.

SPECIAL NOTICE!

We have just received our new

Fall Suitings and Trouserings.

Trousers to order, $5, $6 and $7.
Business Suits to order, $15 and $20.

SEBRING'S, 202 West Front Street.

THE USE OF
REYNOLDS' PETROLEUM HAIR TONIC
Means healthy scalp, natural growth of hair, no falling out, no dandruff. 50c bottle.
PREPARED ONLY BY
T. S. ARMSTRONG, The Apothecary,
CORNER PARK AND NORTH AVENUES.

Bought at a Sheriff Sale

$15,000 worth of the finest

FALL AND WINTER

-CLOTHING-

-: FOR :-

MEN, BOYS AND CHILDREN.

One of the leading wholesale manufacturers in New York has failed and their entire stock was sent to us to be sold at less than forty cents on the dollar they cost to manufacture. The house was noted in New York, and only the very best and choicest lines were handled by them. Recollect these will be sacrifice prices and will last but three weeks. A great opportunity for money-saving clothing buyers.

The very finest tailor-made clothing in the world will be sold at retail for less than half the prices that other stores ask for inferior goods. As this is such a rare occurrence, we respectfully invite all intending purchasers of clothing to give their personal attention and call early, as the choicest goods will most naturally go first. The sheriff must be paid in cash and this elegant stock of fine clothing will consequently be sacrificed at an enormous loss. We will sell you fine fall and winter suits, fall and winter overcoats, ulsters, heavy-weight trousers, coats and vests, handsomely and elegantly made, equal to the best merchant tailor's work, for less than the actual cost of the labor in making these fine garments. Here is your opportunity to purchase a suit or overcoat for what the lining would cost at any tailoring establishment in the city. A few prices will tell the whole facts. Means a saving of 60 per cent. on every dollar spent. We deal only in reliable clothing, and will not undertake to sell one dollar's worth of clothing unless we know that what we sell will give the buyers as good wear as if he paid us what the garment was worth. Men's winter all-wool suits, sizes from 33 to 44, that are sold all over Plainfield at $7.50 and $8.00, are sold here at $3.75; if not satisfied with this suit in any way, bring it back and get your money. Men's fine clay-diagonal heavy-weight suits, silk-lined, worth $22.00, at $7.50. Men's satin lined dress suits in cutaway, worth $22.75, at $8.50. We offer 600 dark colored good suits in mixed cheviots and cassimers at $3 50, $4 50, $5.00 and $5.25, worth easily from $8.00 to $12 00. All wool men's pants at 85c. Heavy cheviots and cassimere pants at 95c, $1 10, $1.25 and $1.50, worth double. Fine double breasted heavy black cheviot suit handsomely made, at $5.95, that other stores ask $15 00 for. Elegant Prince Albert dress suits, very fine imported cloth, wholesale price $18.00 to $25.00, sale price $9.50. Extra fine dress pants, over one hundred styles in stripes and silk mixtures, neat checks and cords, $1.25, $1.50, $1.65, $1 90 and $2.25, worth from $3.75 to $5.50.

Bring this with you and if not shown everything here as advertised we will pay your car fare. Boys' neat double breasted suits, all wool warranted, with double knee and double seat, $1,00, 1 25, 1.50, 1.75 and 2.24, worth three times as much. Men's fine covert cloth fall overcoats, in light and dark shades, silk-lined, worth $16.00, at $5.00, latest styles. Men's heavy diagonal fall overcoat, fine finish, worth 12.00 to 15.00, at $5.50. Men's fine black melton overcoat, blue or black, elegantly made, at $6 50, worth 12.00. Men's imported kersey overcoats silk lined, French facing, worth 22.00, at $8.25. Men's dress overcoats at $3 25, worth 10 00. Buy your overcoat now and you will save sixty cents on every dollar. Men's ulsters, dark blue, all wool, waterproof cloth, worth 18.00, at $6.50. Very fine ulsters at $5.50 and $6.50, worth double. A good ulster for drivers at $2 50 and $3.00, worth from 6 00 to 8.00. Extra fine dress suit for young men and boys, long pants actually valued at 12 00 to 15 00, sale price at $4.50. Young men's single or double-breasted blue or black cheviot suit at $3.50, regular price 10.00. A good youth's suit at $2.50, worth 7 50. Bring anything back within fifteen days, that is not entirely satisfactory. Men's exta fine brown plaid suits at $3.50, $4.50 and $5.00, worth from $9.00 to 15 00. Men's winter bicycle suits at $2 00, $2 50 and $3, worth from 5.00 to 12.00. Remember, no other store in Plainfield can sell you such fine clothing for any less than three times these prices. We have over three thousand suits to choose from. All wool clay diagonal sack suit at $5.90, worth from 12 00 to 15.00. Over one thousand woolen knee pants from 15c to 60c. Everybody living within tweny-five miles of Plainfield should visit this great sheriff sale.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Mrs. W. H. Terry is visiting friends in Brooklyn for a few days.

A class meeting will be held this evening at the M. E. church.

Mrs. Harman has returned from a visit with relatives at Somerville.

Miss Conklin, of Plainfield, spent yesterday with friends in the borough.

Miss Lige, of North Plainfield, was the guest of borough friends yesterday.

Some additional improvements are being made about the postoffice building.

A young son was born yesterday to Mr. and Mrs. John W. Griggs, of North avenue.

Mrs. Anna Abbott was the guest yesterday of New York friends. She returned today.

Among the Plainfielders in the borough yesterday were Miss Radin and Miss Higgins.

There will be bowling on the green at the residence of Mr. Schepflin next Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. John VanMiddlesworth spent yesterday with Mrs. Henry VanMiddlesworth, of Plainfield.

Mrs. J. P. Homan and her daughter, Mrs. Clark, of Plainfield, were guests in town yesterday.

Victor Tuli, of Elizabeth, has returned home after a very pleasant visit with Miss Minnie Dinneen.

Mrs. Charles Conover and son, Ernest, of Plainfield, were guests of relatives in the borough yesterday.

Miss Dellmore and Mrs. Squires, of New York, who have been visiting Mrs. W. H. Thompson, have returned home.

On Thursday evening, October 21st, the members of the Building and Loan Association will hold an important business meeting.

Mrs. Ann Dunham, who has been very ill for some time past, is not much improved. Dr. Gaston is now the attending physician.

Isaac Laing, who is now in Colorado, seems to be much improved in health and writes home that he is doing nicely. Mr. Laing has been away from home about seven months.

Michael Flynn, of the shoe firm of Flynn Bros., of Plainfield, rode a wheel to the borough and home yesterday, calling on some friends on the way. Mr. Flynn is a novice and he did remarkably well.

SCOTCH PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Frank H. Wilcox is out with a new horse and buggy.

Miss Anna McGuire has recovered from her recent sickness.

Miss Maggie Fitzgerald has returned from a visit in Metuchen.

Miss Emma Clark will leave on Saturday to spend a week at Lincoln.

The Scotch Plains football team will play the Westfield Junior team at Scotch Plains on Saturday.

The Dierck Concert Company will give an entertainment in Excelsior Hall on Monday evening, the 18th.

Mrs. J. S. Braker lost a valuable silk centre-piece, embroidered with floral designs, on last Monday. It was dropped in the street.

The Democratic voters of Scotch Plains will hold their primary in Excelsior Hall on Friday evening, to elect delegates to the county convention to be held in Elizabeth next Tuesday.

—A number of the members of the local W. C. T. U. attended the State convention, which was held at Trenton this week.

—A musical and illustrated song concert will be given in Mt. Zion A. M. E. church on the evening of October 28th.

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The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

WESTFIELD

VARIOUS BITS OF NEWS.

WESTFIELD HAPPENINGS SERVED UP TERSELY FOR THE PRESS.

Many People Go and Come in the Pretty Suburban Town—Items Interesting Because of Their Brevity

The first night of the fair given by Holy Trinity church, in Etta Hall, last evening, was a brilliant affair, attracting a large number of the members and friends of the church. There were a number of tables among which was the variety table, presided over by Miss Mary Miller, Mrs. Fogerty and Mrs. J. T. Burke, and the refreshment table, in charge of Mrs. Versen, Mrs. McCue and Miss Mary Michaels. A number of guessing contests formed an interesting feature of the evening's fun. Tomorrow night those who have come the nearest to guessing the number of grains of corn in the different jars on exhibition will be awarded prizes. During the evening the young people enjoyed a number of dances, the music for which was furnished by Prof. O'Reilly, of Plainfield. Nearly all the articles of the fair have been donated by liberal friends of the church. The general committee in charge of the affair consists of Rev. Father Smith, James English, James McCarthy, Richard Ratchforde and John T. Burke. Tonight will be the closing night of the fair, and a large attendance is expected.

The annual inspection of the Westfield fire department was held last evening. The firemen assembled at the department headquarters at 8 o'clock and, headed by Lincoln Fife and Drum Corps, marched to the corner of Broad and Elm streets with their apparatus and halted for inspection. The companies lined up were: Empire Engine Company, Bucket and Engine Company and Hook and Ladder Company. Chief Dennis, with his assistants, personally inspected the uniform of each fireman, finding very little to criticise. The apparatus, consisting of the chemical engine, the hook and ladder truck and the hose carriage, were inspected and found to be in good order. After the inspection was finished the companies fell into marching order again and made a short parade about the town, returning to the headquarters at about 9 o'clock.

A delegation from Central Council, No. 131, Jr. O. U. A. M., of Westfield, paid a fraternal visit to Cranford Council, No. 62, at Cranford, last night.

Rev. J. A. Owen, of Elizabeth, addressed the prayer meeting in the Methodist church last evening on the subject of missions.

The Ladies' Sewing Society of the Presbyterian church held a meeting in the lecture room at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

A number of Westfield people will attend the musicale given by Mrs. J. T. Dewey, at Greenville, tonight.

The Mission Band of the Presbyterian church will give an entertainment next Monday evening.

Contractor Felix Sterpone is rapidly pushing the work of cleaning and widening the brook.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Congregational church holds an all-day meeting today.

Elizabeth B. Woodruff has sold her lot on Washington street to Mrs. Littlefield.

E. C. Winter is about to build two houses on Downer street for Mr. Tully.

Fireside Council, No. 715, Royal Arcanum, holds a meeting tonight.

The Advance Club will meet at Ira T. Bull's tomorrow evening.

Mrs. Charles D. Reese is visiting relatives in New York city.

Mrs. A. H. Schofield is visiting in Washington, D. C.

THE R FOURTH ANNIVERSARY.

A Junior Christian Endeavor Society in a Prosperous Condition.

The Juuior Christian Endeavor Society of the First Presbyterian church held a meeting in observance of its fourth anniversary in the church yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock. After a short devotional service, led by Miss Martha Kline, there was a committee exercise in which each committee recited a selection descriptive of its work, and all then went upon the platform and sang an appropriate song. The eight graduates from the junior society, who are to be promoted into the intermediate society, were addressed upon the nature of the work required in the intermediate society by its secretary, Mrs. William L. Remsen. The pastor, Rev. Charles E. Herring, delivered an interesting address and the meeting closed with a reading by Leah Hammond, entitled "Grandmother Grey and Grandmother Brown."

—A meeting of the Knights of the Ancient Essenic Order was held last evening and plans were made for the institution of the Plainfield Senate of that order in this city on the evening of Wednesday, October 27th.

It Reflects Our Methods.

There are two notable points about the sale of

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BACK TO ITS OLD HOME.

SILVER WHIST TROPHY CAPTURED BY THE PARK CLUB FOUR.

Defeated the Elizabeth Team Last Night—The Trophy Presented to State Association a Year Ago by the Present Holders.

After many wanderings, the handsome silver trophy, which was offered by the Park Club, of North Plainfield, to the New Jersey Whist Association, has returned to the clubhouse from which it started. Last evening the twelfth whistic battle for the cup was fought at the clubhouse of the Elizabeth Athletic Club, and the Park Club four, who were the challengers in the match, succeeded in defeating the Elizabeth Athletic Club four.

The Park Club trophy was offered last year after the Parks won the trophy which had been offered by the association itself. All the other clubs in the association were given a chance to play for the trophy at first, and the cup has been traveling about northern New Jersey from place to place as the different clubs won it. Last evening it was the turn of the Park Club to play for the trophy, and they went to Elizabeth, who held the trophy, to meet the well known four from the Athletic Club of that city.

The Park Club was represented by its regular four, Messrs. McCutchen, Howell, Townsend and Rogers. The players for the E. A. C. were Messrs. Maxfield, Lane, Saltonstall and Weeks.

The first round was won easily by the visitors by a score of 11 tricks to 1. The second was more vigorously contested, the Parks winning 7 tricks to 4. In the third round they were also victorious, 8 to 5. The total score was 26 to 10 in favor of the Plainfielders.

The trophy was brought to Plainfield last night, and is now on exhibition in the Park clubhouse. The next game for the trophy will be played next week when the North End Club, of Newark, the old rivals of the Parks, will be the challengers.

PLAYS POPULAR MUSIC.

Brooke and the Chicago Marine Band in Music Hall Tonight.

Brooke and his band will be in Music Hall tonight, and this means much to all lovers of popular music. With his famous Chicago Marine Band he plays all kinds of music superbly, but makes a specialty of playing popular music for people in such a way that there seems to be a never-ending delight to all who hear the concerts. Conductor Brooke is the most cosmopolitan of all leaders, and he gives everybody a chance to have a taste of his own favorite style, and

rushes along so briskly with kaleidoscopic changes and mixtures of classic, standard and popular airs, that no one in the audience has a chance to get impatient waiting a morsel of his own particular favorite. Brooke is a young man, but by no means an experiment or an unknown quantity. It has been widely recognized that he has a genius for handling a military band, second not even to Gilmore.

Ernest R. Ackerman, of West Seventh street, has returned from a short trip to Kingston, N. Y.

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Sweaters, were $5, $4 and $3, now ....$4. 3, and $2.
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Others reduced from $1.35 $1. 85c and 75c to.....89c, 55c and 35c

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DIED.

SHARP—At Somerville, N. J., Thursday October 14, 1897. Mrs. Jacob F. Sharp, mother of Mrs. J. F. Garretson, of this city. Funeral services on Saturday, Oct. 16, at 3 o'clock from her late residence, 50 Main street, Somerville, N. J. Friends respectfully invited to attend.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

FIRST-CLASS help and first-class places at the Swedish intelligence office, 23 Somerset place. s 23 tf

STRAWBERRY plants by 100 75c. or 1,000 $3; Lovett, Greenville and Brandywine. For sale by W.H. Rogers. Washingtonville, N. J. 10 11 tf

MILK for sale; 20 qts daily. Address V, care Press. 10 12 3

TO RENT—Small store, 12x24. 113 Madison avenue, near Front street. Rent $9. 10 12 3

BABCOCK BLOCK — Offices, flats and large room, for lodge or meetings. Elevator to all floors. 9 1 eod tf

FOR SALE—Road wagon, station wagon and harness. 334 Carlton avenue.

FOR SALE—1896 Cleveland tandem with 1897 wheels, perfect order; $65. Mellow, Hillside Ave. 10 14eod2

FOR SALE—Boiler outfit, brooder house; rent or sell. Opportunity, care Press.

WANTED—Experienced waitress, not colored. Call between 2 and 3 p. m. at 10 Rockview Terrace, North Plainfield. 10 14 2

LOST—October 11th, a diamond finger ring. Liberal reward to finder at Press office. 10 14 3

LOST—Last evening, on Watchung, Park or North avenues, a stick pin; two rubies and a diamond. Suitable reward on return to Press office. 10 14 2

WANTED—An energetic young man or woman desiring immediate employment, for position paying large compensation, Address Energy, care Press.

SELF-feeder for sale. 323 East Second street. 10 14 3

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Fine embroidered caps.....37c
Childrens' tams.....25c
Boy's caps.....25c

Dress Goods.
54 in Ladies' cloth.....49c
32 " Fancy plaids.....12c
50 " Granite cloth.....47c
50 " Boucle cloth.....69c
38 " Fancy suiting.....25c
Send for samples.

Sale Corset Waists.
Childrens nazareth waists 25c kind, 13c

Men's Underwear.
Heavy wool shirts.....29c
" Natural wool shirts.....38c
Extra fine wool shirts $1 quality...69c

Men's Furnishings.
Good strong suspenders.....13c pr
Fine colored half hose.....10c "
Extra fine black " .....13c "
All linen collars.....10c
50c neckwear.....25c
Fine C. S. handkerchiefs.....10c
" Cambric " 5c

Sale of Canton Flannel.
Fine unbleached canton.....5c
Extra heavey " 8c
Fine domet flannel.....5c
Colored outing " 6c

Sale of Lace Curtains.
Lot of odds and ends.
Were $1.25 and $2 pr, now.....49c ea
50 in Lace curtains.....98c pr
Fine " " .....$1.25 pr
Curtain nets.....12c yd

Sale of Ladies' Winter Underwear.
Fine ribbed vests and pants.....25c
Natural wool " " " 50c
Heavy fleeced " " " 48c

Sale of Hosiery.
Ladies' seamless hose.....10c
" extra fine " 13c
25c quality " 18c

Sale of Corsets.
Satteen corsets, heavily boned..50c pr
White, black and drab.

Sale of Blankets.
10-4 Cotton Blankets 49c pair, white or grey.
10-4 Grey Wool Blankets.....$1.15
10-4 All Wool Blankets.....2.98
Fine Crib Blankets.....1.37

Silk Sale.
36 in Lining Silks.....39c
Piety fancy Waist Silks.....69c
Silk Chiffon, all shades.....69c yd

Ribbon Sale.
2,000 yards of fine fancy Silk Ribbon worth 50 and 60c, go for....19c yd

Ladies' and Misses' Overgaiters.
All wool.....69 and 79c pr
Ladies' Bicycle Leggings.....98c
Ladies' Golf Hose.....35c pr

Sale of Turkish Towels
Unbleached Towels.....7c ea
Heavy Unbleached Towels.....10c ea
Fine Bleached Towels.....13c ea
Extra Large " .....25c ea

Sale of Linens.
All Linen Crash.....6c
All Linen Glass Toweling.....8c
6 in Cream Damask.....25c
Turkey red Linen.....25c
Extra Heavy Damask Towels, tied fringe.....25c
All Linen Dinner Napkins...$1.15 doz

Sale of Corset Covers.
Fine Corset Covers.....9c ea
Trimmed " " .....19c "
Cambric " " .....
Lace trimmed.....25c "
Ladies' fleeced lined Corset Covers .....25c ea

Sale of Childrens' Underwear.
White ribbed vest and pants
16 18 20 22 24 26 28
5 8 10 13 16 18 21cents
Childrens' combination suits.....25c

Sale of Wrappers.
Cambric wrappers.....69c
Outing flannel wrappers.....98c
Black brilliantine skirts.....98c

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Fine Pique kid gloves, two clasp and four button.....59c pair

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BIG FIGHTING CARNIVAL.

New Orleans Club Arranging to Bring the Boxers Together.

New Orleans, Oct. 14.—The Tulane Athletic Club has authorized Matchmaker Ryan to arrange a carnival of events for the month of December. It is the wish of the Board of Directors to give a series of contests representing the middle, heavy, light and bantam weights. The carnival, according to the present programme, is to open on Dec. 12 or 13, and run three nights. Steve O'Donnell and Choynski have already been offered a guarantee of $5,000. The winner of the Everardt-McPartland contest, which is to be held next Monday night, will make one of the contestants in a fight with "Kid" Lavigne. For the last of the series Ryan has in view Solly Smith, who recently gained a decision over Dixon, and Johnny Van Hoost.

Three Rounds the Limit.

Chicago, Oct. 14.—Mayor Harrison has dealt the boxing game in Chicago a hard blow. Instead of allowing twenty-round bouts, as had been anticipated, he says decidedly that three rounds will be the limit, and the police must see that there is no roughing. The Mayor will not grant a permit for a twenty-round go between Frank Garrard and Young Griffo, which has been announced to take place Oct. 23 at Tattersall's.

CUBANS NEAR HAVANA.

They Win Two Brilliant Victories, One Within Sight of the Capital.

Havana, via Key West, Oct. 14.—Gen. Molina confesses his defeat near Aquacate, Havana, in the big battle fought by his column there against the Cubans led by Cols. Arango and Aranguren.

The Spanish Colonel, Rogers, who was wounded, has died, and so has Col. Alfau, one of Gen. Molina's favorite officers, whose body was terribly torn by a shot from a Cuban rapid-fire cannon that was landed by one of the recent expeditions.

The official report of Gen. Molina, in spite of its bombastic praise of the courage of the Spanish soldiers, acknowledges the death of these officers and admits that the Cubans won the day.

The sensation in Havana over this news is intense. It has been increased by the report that a strong Spanish column, which tried to dislodge the insurgents under Castillo from their position in the hills of Calvario, has been repulsed with heavy losses. The Calvario hills are within sight of the capital. The attack lasted six hours. The Spaniards charged several times with their bayonets, but each time were compelled to retreat, leaving their dead in front of the trenches of the Cubans.

AID FO GEORGE.

Money from Kansas with an Excuse for the Smallness of the Amount.

Topeka, Kan., Oct. 14.—Populists in a dozen towns in Kansas are subscribing to a fund to be sent to the Henry George Campaign Committee. Concert of action is apparent, for this preamble precedes all signatures on the petition:

"We believe that Henry George stands for principle, for freedom, for equal rights to all men, not only for the city of New York, or the State of New York, or the United States, but of all the world. Our contributions are small from the fact that during our struggle for existence we have been compelled to give one-third of our total production to the landlord or speculator holding land idle; one-third to railroads, telegraph lords, coal lords, oil lords, mineral lords, and a large part of what was left has been taken for taxes and tribute to trusts and syndicates.

LIVING BURIALS IN RUSSIA.

More Bodies of the Fanatics Discovered Beyond Ural Mountains.

(Cable Dispatch to the New York Sun.)

Odessa, Oct. 14.—Further cases of living burials by members of the fanatical religious sect known as the Raskolniki have been discovered in the Trans-Ural region.

A series of small mounds excited the curiosity of the authorities, and an investigation of them was ordered. When the mounds were opened it was discovered that they contained corpses of persons who had apparently been buried alive.

In some instances the mounds had been provided with air passages, which prevented the suffocation of the victims, who had met a lingering death from starvation. The commission of inquiry found that a 15-year-old girl, who had consented to be buried, had broken out of her sepulchre under the pangs of hunger.

Big Beet Sugar Manufactories.

Denver, Col., Oct. 14.—Plans contemplating the investment of from $500,000 to $1,000,000 by Eastern capitalists in sugar factories and refineries have been consummated here, and an agreement has been signed by 100 farmers pledging themselves to the cultivation of 1,000 acres of sugar beets for the purpose of supplying the material to these factories and refineries.

It is expected that a sugar refining business amounting to $1,500,000 will be established in this State.

Boy Killed by a Playmate's Blow.

Lansing, Mich., Oct. 14.—Fitzsimmons' famous solar plexus blow was the cause of a death at the State Industrial School for Boys yesterday. John Carson, 16 years old, drew a long breath and asked one of his dormitory mates to strike him in the chest. Frank Martin responded with a back-hand blow over the heart, and Carson dropped dead. The institution physician says the blow produced paralysis. Martin, who is but 14 years old, is held blameless.

Ex-Gov. Altgeld Seriously Ill.

Chicago, Oct. 14.—Ex-Gov. John P. Altgeld has been seriously ill for several days and is confined at his home, 1886 Diversey avenue. He was a little better last evening. At Mr. Altgeld's office in the Unity building it was said that the worst seemed to be over.

Check for $20,000 Found.

New York, Oct. 14.—A certified check for $20,000, drawn by Adams, Kellogg & Mason on the Manhattan Company to the order of F. P. Freeman & Co., was picked up in Wall street yesterday afternoon. It had been dropped by a clerk.

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You and each of you are hereby notified that it is the intention of the Common Council of the City of Plainfield to take a part of your lands or real estate, with the appurtenances necessary to be taken, situate, lying and being in the City of Plainfield, Union County, New Jersey, within twenty-five feet on each side of the center line of Westervelt avenue, and between the Northwesterly side line of East Front street and a point one hundred and eight and sixty six one hundreths (108,66) feet Southeast of Orange place, pursuant to the provisions of an ordinance of the City of Plainfield, entitled "An Ordinance to widen Westervelt avenue from the Northwesterly side line of East Front street to a point 108.66 feet Southeast of Orange place," approved July 12, 1897, to which ordinance and the map in said ordinance referred to, both said map and said ordinance being on file in the City Clerk's office of the City of Plainfield, you are referred to for a more particular description of the lands or real estate, with the appurtenances necessary to be taken as aforesaid.

You are further notified that a meeting of the Common Council will be held in the Council Chamber, No. 109 Park avenue, in the City of Plainfield, on Monday, the first day of November, eighteen hundred and ninety-seven, at eight o'clock p. m., at which time and place you and each of you will please be present, then and there to treat with the said Common Council for said lands or real estate with the appurtenances.

By order of the Common Council.

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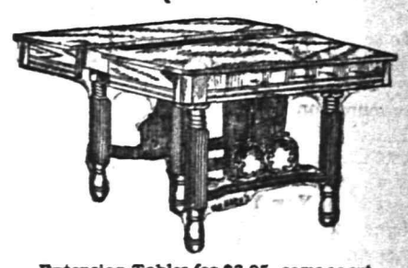

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PLAINFIELD AND NEW YORK.

Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 8 00, 7 58, 8 00, 8 30, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 9 15, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday, 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a. m.; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 22 p. m.

Leave New York, foot Liberty street, at 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00 a. m; 12 00 m., (12 45 and 1 00 Saturdays only) 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, (5 15 except Saturdays) 5 30, 5 45, (6 00 except Saturdays) 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45 p. m.; 12 15, 1 00 night. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00, 9 00, 9 15 a. m.; 12 m.; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00 p. m.; 12 15 night; 1 00 a. m.

Leave New York from Whitehall street at 7 00, 7 55, 8 25, 8 55, 9 55, 11 55 a. m., (12 45 Saturdays only) 1 00, 1 25, 2 25, 3 25, 3 55, 4 25, 4 55, 5 25 (5 55 except Saturdays) 6 25, 6 55, 7 50, 8 25, 9 10, 9 55, 11 30 p. m., 12 10 night. Sundays—At 7 00, 8 55 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 2 30, 3 55, 5 25, 6 55, 7 25, 8 25, 9 50 p. m., 12 10 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 50, 8 00, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 01, 52, 10 08, 11 16 a. m.; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 28 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 18, 7 55, 8 38, 9 03, 10 05 a. m.; 12 10, 1 15, 1 35, 2 35, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 28, 5 42, 6 19, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 05 p. m. Sunday, 7 15, 9 05, 9 30, 10 35 a. m.; 1 10, 1 35, 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 20, 10 20 p. m.

Passengers for Newark please change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a.m 1 01, (1 40, Saturdays only) 2 11, 2 32, 3 35, 4 36 5 03, 5 15, 5 54, 6 04, 6 09, 6 16, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p. m; 12 44 night, Sunday 5 45, 8 06, 9 35, a. m; 2 03, 3 39, 6 35, 8 30, 10 15, 11 14 p. m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35 45, 8 19, 9 02, 9 48, 11 45, a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05 3 25, 4 25, 5 28, 6 08, 6 40, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05 p. m Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a. m; 12 05, 1 20, 5 15, 6 35, 7 53, 8 05, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a. m., 1 01, 2 11, 4 55, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m, Sunday at 5 45, 8 06 a. m; 2 03 6 35 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a. m; 12 32, 4 04, 7 00, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 52 a. m; 6 30 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 9 54 a. m; 5 03, 5 15 p. m

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For staticns to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, & c with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

1 01 p. m.- way for Easton, connecting at Junction for station on D., L. & W. R. R.

2 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, MauchChunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

4 55 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Scranton, Wilkesbarre, Tamaqua, Shamokin, (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

5 05 and 5 15 p. m., way or Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg.

9 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8 05 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 05 a. m. Sundays for Easton.

9 05 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 05 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

5 35 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, etc., and at Junction for D., L. & W. R. R.

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For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 37, 8 13, 9 28, 10 27 a. m.; 1 15, 3 51, 5 52, 5 54, 7 03 p. m. Sundays, 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10 27 a. m.; 1 15, 3 51, 5 52 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 17, 8 44, 9 46, 10 44 a. m.; 2 17, 5 36*, 6 45, 9 21, 9 37* p. m. 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 5 45 9 55, 10 44 a. m.; 2 25, 4 36, 5 09*, 6 45 p m.; 1 17 night.

For Trenton, 5 17, 8 44, 9 46 a. m.; 1 01, 2 17, 4 20, 5 36*, 6 39* 9 21, 9 37* p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a. m.; 2 25, 4 55, 5 09, 6 35* p. m.; 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 8 44, 10 44 a. m.; 2 17, 5 36*, 6 45 p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 10 44 a. m.; 5 09*, 6 45 p. m.; 1 17 night.

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For Perth Amboy and intermediate stations 6 48, 7 50, 10 05 a m. 12 13, 2 33, 5 20, 7 10 p. m. Sunday 8 00, 9 00, local a. m. 2 20 and 7 10 p. m.

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THE WALLER DYNAMITE CASE.

Two Detectives Arrested Charged with Encouraging Perjury.

Bloomsburg, Pa., Oct. 14.—There is a new sensation in the famous Winter-Schenkkorr-Waller dynamiting case caused by the arrest in Reading of Henry Martz and H. C. W. Martz, private detectives, who were employed by the defense during the first trial this Summer to look after the witnesses in Reading. The warrants charge Henry Martz with willful and criminal solicitation to commit perjury, and his brother with willful subornation of perjury. They are founded upon information given by Emma Wickel Swickert, William V. Riffert and John J. Faust three of Wintersteen's most important witnesses.

It was suspected by the prosecution that there was a great conspiracy involving perjury, and in fact the conflict of evidence in the first trial, which resulted in its nullification, was such that there was undoubtedly perjury on one side or the other. The prosecution now asserts that it has indisputable evidence of this.

From the story obtained from those who assisted in the work it appears that several Reading witnesses, who are alleged to have been promised cash to give certain testimony calculated to break down the evidence of the prosecution, became impatient on not receiving the money and threatened to reveal the plot unless their pay was soon forthcoming. These complaints finally reached the ears of Waller's attorneys.

A Philadelphia lawyer was sent to Reading with plenty of money, and he cultivated the acquaintance of the women who had figured as witnesses for Wintersteen, and soon won his way into the good graces of Emma Swickert. Emma is alleged to have taken her newly-made friend into her confidence and asked him for advice as to how to secure the $1,000 which, it is alleged, she was to have received for her part in the trial.

The detective volunteered to not only secure Emma's money, but also the amounts alleged to have been promised to her friends who testified in the case. Emma accepted the proposition and so did her friends, and after getting certain statements and papers from them, Emma's new friend left, as he said, to force payment of the claims by Wintersteen at Bloomburg.

The arrest of the two detectives followed, and more are expected.

ATKINSON JURORS DISAGREE.

Five Would Have Convicted the Governor's Wife of Forgery.

Glenville, W. Va., Oct. 14.—The jury in the case of Mrs. Atkinson, the wife of the Governor of this State, who has been on trial for forgery, disagreed. After several hours' deliberation they returned to the courtroom at 1.30 o'clock yesterday afternoon and announced that they stood five for conviction and seven for acquittal. They were dismissed.

The defendant was continued under bail for a new trial.

Mrs. Atkinson was accused of forging the name of her former husband, Judge Gideon D. Camden, of Clarksburg, W. Va., to several receipts for money alleged to have been loaned by her to Judge Camden. Testimony was offered at the trial to show that the receipts were written and signed by Mrs. Atkinson after her former husband's death.

Certain lands owned by Judge Camden were found by the executors of his estate to have been stripped of valuable timber by Joshua P. Owens, of Gilmour County. Owens had disposed of the timber. Suit was brought by the heirs to recover the value of the timber. Owens in his answer set up a claim to the land and produced receipts in the handwriting of Mrs. Atkinson for money alleged to have been paid for the land.

An examination of these receipts showed that, although purporting to have been written at different times and different places, two of them had really been written on a single piece of paper and afterward cut apart with a pair of scissors.

The widow and Owens were jointly indicted upon this evidence. Mrs. Camden subsequently married Gov. Atkinson, who has expressed his faith in his wife's innocence, and has promised to pardon her if she was convicted. The trial has been in progress for the past week.

MRS. LANGTRY WINS A FORTUNE.

Merman Captures the Cesarewitch Stakes at Newmarket.

London, Oct. 14.—The Cesarewitch Stakes, a handicap of 25 sovereigns each, 10 sovereigns forfeit, with 500 sovereigns added, for 3-year-olds and upward, the owner of the second horse to receive 200 sovereigns and the third 100 sovereigns out of the stakes, Cesarewitch course (two miles two furlongs and thirty-five yards), was run at Newmarket to-day.

The race was won by Mr. Jersey's (Mrs. Langtry) Merman, 5 years old. Twenty-three horses ran.

Merman's victory hit the betting ring ruinously. The bookmakers will probably have to pay £500,000. It is said that Mrs. Langtry won over £50,000. She laid a single bet on her horse yesterday of £1,000 against £20,000. Merman won by a neck. He is an Australian horse.

$150,000 for the Cause of Atheism.

Louisville, Ky., Oct. 14.—Col. John A. Logan, of Nicholasville, an atheist, died yesterday of heart disease. He was worth $250,000, and has given $150,000 to the cause of atheism. The funeral will be held to-day. Mrs. Josephine K. Henry, an infidel, will speak. He leaves a wife and one child.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

The massacre by Somali tribesmen of all but sixty of an Abyssinian army of 3,000 men, in June, is reported in London.

The injunction against the Pennsylvania State Capitol Building Commission was dissolved yesterday, and the architect and design may now be selected.

Social Democrats in Kansas have planned to convert State schools into hotbeds of Debsism by employing teachers who shall organize Debs clubs among students.

Ex-Banker F. V. Rockafellow, of Wilkesbarre, Pa., convicted of receiving deposits after he knew his bank was insolvent, has been sentenced to pay $1,400 and go to prison for a year.

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FROM WEYLER'S JAIL

Fair Victim of Spanish Cruelty Reaches a Haven of Rost.

WAS DISGUISED AS A BOY

Spanish Suspicions Not Awakened by the Passenger on the Ward Liner Seneca. Whose Captain Was Ignorant of Her Identity.

New York, Oct. 14.—The Ward line steamer Seneca, which arrived here yesterday from Mexican ports via Havana, brought from the last-named city Miss Evangelina Cosio y Cisneros, the young Cuban who recently escaped from the Spanish prison at Belen, near the Cuban capital. The Seneca was met at Quarantine by the tugboat Fred Lohman, to which the young woman was transferred and brought to this city. Miss Cosio y Cisneros wore no hat when she descended a ladder from the Seneca to the tugboat, and had neither wrap nor cloak. She was dressed in a red crepon waist, with a show of lace trimming at the throat and a black skirt.

Inquiry as to how the fair fugitive managed to get aboard the Seneca after her escape from prison shows that, disguised as a boy, with her long black hair pinned at the top of her head and concealed by a soft sailor cap, she walked aboard the Seneca at 5.30 p. m. last Saturday, and two and a half hours later the steamship started for this city. She brought no baggage with her. She had a ticket calling for transportation that was made out in the name of Mr. Juan Sola, and when the ship was one day out from Morro Castle the young woman disclosed her identity to the stewardess, Mrs. Berri, and the latter lent her the outfit that she wore when she came ashore to-day.

Then to make things right the name of Mr. Juan Sola on the passenger list had to be changed, but this was an easy matter, the word "Miss" being pasted over "Mr.," and an "a" being added to Juan.

Slipped Past Spies.

How the escaped prisoner managed to get on board the Seneca unobserved is a wonder to Capt. Stevens, the master of the ship. The Seneca, on her way to this city from Tampico, touched at Havana at 6 Saturday morning, and remained there all that day, until 8 o'clock that night.

As is customary two detectives employed by the Spanish Government were stationed at the head of the gangplank during the entire time that the Seneca remained there. Just before the vessel started to resume her voyage the Chief of Police, accompanied by his deputy and secretary, boarded the ship, but made no attempt to search her.

Capt. Stevens says this in itself is peculiar, because they knew that the young woman had escaped on Thursday, and on former occasions, when the Seneca was believed to have suspects on board, the ship was searched from keel to deck. This has happened three or four times, Capt. Stevens says.

Another mystery to Capt. Stevens is how Miss Cosio y Cisneros managed to procure a transportation ticket. Since the beginning of the present insurrection the authorities at Havana, in connection with the New York and Cuba Mail Steamship Company, to which the Seneca belongs, have made it a rule that tickets for transportation to this city be sold to those who show passports only. This rule has been strictly adhered to.

To further offset the possibility of suspects leaving the island a rule that no tickets should be sold on the steamer under any circumstances was also enforced. The supposition is that a passport was substituted.

Miss Cosio y Cisneros turned out to be a good sailor. She occupied stateroom No. 3 on the starboard side, aft the main saloon.

She spent a good deal of time in her room, but made the acquaintance of all her fellow passengers, who did all they could to make her trip pleasant. Among these were Hon. Walter B. Baker, United States Consul at Sagua la Grande; H. T. Stewart, Mrs. B. Lastre and Mrs. Del Real.

Fellow Passenger's Story.

Miss Cosio y Cisneros was accompanied on the trip by a reporter of the Journal. Mr. Stewart, another male passenger, told a reporter that the lady appeared in the saloon for breakfast the morning following the ship's departure from Havana. "I talked frequently with her," he said. "She speaks no English, but I speak Spanish fairly well, and we managed to get along well together. She related her exploit in getting out of jail, and told me that she had come aboard in male attire; that she had showed her passport to the detectives at the gangplank, who had also asked her her name. 'I made my voice as deep as possible when I said Juan Sola,' she told me, and we had a good laugh over it. When we sighted Cape Hatteras light the young woman asked what light it was, and when told that it was an American beacon she knelt down in the saloon and prayed. After that she wept a good deal from joy, I imagine. Now that I look at it, she must have been all strung up with excitement over her experiences, and when she saw the light she could contain herself no longer, but simply overflowed. That's what I think now."

Fifteen Strikers Arrested.

Pittsburg, Oct. 14.—The first wholesale arrest of strikers at the De-Armitt mines was made at Sandy Creek yesterday. Twelve members of a brass band and three strikers were stopped on the road to the mine by Chief Deputy Sheriff Evans and fourteen other deputies and placed under arrest. Chief Deputy Sheriff Evans said that the men were riotous. This was denied by all the prisoners at the Sheriff's office. Three of the musicians said that they were playing a march when the deputies stopped them.

Shipping Wheat to Europe.

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 14.—Heavy shipments of wheat to Europe continue. Over sixty grain-laden vessels have left during the last six months, and six more are ready to sail.

Adelina Patti Ill.

Paris, France, Oct. 14.—Adelina Patti, the famous singer, is ill. Her sickness is not believed to be dangerous, but great anxiety is experienced by her friends.

PASSING COMMENT.

There is at present a desire on the part of the motormen on the street railway to wear full beards. A few of the motormen have the adornment already, but those who are now endeavoring to grow whiskers are Mark Hipp, Michael McCarty, Samuel Bower, John Mowen and Christopher Wise.

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A curious sight is presented on East Fifth street, near Watchung avenue, where a number of large trees are growing directly in the middle of the sidewalk, making it necessary for pedestrians to wend their way carefully around them. It is probable that the trees were in their present position before the street was cut through, and were spared for the sake of the shade which they afford.

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A Plainfield young man who entered Lehigh University this fall, writes home to his friends that the trials of a freshman in college are great. He tells how the sophomores captured him one night and compelled him to carry a large pail of paste until five o'clock in the morning while they pasted up bills about the town telling of the verdancy and other childish triats of his class.

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It is strange that more people do not appreciate the delightful bicycle riding that is to be enjoyed at this season of the year. The air is bracing and puts new life into the rider, while the country scenery is magnificent with all its varied colorings. Where it was green, it is now a variegated mass of green, red, orange and yellow all blended harmoniously together.

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One of the clerks at Neuman's grocery store has used a novel method for repairing punctures. There was a small puncture in the tire and the young man, tired of trying to find it, pumped a quantity of molasses into the tire. All went well after that, and the molasses filled up the hole in the tire. A week later, the tire exploded after being left in the sun, and the friends of the owner of the wheel were surprised to see a dark colored liquid flowing out of the hole in the tire. It was the molasses.

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A well-known Plainfield man, in conversation with the writer this week, spoke in terms of high praise of the bravery and vigilance of the police of this city. The incident which the man related as illustrating this assertion happened a few nights ago. The teller of the story was awakened at about 2 a. m. by the barking of a dog in the alley at the rear of his house. While looking he saw a policeman rush down the street and into the alley and make a thorough search, dark-lantern in hand, of all the nooks and corners. The officer continued his search for several minutes, and when satisfied that no intruders were about, went quietly away upon his rounds, unconscious of the fact that there had been a watcher near.

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Harry Dreier, of this city, witnessed a rather remarkable exhibition of feeling and intelligence from a member of the snake family one day this week. While out walking he killed a black snake five feet long and brought the reptiles body back home with him, arriving after dark. Upon going out of the house the following morning, Dreir was surprised to find another black snake, closely resembling the one killed by him the day before. The reptile had been killed during the night. It is supposed that the second snake was the mate of the one killed and that it had followed its mate's body from the swamp to the house where it was placed by Dreier.

SPORTS

Sun Rises 6:10 a. m.
Sun Sets 5:22 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be lighted at 6:22 p. m.

GOSSIP FROM GRIDIRON.

HAPPENINGS AMONG THE LOCAL FOOTBALL PLAYERS.

Games That are to be Played and Points About Teams and Individual Players That May Prove Interesting to Cranks.

William Lawrence, of Sherman avenue, who fractured his ankle while playing football about one week ago, is now improving rapidly.

George Cathcart, the well known full-back of the Plainfield team, will appear on the gridiron again next Saturday when he will play his old position behind the line, Darling going to half.

The Crescent football team of this city will play its first game at home on Saturday in the Journal League. The game will start at 4 o'clock on the field at the corner of Giraud and Myrtle avenues.

Harry Lovell will appear with the Plainfield eleven again on Saturday at his old place at tackle. His experience at Yale has made him a valuable man for the team, and the excellent work he did last year showed that he has not forgotten the game since he graduated.

The Plainfield Athletic Association is about to inaugurate a new policy which, it is hoped, will make the football games of that association more popular than usual. Beginning on Saturday afternoon of this week, all the fair sex will be admitted to all games of the club free of charge. Not only will they be admitted free, but the Plainfield A. A will extend a hearty invitation to all of them to come and bring their friends. It is one of the standing rules of the field that no improper language shall be used on the gridiron, and the fair sex need not fear any trouble on that score.

CYCLING COMMENT.

Mr. and Mrs. VanEps, of Park avenue, and Miss Laura J. Runyon, of East Fifth street, rode their wheels to Orange yesterday.

Three thousand and thirty seven new members have joined the New Jersey Division of the L. A. W. from Dec. 1st, 1896, to Sept. 24th, 1897, ten months. Essex county stands first in line with 857 members. Hudson is next and Camden third. Union county comes fifth in line with 191 new members, of which Elizabeth furnishes 68; Summit, 22; Plainfield, 21; Union Hill, 17; Cranford, 15 Rahway, 14, and Westfield 10. Middlesex is tenth in line with 105 new members, of whom 64 come from New Brunswick. Somerset county is clear down to fifteenth, with only 32 new members.

BASKET BALL.

The Y. M. C. A. officers of Summit and this city are making an effort to have a trophy cup offered in the basket ball tournament. The cup, if put up, will probably be awarded to the team winning three out of five games. Young men wishing to present their names for membership in the basket ball team should signify their intention at once, as games are now being scheduled. The team will meet for practice on Friday night.

STRIKES AND SPARES.

The managers of the Y. M. C. A. bowling teams of Summit and Plainfield are arranging to offer a trophy cup to be competed for in a series of games between the two teams.

REHEARSING FOR THE 'FEST.

REIGNING NOVELTY A FIGURE DANCE.

Those in Charge Are Bending Every Energy to Make of it a Successful Affair.

The Speilkartenfest is now occupying the minds of a great many people of the city and borough and frequent rehearsals which are held in the Cycle Academy are bringing forth good results.

This entertainment will be given in aid of Muhlenberg Hospital from November 8th to November 13th, inclusive, at the Cycle Academy

Miss L. A. Stewart is directing the rehearshals and is well satisfied with the progress being made. Several dances were rehearsed last evening.

The entertainment will embrace the best features of the Kirmess, and the reigning novelty in the way of figure dances, the Speilkartenfest, or playing card festival. A game of whist is played by living cards who are dressed as kings and queens, jacks and tenspots, aces and every other card in the pack. They are dressed to represent diamonds, hearts, clubs, spades and special characters. Four players will indicate the cards they wish to play and the game proceeds. During the progress of the game enlivening dances are given. There are usually the dance of the court cards, of the aces, and joker, a cut for deal, shuffle, and tableaux.

Preparations are being made to accommodate the large number of people who are expected to be in attendance. W. R. Cock, W. L. Saunders and H. P. Reynolds are in charge of the arrangements and are giving every detail personal supervision. Everyone thus far has shown a remarkable inclination to help to make the affair the most successful yet given.

It is said that there is not a tedious moment in the play and everyone in the audience can readily follow the game. Decorations will show which side is winning.

—The Ladies' Aid Society of the German Reformed church, of Craig place, will continue its fair in the basement of the church this afternoon and evening. The proceeds will go into the church treasury

10,000 Kisses in 10 Hours.

Berlin, Oct. 14.—The Munchener Nachrichten records the experience of a young German who undertook to establish a kissing record. He gained his sweetheart's consent, the terms being that he should take ten thousand kisses from her lips in ten hours, with a brief interval for refreshment every half hour. Umpires were appointed and the attempt to make the record began.

The young man scored 2,000 kisses in the first hour and 1,600 in the second. He had reached 750 in the third hour when his lips were paralyzed and he became unconscious

Package Containing $14,000 Missing.

Chicago, Oct. 14.—A package containing $14,000 has been lost between Omaha and Denver. The money was sent by registered package by a bank in Chicago to a financial institution in the West. The Postoffice authorities are hard at work on the case, but have traced the money westward from Chicago only as far as Omaha.

At that point all record of the small fortune is lost. The authorities refuse to give either the name of the bank sending the money or the one to which the package is consigned.

Secretary Bliss Must Move.

Washington, Oct. 14.—Secretary Bliss has discovered that his lease of a residence at Sixteenth and K streets is invalid, and though he caused his household effects to be moved into the premises on Sept. 1, he will have to look for another house. The house is in a fashionable part of the city, opposite the homes of Secretary Alger and Senator Hale.

Joaquin Miller to Become an Actor.

New York, Oct. 14.—A contract was made yesterday by Davis & Keogh by which they have secured the services of Joaquin Miller, the poet of the Sierras, to make his debut as an actor in the coming production of Scott Marble's drama, "The Heart of the Klondike." The play will be put on at the Star Theatre, Nov. 8.

Deceived by Appearance.

An old darky was arrested for stealing a silver dollar. The dollar was found on his person and produced in court.

"You stole this money?" asked the judge.

"Dat's whut dey says, suh!"

"Well, what have you to say for yourself?"

"Well, suh, nuttin' much, 'ceptin' dat I wuz driv ter it."

"Driven to it?"

"Yes, suh. You see, jedge, dat dollar had a bird on it, en it look so much like a game chicken dat I though it wuz in a hen roos' en des nachully bagged it!"—Atlanta Constitution.

Reliable.

"Yez know Casey, the conthractor," said Mr. Dolan.

"Oi do," replied Rafferty.

"Is he what ye'd call reliable?"

"He is the most reliable man Oi iver knew. Whiniver he tells yez anythin' ye kin depind an it's not bein' so."

A LAY OF THE SUMMER.

Oh! I'd like to go with Nansen
To the Pole.
Where the grizzly bears are dancin'
And they roll
In a chilly, frapped ocean
With a rhythmic sort of mot on
That is droll!
Where Mrs. Seal cavorting
Wears her furs,
And Mr. Seal though sporting,
Ne'er demurs;
Where the wind is wild, and freely
O'er the country found by Greely
Ever stirs—
O'er the country found by Greely
Ever stirs!
Oh! I'd like to be a blooming
Esquimau,
All his frozen airs assuming,
Don't you knau!
Then farewell to moods so melting,
With a snowball I'd be pelting
Every wau!
All of Greenland's icy mountains
I would do;
Drinking drinks that frozen fountains
Only brew.
There I know they'd ne'er be trotin'
Out that query, "Is it hot en-
Ough for you?"
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Ough for you?"
—Baltimore News

—The entertainment to be given in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church October 18th under the auspices of the Young Ladies' Mission Band will consist of tableaux and readings from Jane Austen's book "Emma."

AN ORDINANCE

to establish the grade on Central Avenue from Randolph Road to Elizabeth Street.

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Sec. 1. That the grade on Central avenue, from Randolph road to Elizabeth street, be established as follows:

Beginning at the Southerly curb line of Randolph road at an elevation above the City base of 33.00 feet on the Southwesterly curb corner, and 32.75 feet on the Southeasterly curb corner; thence with an ascending grade of 0.30 per 100, a distance of 150 feet, elevation 33.45 West, 33.20 East; thence with a descending grade of 0.30 per 100, a distance of 650 feet to the location of a proposed street, elevation 31.50 West, 31.25 East; thence with an ascending grade of 0.30 per 100 a distance of 318 feet on the Westerly curb line, elevation 32.45 and a distance of 375 feet on the Easterly curb line, elevation 32.38 feet; thence a descending grade of 0.30 per 100, to the Northerly curb line of Elizabeth street, elevation 30.95 on the Northwesterly curb corner, and 31.05 on the Southeasterly curb corner.

Sec. 2. That all ordinances and parts of ordinances, so far as they conflict herewith, be and the same are hereby repealed.

Adopted by the Common Council Oct. 4, 1897; approved by the Mayor Oct. 6, 1897.

CHAS. J. FISK, Mayor.

Attest, J. T. MacMURRAY, City Clerk.

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Executor's Settlement.

Notice is hereby given, That the account of the subscriber, Executor of Deborah W. Brant deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphan's Court of the County of Union, on Wednesday, the fifteenth day of December next.

MARY ALICE MASON.

Dated, October 13th, 1897. 10 14 o a w 10 th

DR. DECKER'S SHAKE NO MORE CURES MALARIA

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FORCED SALE OF CLOTHING!

The entire stock of **CLOTHING,** consisting of **MEN'S OVERCOATS, MEN'S SUITS, MEN'S PANTS. BOYS' and CHILDREN'S SUITS, CHILDREN'S PANTS** also **MEN'S FURNISHING GOODS and HATS,** formerly the elegant stock of **HARRY M. JAQUETT,** must be sold in the **NEXT 60 DAYS** to close the **ENTIRE BUSINESS.** Owing to the depression of business for the **PAST YEAR** he has been **OBLIGED** to **ASSIGN** the entire stock to me, and it is **NOW OFFERED** at **UNHEARDOF PRICES.** Samuel T. Jaquett. The following are **A FEW** of the bargains that are offered:

	Were	Now
Men's Overcoats and Ulsters	$5.50	$3 98
" " " "	8.00	5.00
" " " "	8.75	6 50
" " " "	9.50	6.50
Boys' Overcoats and Ulsters	4 50	2.75
" " " "	6.00	3.90
" " " "	4 50	3 00
Children's Knee Pants	150	1.00
" " "	1.00	.60
" " "	.75	.40
" " "	.50	.30
" " "	.35	.20
Children's Overcoats	4 50	2.18
" "	3.25	1.98

	Were	Now
Children's Overcoats	6.00	3.98
Children's Suits	4.00	2.98
" "	2.98	.98
" "	4.75	3 37
" "	4 87	3.37
" "	2 75	1.98
" "	2 75	.98
" "	8.00	4 25
" "	6.00	3 87
Men's Pants	1.75	.98
" "	2.75	1.12
" "	1 50	1.00
" "	1 37	.75
" "	2.50	1.48

	Were	Now
Men's Suits	9.50	5.48
" "	8.00	3.80
" "	9.00	6.98
" "	8.00	5.00
" "	5.50	2 98
Men's Working Shirts	.50	.29
" Shirts and Drawers	.50	.39
" Neckwear	.50	.39
" Sweaters	.50	.18
Men's Derby Hats (large assortment)	2.00	1.30
" " "	3.00	1.90
" " " (a large assortment)	1.50	1.00
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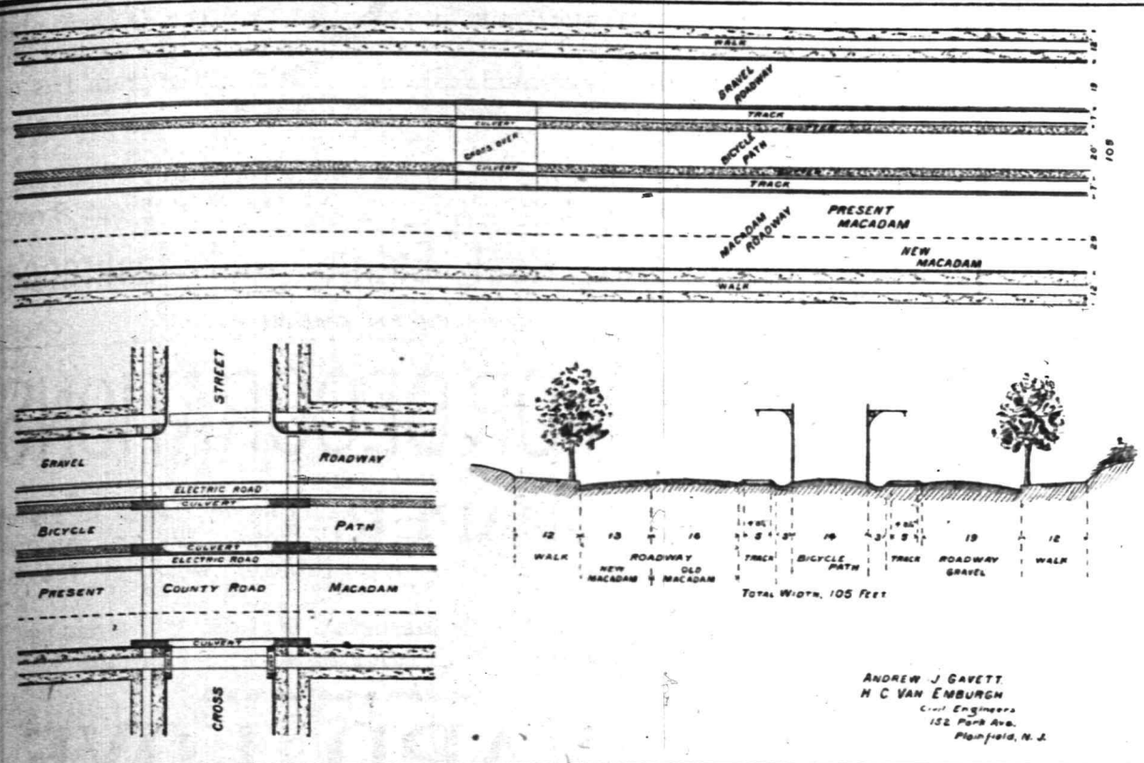

AMENDED PLAN OF FRANK BERGEN'S TROLLEY ROAD.

A plan is here presented for widening the county road and building a trolley upon it which involves a change of the one presented by Frank Bergen. The new suggestion, as shown in the sketch, is to construct a bicycle path 14 feet wide between the trolley tracks. This amended plan, which is the idea of former Freeholder James T. Pierson, will meet with the enthusiastic endorsement of cyclers of both sexes, who were not taken into consideration in the original plan. A path of this character, constructed with special reference to the comforts of cyclers, will increase the popularity of Mr. Bergen's plan immeasurably. Wheelmen would then be able to escape the annoyances incident to riding upon a road where carriages and trucks block the way and frequently endanger life and limb. The proposed change is approved by Frank Bergen, and will be adopted by him hereafter in his efforts to obtain the improvement of the road. The addition of the proposed bicycle path will necessitate a number of changes in the original drawing, and these changes can be understood easily by a glance at the above sketch. The space for the 14 foot path is gained by making the sidewalks 12 instead of 15 feet wide, and the roadways 19 and 29 feet wide respectively, as shown above, instead of 26 feet. On each side of the path, between it and the gutters, there will be a gutter, which will serve to prevent accidents, which might occur if the path was built close up to the tracks.

If you like the idea say so to Mr. Pierson or some member of the committee, and when it leaves their hands for the commissioners, who will order the work done, make your voice heard in the most effective way you can. The committee of eleven are John B. Dumont and DeWitt C. Ivins, of Plainfield; Frank W. Wescott, of Fanwood; James T. Pierson, of Westfield; Jaspar C. Hunt, of Cranford; George W. Doty, of Union; Albert B. Carlton, Louis Quien and Alexander Kerr, of Elizabeth; W. H. Coffey, of Summit, and B. A. Vail, of Rahway. Vail is chairman and Quien secretary.

BEES INVADE A CHURCH.

KEPT WORSHIPPERS VERY ANXIOUS.

Driven Out of a Cupola by Heat From the Furnace They Took Refuge in the Auditorium.

Every person that attended the services at the Park Avenue Baptist church last Sunday was on the anxious seat, caused by the presence of a very large swarm of bees that had gained admittance. For sometime past the bees have made their home in the cupola of the church and up to last Sunday they had been undisturbed. The weather being a trifle cool, Mr. Brokaw felt compelled to build a fire in the furnace to warm the church. The fire not only warmed the church but also the bees. The honey-makers did not like the heat and they adjourned to the auditorium of the church to bother the worshippers.

They made life miserable for the congregation. Their humming songs kept all in a state of worriment, for no one knew what minute they might be a victim.

Wesley Brokaw, the organist, was the first victim. He was struck twice in the face with a bee, and declared that if it occurred again he would leave the church.

The unusual occurrence, however, did not disturb the equanimity of Pastor Richardson, for he preached one of his powerful sermons with even more than usual vigor, if that is possible, but the congregation did not seem to be in a condition to receive the Word as they should.

Fortunately no one received a sting, and when church was out everyone breathed a sigh of relief. At the evening service the bees were still present.

At the Wednesday evening prayer-meeting a few of the bees were present, but they did not disturb anyone. An effort will be made to get the bees out of the church by next Sunday so that the members of the church and their friends can worship in peace and comfort.

An Ideal Home.

Miss Lillian A. Force, of Duer street, returned home last evening from Hamden, Hunterdon county, where she has been visiting her friend, Miss Sara Todd, for the past ten days. The home of Miss Todd, which stands on an elevated portion of the 120 acres of fertile farm land surrounding it, has recently been thoroughly remodeled and is a credit to the architect, A. L. C. Marsh, of this city, as are also the interior decorations and furnishings to the owner, Mrs. Julia F. Grandin, Miss Todd's mother. Persons who have had the pleasure of visiting this hospitable home are led to believe that it is one of the most complete country residences in Hunterdon county.

—Young men interested in the study of Spanish are requested to apply at the Y. M. C. A. building on Friday evening of next week.

PRIZES AWARDED.

Successful Workers for the German Fair are Rewarded.

There was a good attendance at the German Reformed church fair which was continued last evening, and many sales were made by those in charge of the tables. The contests were decided and prizes were given to all who were in the contest, except Mrs. Hauser who would not accept a prize. Mrs. Phillip Giese headed the list by bringing in $35 61 and she received a rocking chair. Mrs. Angerbauer brought in $28 10 and was awarded a quilt, while Mrs. Fred Conde received a rocking chair as a present for the $8.40 she collected. A lemonade set was given to Mrs. Phillip Bach who collected $8.16. Mrs. Jacob Blimm was presented with a flower vase for the $8.02 she brought in. Mrs. Hauser collected $5. August Wolf collected $4.75 and Mrs. Sutterlein $3.49. Each of the last two named received a fancy cake. The total amount received was $101.53.

A short programme, consisting of piano solos and vocal solos, was rendered during the evening. The fair will be continued this evening when an auction will be held and everything disposed of.

CARPET WORKS START AGAIN.

Will be Run on Full Time as Soon as Loo ms Are Put in Order.

The VanDeventer Carpet Company, whose factory is on South avenue, near Scott's Printing Machine Works, resumed work yesterday after a shutdown of four weeks. The factory now has thirty hands working full time, and will increase the number to sixty, its full capacity, as soon as the looms can be placed in running order. S. J. Acheson, the superintendent of the mill, informed a Daily Press reporter today that the firm already had sufficient orders on hand to keep the looms busy until December 15th, running full time, and that there was every prospect that work would continue all winter. The season has opened unusually early this fall owing to the fact that all retail dealers have been buying very lightly for the past few years, and have no stock to meet the fall demand.

A Somerville Marriage.

Miss Fannie Fields and William Cox, both of Somerville, were married in the Second Reformed church at that place yesterday afternoon, and left at once upon their wedding trip. Upon their return they will make their home in Somerville. The bride is a sister of James C. Fields, who was formerly associated with L. W. Randolph in the drug business in this city, and she has many friends here. Among the Plainfield people who attended the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. John Miller, Mr. and Mrs. William Chapman, Mrs. William Westphal and Miss Ella Serrell.

ROBBER DIDN'T FINISH JOB.

SUSPICIOUS MAN UNDER ARREST.

Attempt to Enter a West Front Street House—Frightened By the Return of One of the Family.

An attempted robbery was committed at the home of William B. Shafer, of 732 West Front street, last evening about 8 o'clock, but no trace of those committing the act can be ascertained. Mr. Shafer and his family had left the house for the purpose of attending the band concert at Music Hall. They had not gone a great distance, when one of the family happened to think that something at home was forgotten. Just before reaching the house she heard a scramble and hurried footsteps. Previously, Mrs. Morton, who lives next door, heard a noise in Mr. Shafer's house but she thought it was made by some members of the family, until her attention was called to the attempted robbery.

An investigation showed that the thieves had made free use of a jimmy in opening a cellar window, and they had gained access to the cellar for the purpose of entering the upper part of the house, when they were disturbed by the return of the family. The entire family returned when they learned what had happened, and made a thorough search of the house. They could not find that anything had been disturbed, and after locking up the house they went to the concert. The matter has been reported to the police.

After this had occurred the police found a stranger wandering along West Front street with a package under his arm. The contents of the package proved to be a set of moulder's tools, one of which fitted in the dents left in the cellar window by the burglar's jimmy. The man was arrested and locked up in the city jail.

This morning he was arraigned before City Judge DeMeza on the charge of vagrancy. He had a plausible story. He gave his name as Thomas O'Toole, of New York. He claimed to be utterly innocent of any attempt to enter any house in the neighborhood. The Judge reserved his sentence until a further search for clues to the identity of the burglar might be made.

Nell Picket a Witness.

Rumors have been current in this city to the effect that Martin Galbrath and Nell Pickett had been implicated in a murder at Greenwich, Conn. The truth of the matter is that there was a murder there in which a man named Sydney played the leading role. Nell Pickett was one of the principal witnesses and was held for that reason. Galbrath did not figure in the affair at all although rumor had him sentenced to prison for life.

After the Postoffice.

Considerable quiet work is being done for the postoffice honors by the local politicians. It is said that one possibility has an extremely long petition, while the other has adopted another course, that of depending on the powers that be.

THE REPORT CONFIRMED

BOROUGH COUNCIL APPROVE OF AVENUE COMMISSIONERS' WORK.

Final Hearing Held Last Night and Many Objections Were Made to Assessments—Only a Few Changes Were Made, Though.

There was a mixture of comedy with the serious side of the discussion concerning the report of the Watchung Avenue Commissioners which was considered last evening at a special meeting of the Borough Council, and a number of the objectionists furnished it, much to the amusement of those present.

After a resolution was adopted, which authorized the Council to take the report from the table so that all objectors could be given a chance to be heard, also that the report be examined and confirmed by the Council, Mayor Wilson stated that the Council was ready to listen to anyone who had anything to say about the report.

G. W. Bird was the first one to speak, and he remarked in substance what he previously stated at the meeting of the commissioners. He cited the case of where the commissioners had assessed property on Chatham street and Watchung avenue twelve times greater than property on Summit avenue, and he asked the Council not to confirm the report. Mr. Bird said that he would be willing to settle for $300 if the Council would allow him $27 for an old barn which they had taken.

Father Miller, representing St. Joseph's church, made a lengthy speech concerning the assessments on the church property. He compared a case of where a property on Jackson avenue opposite the church property with a depth of 230 feet and a fifty foot frontage was assessed about $280, and the church property 120 feet deep and 97 feet wide was asaessed $460. He thought the assessment was unfair and that the method of assessing so much a foot was unjust. He contended that from Manning avenue down to the brook the benefits are very little, and yet the people in that territory were assessed two-thirds of the entire cost. He said he had purchased additional property near the church recently for $2,800, which was held at $3,500 eight years ago and this fact showed that values are decreasing. He also claimed that it had cost the church between $3,000 and $4,000 as a result of opening the avenue. It was shown, however, that the church had received nearly value for their money.

Judge McCarter, of Newark, was present to represent the interests of Mrs. Hannah Durlach. His remarks were about the same as made at the meeting of the commissioners. His principal points were that the opening of the avenue had left the property in a peculiar size, and that being close to the dam left it in a dangerous place, and therefore would never derive the benefits that other properties would. He stated that his people were not satisfied with the reduction from $1,350 to $1,100 recently made, and he could not account for the gap between $100 as first assessed sometime ago and the present figures of $1,100, and he asked the Council to consider the matter further.

George White made a few remarks, in which he stated that he considered the assessment unfair, as the figures are $500 more at present than they were when the assessment was made some time ago, and he is receiving no more benefits, surely not to the extent of $8.0, the amount asked. D. D. Smalley took a serious view of matters and said that if the Council continued everybody would be driven out of town by assessments. The times are hard, and it is all the people can do to pay their State and county tax, he said. He held that his property would not bring the price it would before the avenue was opened. Frank Conshea caused much fun by his witty remarks. He claimed that the avenue tax is no benefit to him, and in fact it is a detriment. At this time someone told Mr. Conshea that he had been drinking too much buttermilk, whereupon he replied, "I know it," and he attempted to say something further, but the remark was lost in the loud roar of laughter. Another objector that caused merriment was William Boe, representing Mrs. William Boe, in a protest against an assessment of $198. He said that his wife's property was not benefited by the opening of the avenue, and he considered the work of the commissioners as a d—— outrage and a skin. He claimed that the people who started the work were the ones in the borough who do not live anywhere near the avenue. He held that the work was illegal, and that he would not pay his assessment, if he had to pay that amount into the hands of a lawyer to get out of it. He offered to sell the property to Mr.

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CARRIED OFF HONORS.

TRINITY COMMANDERY DISTINGUISHED AT THE FIELD DAY.

Eighty Members Were There and Their Drilling Was the Best of the Day—Trinity Accompanied by Drake's Band.

The Knights Templar of this State held their annual field day at Morristown yesterday. While it was considered a very successful event, it could not compare with the one held in this city last year. The entertaining commandery was the Odo de St. Amand Commandery, one of the smallest in the State, so they were somewhat handicapped in their plans of entertainment. The day was a delightful one, however, and the city of Morristown was gay with flags and bunting.

The Trinity Commandery, of this city, carried off the honors of the day. Including their visitors from several of the other commanderies who did not send complete delegations, they numbered eighty in all. There marching was the best and they performed a number of evolutions which the other commanderies did not attempt.

The Plainfield Knights met at the North Avenue station yesterday morning, and took the 7:50 train for Newark. There they were met by the Damascus Commandery, of Newark, and escorted to the D. L. & W. station where a special train conveyed both commanderies to Morristown. The morning was spent in getting the commanderies in order and completing the necessary arrangements.

In the afternoon, the review and dress parade was held, the commanderies falling in line at 2 o'clock. Being the youngest commandery in line, Trinity brought up in the rear of the column, but her superior marching and greater numbers gave her a hearty reception all along the line. The line of march was six miles long.

At 6 o'clock, the Trinity and Damascus Commanderies were conveyed back to Newark by special train, and there the Plainfield Knights were treated to an elaborate collation by their hosts. The Plainfield delegation finally left for home at 9 o'clock.

Trinity Commandery was accompanied by Drake's Band, who made an excellent showing in the parade. It is estimated that there were about four hundred Knights in line.

LOOK OUT FOR THE CHIEF AWHEEL.

Head of the Police Force Falls a Victim to the Bicycle Fever.

The bicycle is all-powerful. One by one the well-known Plainfielders are succumbing to its influence and are trying to learn to ride. The latest victim of the wheel is Chief George W. Grant, who stands at the head of the Plainfield police force. He is doing it on the quiet, with the assistance of Roundsman Frederickson, but his friends have spied him out and are now congratulating him, for the Captain has finally conquered the tricks of the silent steed and can navigate the streets on it to some extent. He is still a novice in the art, however, and prefers to do his riding for the present in some secluded nook where there is no one to watch his performances.

The friends of the Captain have long tried to persuade him to ride, but he has laughed at them, and no one had an idea until the other day that the genial Chief had ever thought of riding a wheel. He admits the advantages that a wheel has for a policeman, and will be able to more completely look after the peace and quiet of the city now that he is soon to be able to spin along like the rest of the force.

HUMOR AND PATHOS BOTH.

Delightful Entertainment of a Literary Nature Given in Vincent Chapel.

A delightful entertainment of a literary nature was given in Vincent chapel last evening under the auspices of the Young Ladies' Mission Band of the First M. E. church. The principal entertainer was Prof. Barbour, of Rutgers College, a man of great talent and ability. He recited a number of selections and his audience found him charming as a humorist or in his pathetic selections.

His humorous recitations were especially good and received great applause from the fair-sized audience present. He also gave Wallace's "Chariot Race" in a very graphic manner. "Daddy's Li'l Boy" was also one of his best renditions.

A piano solo was well rendered by Miss Mabelle Force and Miss Charlotte Messersmith gave a vocal solo very acceptably.

Justice Moffett's Court.

Justice Moffett yesterday issued a summons in the case of Rushmore against Hall, on contract, returnable next Thursday.

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THE GREED OF FARMERS

IT CAUSES TROUBLE WITH TOWNSHIP HEALTH OFFICIALS.

It is Said That They Heap Their Wagons With Fertilizer in the City, Dumping Part of it in the Township.

The health authorities of the township of North Plainfield claim that they have been made the victim of the greed of farmers who live back in the mountains in the direction of Warrenville and Mt Bethel. The farmers buy their fertilizer in Plainfield by the load. They heap their wagons to their utmost capacity and it is claimed when they reach the hilly country in the township they leave part of their load behind on the highway so that the horses can draw the wagons and then return at their leisure for that left behind. Now the Board of Health of the township has instructed its inspector, Constable George N. Steward, to start criminal proceedings against the next man to dump compost in the public highway of the township.

Such was one of the most important acts of the Board of Health at the regular meeting held last evening in William Demler's grocery store at Washingtonville. It was the first meeting of the new Board which met for organization with the following members: William H. Smith, Charles Sebring, Frank Mobus, Theodore Luerrsenn, William Demler, of Washingtonville; Benjamin Clark, of Scotch Plains, and Goldson Smalley, of Greenbrook. Robert M. Clark, as assessor, was the secretary ex-officio. Theodore Luerrsenn was elected president of the Board.

George H. Steward, the constable, was made inspector of the Board, with the munificent salary of $12 a year. Dr. D. C. Adams was chosen township physician. Robert M. Clark was made attorney for the Board.

The annual report of the Board was prepared and sent to the State Board. It showed that there had been 17 births and 5 deaths in the township during the last year. During that time there had been one case of scarlet fever and four of measles, all of which had recovered. Two inspections had been made of the milk dairies in the township and all were reported to be in a good sanitary condition.

The inspector was ordered to hereafter make an inspection of the dairies every month and thoroughly inspect them to see that all was conducted in a sanitary manner.

BIG BICYCLE PARADE.

Somerville's Pageant Composed of Nearly All Decorated Wheels.

Somerville held a bicycle carnival last evening and it proved a great success. It was almost exclusively composed of wheelmen from Somerville and Raritan, but those that did take part made considerable effort to present a fine showing and they succeeded admirably. The parade was on somewhat different lines from those in this city and New Brunswick, as no effort was made to have uniformed clubs in line. The parade consisted almost entirely of wheels gotten up after some novel design. Every wheel in line was decorated to some extent while some of the decorations were very novel and intricate.

There were nearly 300 wheels in line and they paraded through the principal streets in Somerville and Raritan. The paraders looked very gay at first, but many of the lanterns went out as the line of march was covered, and the beauty of some of the decorations went unappreciated on account of the darkness.

One of the most novel floats in line was an elephant suspended between two wheels. Astride of the elephant's neck was a small boy. Many of the riders merely masqueraded as various humorous characters and amused the crowd by their gesticulations.

JUDGMENT AGAINST A MINISTER.

Reed & Coddington Want Rev. E. Kionka to Pay for Legal Services.

The case of Reed & Coddington against Rev. E. Kionka, formerly pastor of the German Lutheran church, North Plainfield, to recover the amount of a bill for legal services, was tried in Justice Newcorn's court this morning, and judgment was rendered for the plaintiffs for the full amount of the bill, which was $19, and the costs of the action. It is probable that the case will be appealed.

Another Industrial School.

There has been organized at the East Third Street mission an Industrial School, the object of which is to teach children such useful arts as sewing, etc. The organization is wholly unsectarian and is under the management of Mrs. A. E. Bushnell, of this city, who will be assisted by several other ladies of this city. The first meeting of the school will occur tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock, at which time all interested in the work are invited to be present.

FOR RECIPROCITY NOW

President to Name a Commission to Negotiate Treaties.

JOHN A. KASSON SELECTED

Will Endeavor to Renew All the Agreements Made Under the Harrison Administration and Since Revoked—Provisions of the Law.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 15.—The President is about to announce a commissioner to take charge of negotiating commercial treaties with foreign countries. For some time past Mr. McKinley has been considering the subject of reciprocity, and the advisability with opening negotiations with other nations. He has been in consultation with a number of persons in relation to the best course to pursue, and has finally decided to name a commissioner to take charge of the matter.

Hon. John A. Kasson of Iowa has been asked to accept the commissionership and assume charge of the work. Mr. Kasson will have several assistants.

Has Two Years to Act.

Under Sections 3 and 4 of the new tariff act the President is empowered, with the advice and consent of the Senate, to make commercial treaties with foreign countries, with a view to securing reciprocal trade. The law limits the time in which he shall act to two years from and after the passage of the tariff act, and consequently the President is anxious that the work begin at once. It is understood that the new commissioner will endeavor to renew all the reciprocity treaties negotiated under the Harrison Administration, but revoked under Cleveland, so far as they are consistent under Sections 3 and 4 of the Dingley Tariff act.

Provisions of the Law.

These provisions of the tariff law state that, for the purpose of equalizing the trade of the United States with foreign countries and their colonies, producing and exporting to this country certain articles, the President is authorized to enter into negotiations for a commercial agreement in which reciprocal and equivalent concessions may be secured in favor of products and manufactures of the United States. The articles mentioned are as follows: Argols or crude tartar, or wine lees, crude; brandies or other spirits manufactured or distilled from grain or other material; champagnes and all sparkling wines; still wines and vermuth; paintings and statuary. When such commercial agreements between the United States and the countries exporting these articles have been made, and in the judgment of the President they are reciprocal and equivalent, he is authorized to suspend during the time of such agreement, by proclamation, the imposition and collection of duties imposed by the present tariff law, and thereafter the duties on such article or articles shall be as follows: Argols, or crude tartar, or wine lees, crude, 5 per centum ad valorem; brandies or other spirits manufactured or distilled from grain or other materials, $1.75 per proof gallon; champagne and all other sparkling wines in bottles containing not more than one quart and more than one pint, $6 per dozen; containing not more than one pint each and more than one-half pint, $3 per dozen; containing one-half pint each or less, $1.50 per dozen; in bottles or other vessels containing more than one quart each, in addition to $6 per dozen bottles on the quantities in excess of one quart, at the rate of $1.90 per gallon; still wines and vermuth in casks, 35 cents per gallon; in bottles or jugs, per case of one dozen bottles or jugs containing each not more than one quart and more than one pint, or twenty-four bottles or jugs containing each not more than one pint, $1.25 per case, and any excess beyond these quantities found in such bottles or jugs shall be subject to a duty of 4 cents per pint or fractional part thereof, but no separate or additional duty shall be assessed upon the bottles or jugs; paintings in oil or water colors, pastels, pen and ink drawings and statuary, 15 per centum ad valorem.

As to Tea and Coffee.

The section states that the President, whenever he is satisfied that any such reciprocity agreement with any government has not been fully executed, shall have the power to revoke such suspension of duties. It also provides that, with a view to securing reciprocal trade with countries producing and exporting to the United States coffee, tea and tonquin, tonqua or tonka beans and vanilla beans, when such government imposes a duty on the agricultural, manufactured or other products of the United States which, in view of the introduction of such coffee, tea, tonka and vanilla beans into this country free, the President may deem to be reciprocally unequal and unreasonable, he can suspend by proclamation the provisions of the tariff act admitting these articles free and impose specified duties.

The Administration expects to announce all the members of the new commission at once, and hopes that the work of negotiating reciprocity treaties will begin immediately.

Jury Played Cards for Verdict.

Ashland, Wis., Oct. 15.—A. L. Warner, a juryman in the case of Ewer vs. Darwin, which was decided a few days ago in favor of the plaintiff, has made an affidavit, which has been filed by counsel for the defense as the basis of a request for a new trial, that when the jury stood 11 to 1 for the plaintiff the verdict was settled by the result of a game of cards between the dissenting juryman and one of the others.

Killed a Stage Robber.

Delta, Cal., Oct. 15.—A desperate fight took place this morning in this town when William Harald, a stage robber who had been run to earth by officers, killed Under Sheriff Radford, wounded Under Sheriff Stewart, and was himself shot through the heart. The fight did not last a quarter of a minute, but fully twenty shots were fired and Harald was filled with lead.

$50,000 Gift to Yale.

New Haven, Oct. 15.—Another gift of $15,000 has been announced for the Yale Law School. The donor is John W. Hendrie, of South Beach. He has now given $50,000 to the institution.

JUSTICE FIELD RETIRES

The Venerable Jurist Leaves the Supreme Court Bench.

THE PRESIDENT NOTIFIED

Formal Announcement of the Fact Made in the United States Supreme Court Yesterday—Letter from the President.

Washintgon, D. C., Oct. 15.—It was announced in the Supreme Court yesterday that Justice Stephen J. Field of California had notified President McKinley of his intention to retire as a member of the court, and had informed his colleagues of this fact. The members of the court, after adjournment at 4 o'clock, called in a body on the retiring Justice to pay their respects.

It is expected that his successor will be nominated by the President immediately after the reassembling of Congress in December, and that Attorney-General McKenna, also of California, will be named for the office.

Justice Field, it is learned, notified the President last April of his intention to retire, but the President did not acknowledge it until Oct. 9.

Letter from the President.

The following letter was given out yesterday afternoon:

Supreme Court of the United States,
Washington, D. C., Oct. 12, 1897.

Dear Mr. Chief Justice and Brethren:

Near the close of last term, feeling that the duties of my office had become too arduous for my strength, I transmitted my resignation to the President, to take effect on the first day of December next, and this he has accepted with kindly expressions of regard, as will be seen from a copy of his letter, which is as follows:

"Executive Mansion,
"Washington, D. C., Oct. 9, 1897.

"Hon. Stephen J. Field, Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States, Washington, D. C.:

"My Dear Sir—In April last Chief Justice Fuller, accompanied by Mr. Justice Brewer, handed me your resignation as Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States, to take effect Dec. 1, 1897.

"In hereby accepting your resignation I wish to express my deep regret that you feel compelled by advancing years to sever your active connection with the court of which you have been so long a distinguished member.

"Entering upon your great office in May, 1863, you will on the first of next December have served upon this bench for a period of thirty-four years and seven months, a term longer than that of any member of the court since its creation, and throughout a period of special importance in the history of the country, occupied with as grave public questions as have ever confronted that tribunal for decision.

"I congratulate you, therfore, most heartily upon a service of such exceptional duration, fidelity and distinction. Nor can I overlook the fact that you received your commission from Abraham Lincoln, and, graciously spared by a kind Providence, have survived all the members of the court of his appointment.

"Upon your retirement both the bench and the country will sustain a great loss, but the high character and great ability of your work will live and long be remembered, not only by your colleagues, but by your grateful fellow countrymen.

"With personal esteem and sincere best wishes for your contentment and happiness during the period of rest which you have so well earned, I am, dear sir, very truly vours,

"WILLIAM M'KINLEY."

STARVING IN HAVANA CITY.

About Twenty-five Pacificos Die Daily in the Capital.

Havana, via Key West, Oct. 15.—Twenty-five persons, among them twelve women and five children, died yesterday of hunger in Havana. They were crowded into the place called Los Fosos, where the Spanish police here huddle the pacificos who have been driven by the troops into the capital from the neighboring country. Many thousands of these hapless persons are *now starving to death in Los Fosos*, and I have been informed by trustworthy persons that since Oct. 1 about twenty-five of them have died every day of their privations. The Spanish authorities conceal these facts, and the black Maria comes in the night to take away under cover of darkness the bodies, which are buried in the cemetery of Colon.

The war continues fiercely in Havana province. A Spanish column, surrounded in the town of Santiago de las Vegas by the insurgents, is unable to leave the place on account of the superior Cuban forces which control all the roads. The commander has asked for reinforcements from Havana.

Faure Makes a Speech.

(Cable Dispatch to the New York Sun.)

Paris, Oct. 15.—The merchants of this city last night gave a banquet to President Faure in *commemoration of his* recent visit to Russia. M. Faure made a strong speech, dwelling chiefly upon colonial expansion.

Referring to the recently revealed resources of new countries, he eloquently appealed to French private enterprise to increase the nation's wealth by developing such resources. An epoch was now beginning, he said, that was likely to finally fix the destines of the nations of Europe and to determine their respective positions in the world.

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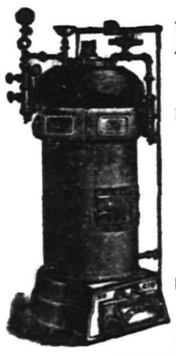

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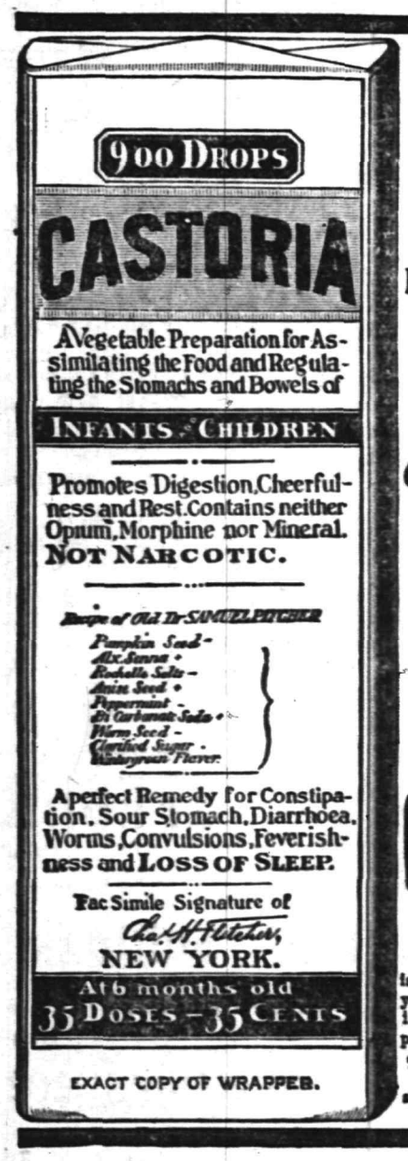

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1897 Taxes

NOTICE is hereby given to the tax-payers of the City of Plainfield that the taxes assessed in said City for the year eighteen hundred and ninety-seven are now due and payable, and that if said taxes be not paid before the
20th Day of December
next, the names of the defaulters with their respective taxes, will be returned to the City Judge for prosecution. The Commissioners of Appeal in cases of taxation in and for the said City will meet at the Council Chamber, No. 109 Park avenue, Plainfield, N. J., on the
4th Tuesday of November
next, (November 23rd, 1897,) at two o'clock p. m., to hear complaints relating to assessments.
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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—A convention echo meeting will be held in the Park Avenue Baptist church this evening, under the charge of the Christian Endeavor Society of that church.

—The members of Howell Division, Sons of Temperance, went to Elizabeth last evening where they were the guests of a fellow-division. All report having had a good time.

A few weeks ago the editor was taken with a very severe cold that caused him to be in a most miserable condition. It was undoubtedly a bad case of la grippe and recognizing it as dangerous he took immediate steps to bring about a speedy cure. From the advertisement of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the many good recommendations included therein, we concluded to make a first trial of the medicine. To say that it was satisfactory in its results, is putting it very mildly, indeed. It acted like magic and the result was a speedy and permanent cure. We have no hesitancy in recommending this excellent Cough Remedy to anyone afflicted with a cough or cold in any form.—The Banner of Liberty, Libertytown, Maryland. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Horsley Barker, the West Front street druggist, has returned from a visit with friends in Brooklyn.

Those who believe chronic diarrhœa to be incurable should read what Mr. P. E. Grisham, of Gaars Mills, La., has to say on the subject, viz.: "I have been a sufferer from chronic diarrhœa ever since the war and have tried all kinds of medicines for it. At last I found a remedy that effected a cure and that was Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy." This medicine can always be depended upon for colic, cholera morbus, dysentery and diarrhœa. It is pleasant to take and never fails to affect a cure. 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

D. Olmstead, of East Millstone, was the guest of borough friends yesterday.

Croup Quickly Cured.

MOUNTAIN GLEN, Ark.—Our children were suffering with croup when we received a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It afforded almost instant relief.—F. A. Thornton. This celebrated remedy is for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Charles O'Neil, of West Second street, who sometime ago fractured his arm while playing, has about recovered from the effects of the accident.

A pain in the chest is nature's warning that pneumonia is threatened. Dampen a piece of flannel with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bind over the seat of pain, and another on the back between the shoulders, and prompt relief will follow. Sold by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

E. E. Anthony, of West Front street, was in Philadelphia yesterday on business.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by L. W. Randolph.

George Lewis, of the borough, is slowly recovering from the effects of the fall he had some time ago.

Electric Bitters

Electric Bitters is a medicine suited for any season, but perhaps more generally needed when the languid, exhausted feeling prevails, when the liver is torpid and sluggish and the need of a tonic and alterative is felt. A prompt use of this medicine has often averted long and perhaps fatal bilious fevers. No medicine will act more surely in counteracting and freeing the system from the malarial poison. Headache, Indigestion, Constipation, Dizziness yield to Electric Bitters. 50c. and $1.00 per bottle at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

—New electric light poles are being erected on Front street to take the place of the old ones which are worn out.

Stands at the Head.

Aug. J. Bogel, the leading druggist of Shreveport, La., says: "Dr. King's New Discovery is the only thing that cures my cough, and it is the best seller I have." J. F. Campbell, merchant of Safford, Ariz., writes: "Dr. King's New Discovery is all that is claimed for it; it never fails, and is a sure cure for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I cannot say enough for its merits.' Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds is not an experiment. It has been tried for a quarter of a century, and to-day stands at the head. It never disappoints. Free trial bottles at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

INQUIRING INTO HAZLETON RIOT.

The Austrian Minister Makes a Formal Complaint to Sherman.

Harrisburg, Pa., Oct. 15.—The following dispatch from Secretary of State Sherman has been received by Gov. Hastings:

"His Excellency the Austrian Minister has filed a communication with this Department, reresenting that in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, near Hazleton, on the 10th of September, 1897, a conflict took place between the Sheriff of Lucerne County, supported by an armed force, and certain striking workmen; that in that conflict ten Austrian and Hungarian subjects were killed and eleven more wonded; also that of the other wounded men there are some twenty-three whose names would seem to indicate that they are of Austrian or Hungarian birth.

"According to the representations of the Minister, the victims of this catastrophe were guilty of no acts of violence, nor in any opposition to local authority which might justify the measures taken against them. It is also claimed by the Minister that a number of the deceased were fired upon without cause and while in retreat, and that these acts constitute a violation of the dights of Austrian subjects.

"It is represented on the part of the Austrian Government that these subjects suffered death and grievous wounds not in unlawful oposition to the authorities of Pennsylvania, but by reason of unwarranted and unlawful use of power by the Sheriff of Lucerne County of your State.

"The Austrian Government, through its Minister, has requested this Department to bring the matter to the proper authority that it may be thoroughly investigated and the result communicated to that Government.

"Will you be kind enough to report to this Department the facts in relation to these cases, together with such information and suggestions as may be pertinent to you, in order that the request of the Austrian Minister may be complied with and such action taken as may be proper in the premises. Very respectfully, "JOHN SHERMAN."

The communication has been referred to Sheriff Martin, of Luzerne County, and to Gen. Gobin, with the request that they enlighten Secretary Sherman as soon as possible.

RESCUER OF MISS CISNEROS.

Charles Duval Decker a Resident of Washington.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 15.—"Karl" Decker, as he is familiarly known, who played so important a part in the rescue of the fair Cuban, Senorita Cisneros, is a resident of Washington City. His family, consisting of Mrs. Decker, and a little girl, aged 5 years, are now residing in this city. Mr. Decker is expected to join them at a very early date.

"Karl" Decker is known best as a newspaper man, and has been engaged as a newsgatherer since he was 18 years of age. His first newspaper work was on the Washington Post, and after that he went into the bureau of the Baltimore American, where he remained for six years. During a portion of that period he was also Washington correspondent for the Florida Citizen, which recently merged with the Florida Times-Union. He has been employed on the New York Journal since August, 1896. During the last session of Congress he was one of the staff of correspondents for the Journal in the press gallery.

In personal features and manners Mr. Decker is pleasing and affable, and is one of the best-liked newspaper men at the national capital. On account of his gallant rescue of Miss Cisneros, he is likely to become one of the best-known newspaper men in the country, and will doubtless be much sought after next Winter. It is expected that he will continue to represent the Journal here during the next session.

Boasts of Murders.

Lyons, France, Oct. 15.—Vacher, the shepherd, who was arrested on a charge of murder by the police of Belley, Department of Ain, a few days ago, and admitted having killed and mutilated a number of persons, including three shepherd who was arrested on a charge two old women, is giving his captors a great deal of trouble.

He is morbidly vain, and fancies himself a hero. He declares his undying hatred of society, but insists upon writing a full account of his crimes and having it published in the newspapers. Otherwise, he says, he will not submit to an examination.

Seeking Federal Patronage.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 15.—Several Pennsylvania politicians are in Washington to-day, among them being Representatives McAleer, Dalzell and Harmer. They are here for the purpose of looking after the Federal patronage, and also in relation to the proposed dry dock at League Island.

One of the Pennsylvania delegation stated this morning that it is not likely that Mr. Samuel Randall, son of the late Speaker Randall, would secure any office during the present Administration. It is said that he has no backing sufficient to secure a place for him in Pennsylvania.

Four at One Birth.

Troy, Oct. 15.—Mrs. William J. Olmstead, wife of a motorman on the Troy City Railroad, recently gave birth to four children—two boys and two girls—at her home in Albia, a suburb. The mother and children are all doing well. The children weighed six and one-half pounds each. The mother weighs only 130 pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Olmstead have four other children, the eldest being a girl of 16 and the youngest a boy of 5.

Gladstone Won't Intervene.

London, Oct. 15.—Mr. Gladstone has declined to accede to a request that he intervene to bring about a settlement of the engineers' strike.

The Australian marine engineers have voted $2,500 in aid of the strikers.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

The Bank of England advanced its rate of discount from 2½ to 3 per cent.

Edwin Gould denies that an English Syndicate has purchased the Diamond Match Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Munger, of Eureka, Kan., have offered a permanent home to Miss Cisneros.

The London journals urge the Government to refuse the French and American bimetallic proposals.

ENGLISH PRESS SNEERS

Behring Sea and Silver Questions Inspire Ill-Tempered Remarks.

TAUNTS FOR MR. SHERMAN

Demand that the Cabinet Shall Put an Immediate End to Bimetallic Negotiations—Gladstone and the Venezuelan Question.

London, Oct. 15.—The afternoon newspapers yesterday take the same views of Secretary Sherman's latest dispatch to the Marquis of Salisbury on the sealing conference question as expressed by the morning papers. The St. James' Gazette says:

"It will be a relief if this transatlantic Polonius is restricted in the future to playing the fool in his own home, and the foreign affairs of his country are transferred into more capable hands. But we need not count upon this too confidently. We, ourselves, allowed an elderly statesman to play tricks in the national name with national interests for many a long year."

The St. James' Gazette taunts Mr. Herbert Gladstone with "copying Secretary Sherman's manner" in a speech Wednesday evening, in which Mr. Herbert Gladstone said that the Venezuelan question would not have been peacefully settled if there had been no United States concerned, adding that in the latter case, "Our ironclads would have been sent there and our troops would have made short work of the Venezuelan question. But the United States appeared on the scene, and the virtues of arbitration became obviously apparent."

CAMDEN'S MURDER MYSTERY.

Nephew of the Murdered Woman—No Real Evidence Against Him.

Camden, N. J., Oct. 15.—Charles Higgins, a nephew of one of the women murdered Tuesday morning at 242 Line street, was arrested yesterday in Philadelphia in connection with the murder.

Prosecutor Jenkins says they have no real evidence against Higgins, but believe that he can shed some light on the subject.

John Duney and Harry Deasey, the two Philadelphians who were arrested in Stockton on suspicion of being the murderers of Mrs. Emma Shaw, have been cleared of all suspicion by the authorities here.

They had a hearing and were closely questioned, after which it was decided that they had nothing to do with the double crime and they were released yesterday.

There is $1,000 reward for the arrest of the murderers, $500 being offered by the county and $500 by the city.

Important Naval Changes.

Washington, Oct. 15.—Two changes of importance to the navy were made by Secretary Long yesterday. He assigned Commodore John A. Howell, present commander of the League Island Navy Yard and president of the Armor Plate Board, to the command of the European naval station, and Commodore George Dewey, president of the Board of Inspection and Survey, to the command of the Asiatic naval station. These assignments are made necessary by the coming retirement for age of Rear Admiral Thomas O. Selfridge, Jr., the Commander-in-Chief of the European station, and the expiration of the tour of duty of Commodore F. V. McNair as Commander-in-Chief of the Asiatic station.

Ready to Try Thorn.

New York, Oct. 15.—The trial of Martin Thorn for the murder of Guldensuppe, which begins on Monday in Long Island City, will rival in interest any trial for murder ever occurring in this country.

The prosecution will call nearly one hundred witnesses, and Lawyer Howe, for the defense, will produce forty.

Among the witnesses for the defense will be experts to prove that the stains in the Woodside cottage are not bloodstains, and witnesses who will swear that the dismembered body in that of some one other than Guldensuppe.

Inspector Scharf's Resignation.

Washington, Oct. 15.—Secretary Gage has accepted the resignation of J. Thomas Scharf, special Chinese Inspector for the Southern District of New York, to take effect to-day. In his letter of resignation Mr. Scharf asserts that the Chinese Exclusion law is a failure, and intimates that its enforcement is made impossible by the use of money, which has corrupted officials both in Washington and on the border. No appointment has been determined upon to fill the vacancy. Mr. Scharf was a holdover from the Cleveland Administration.

Gen. Lee in Richmond.

Washington, Oct. 15.—Gen. Fitzhugh Lee has gone to Richmond, where he has an engagement to speak at a banquet to-night. During his stay in Washington this week he has had interviews with Secretary Sherman and Assistant Secretary Day about affairs in Cuba. He has not seen the President, but will do so on his return next week. The date of his departure for Havana will be fixed at the interview with Mr. McKilney.

Won't Vote for Men of Wealth.

Cleveland, Ohio, Oct. 15.—All Democratic candidates for the Legislature yesterday signed a pledge agreeing to vote for no candidate for the United States Senate who is either a millionaire or a monopolist. This move is intended as an attack on the Senatorial aspirations of John R. McLean and Tom L. Johnson.

Yellow Fever on the Decline.

New Orleans, Oct. 15.—One new case of yellow fever and one death from the disease were reported to the Board of Health yesterday.

The high-water mark in new cases has probably been reached. It is unlikely that there will be on any other day this Fall as many as forty-five cases.

An Engine's Great Speed.

Camden, N. J., Oct. 14.—The Holman friction engine made its run to Cape May yesterday. The fastest mile was made in thirty seconds, or at the rate of 120 miles an hour.

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PLAINFIELD, N. J., OCT. 15, 1897

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Fair Tonight and Saturday; Slightly Warmer.

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 80 Degrees.

COMING EVENTS.

October 15—Borough Democratic primary in schoolhouse. 8 p. m.

October 15—Convention echo meeting in the Park Avenue Baptist church.

October 17—The Wesley evangelists at Y. M. C. A. meeting at 4:15 p. m. All men welcome.

October 18—Union Bible class in Y. M. C. A. Hall, 7:45 p. m., taught by Rev. Geo. C. Needham.

October 18—Mechanical drawing and shorthand classes at Y. M. C. A. Evening.

October 19—First and second year's classes in mathematics at Y. M. C. A.

October 20—Bookkeeping and commercial course at Y. M. C. A.

October 25—William Blaikie at the Y. M. C. A. "How to Get Strong."

October 26—Entertainment Plainfield Mandolin and Guitar Club at Monroe Avenue church.

BICYCLE AND CHURCH.

At the State convention of the W. C. T. U. yesterday a paper was read deploring the increasing tendency of people to ride bicycles on Sunday instead of attending divine service. The thousands of riders who spin along city and country roads every Sunday are enough evidence that there is ground for such regret among the real church workers. The author of the paper insisted that the attendance at weekday meetings was also injured. Of this latter fact Plainfield Christians long ago became convinced, and they sought to meet the enemy, so to speak, on common ground. This was done by organizing Christian Endeavor and Epworth League bicycle corps, in which it was sought to combine the pleasures of riding and the benefits of Christian efforts in a perfectly harmonious manner. The result was voted a success. But to overcome the inclination to forsake the church for the bicycle on Sunday is a problem not so easy to meet. Moral suasion seems to be about the only way to overcome it. And that is slow, indeed.

The Hunterdon county Republican convention, held Wednesday at Flemington, was harmonious. Former Assemblyman Charles N. Reading, of Frenchtown, was named for Senator, and Edward S. Johnson and Joseph E. Hampton were named for Assemblymen.

James E. Martine authorizes the statement that under no circumstances will he become the nominee for Surrogate of the Union county Democrats. Mr. Martine had enough of campaigning a year ago to last him for sometime.

Seth Low is not laying low, by George. He is doing his best to kick over the Traceys.

The New York Sun candidly admits that it is now a simon pure Republican newspaper.

The Democratic primaries will be held this evening.

PLAINFIELD WOMAN PRESIDENT

Officers Elected at the Twentieth Annual Meeting of a Mission Society.

The twentieth annual meeting of the Women's Synodical Societies of Home and Foreign Missions of the Presbyterian church of New Jersey was held in the First Presbyterian church, New Brunswick, yesterday. Officers were elected as follows: President, Mrs. W. E. Honeyman, of Plainfield; vice presidents, Mrs. J. H Owens, of Paterson; Mrs. C. H. Langdon, of Elizabeth; Mrs. D. C. Blair, of Belvidere; Mrs James Roberts, of Lambertville; Mrs. H. V. Deshler, of Hightstown, and Mrs. M. J. Paulding, of Daretown; corresponding secretary, Miss M. J. Petrie, of Plainfield; recording secretary, Mrs. James R. Gibson, of Newark; secretary of literature, Mrs. William Nelson, of Paterson; secretary of young people's work, Mrs. B. Kelley, of Elizabeth; treasurer of contingent fund, Mrs. J. H. Manning, of Plainfield.

Echo Meeting.

The members of the local Christian Endeavor societies and their friends are cordially invited to attend the convention echo meeting to be held this evening by the Endeavorers of the Park Avenue Baptist church. Horace J. Martin will lead the singing and the convention song leaflets will be used. A special recognition service for the newly-elected officers will be held at the close.

—A new sign is being painted on the windows of Cole's livery stable.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Volney F. Green, of Mercer avenue, is able to be out after his recent illness.

Mrs. H. E. Rider, of Watchung avenue, is detained at home by illness.

Miss Daisy Belle Kline, of East Sixth street, left yesterday for Old Point Comfort, Va.

Miss Eva Wilkins, of East Fifth street, is slowly recovering from a severe illness.

E. R. Finch, of Park avenue, has returned to New York where he is attending Columbia College.

Miss Helen Clark, daughter of E. B Clark, of Crescent avenue, has gone to Hartford, Conn., to visit friends.

Miss Rodman, of New York, is visiting at the home of her uncle, Rev. E. M. Rodman, of East Seventh street.

Miss Grace Giles, of Lake street, is spending a few days with her cousin, Miss Ella Hoagland, of Bound Brook

Samuel St. J. McCutchen and family, of Rockview terrace, who have spent the summer at Belmar, have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Simmonds have returned from their western home, and are now residing on Watchung avenue.

P. E. Smith, of Camden, has returned home after a visit with his brother in-law, Patrolman Jas. Totten, of this city.

E. C. Howard, who has been spending the last two months in Brooklyn, returned to his home on LaGrande avenue today.

Miss Jessie Capron and Miss Laura Capron, of Ogdensberg, are guests of their cousin, Miss Ernestine Smith, of Madison avenue.

Mrs. Julius Froehling and family, of Liberty Corner, who have been visiting friends in North Plainfield, have returned home.

Mrs. John D. Runyon, who has been spending the summer at New Foundland, N. J., has returned to her home on Park avenue.

W. W. Couley, of East Third street, who was to go to Buffalo today as a delegate to I. O. R. T., was unable to go on account of illness.

SUNDAY-SCHOOL WORKERS TO MEET.

East New Jersey Baptist Association to Meet at New Market.

The forty-seventh annual meeting of the East New Jersey Baptist Sunday-school Association will be held in the Baptist church at New Market Tuesday, Oct. 19th, 1897. Sessions will be held at 10 a. m., 2 and 7:15 p. m. The music will be in charge of A. Baylis, precentor, and Benjamin T. Allen, cornetist. The officers for 1897 are: President, G. E. Hall, Fanwood; vice-president, Henry C. Jacobus, Newark; secretary and treasurer, S. D. Turton, Newark. The committee of arrangements consists of G. E. Hall, Fanwood; S. D. Turton, Newark; Rev. Frank Fletcher, New Market; Rev. John Miller, Roselle; E. M. Albray, Newark. Below is the programme for the convention:

MORNING SESSION.

10:00 a. m. Devotional exercises, Rev. J. C. Allen, leader.
10:20 Greeting, Rev. Frank Fletcher, pastor.
Response, President G. E. Hall.
Roll-call of schools.
10:45 Fifty minutes for general discussion current topics.
11:35 Appointment of committees.
11:50 Home department, Rev. L. D. Stultz, State secretary.
12:00 Treasurer's report.
Reading letters by secretary.
Distribution of cards for question box.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2:20 p. m. Address, C. B. Parsons, Red Bank. "How shall the finances of the Sunday-school be managed."
2:40 Introduction of new superintendents by the president.
2:45 Address, C. Edgar Sutphen, Newark. "How shall we hold our young men in the Sunday-school."

PRIMARY HOUR.

3:05 Under the direction of Miss Nettie J. Beeching, Plainfield.
"What I saw and heard at the Summer School," Mrs. Francis H. VanCise, Newark.
"Good news from the Plainfield Primary Union," Mrs. F. R. Baker, Westfield; Mrs. J. A. Powlison, Plainfield.
3:45 Unannounced speakers.
4:05 Report of committees.
Unfinished business.

EVENING SESSION

7:15 Devotional exercises, Rev J. S. Braker, Scotch Plains.
7:30 Questions answered, Rev. T. E. Vassar, Lyons Farms.
7:50 Address, Rev. W. C. P. Rhodes, Brooklyn.
8:30 Address, "The means of progress in Sunday-school work," Rev. E. Morris Fergusson, State secretary.
Closing thoughts.
Singing and benediction.

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For Infants and Children.

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ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Additional locals on page 3.

—Elwood Staats, the expressman, has a new express wagon.

—The county elections will be held on Tuesday, November 2d.

—Fine Long Island roasting duck at J. M. Smalley's, 405 Park avenue.

—Columbia Lodge, A. O. U. W., will hold a regular meeting this evening.

—The Mongolians will meet this evening after the regular meeting of the Workmen.

—All of the fair sex will be admitted free to tomorrow's football game on Martine common.

—A meeeting of the Plainfield High School Athletic Association will be held this afternoon.

—Albert Price Simonds, of Watchung avenue, has gone to New Haven on a business trip.

—The new Tilby toilet set, sold by Edward White, is the latest shape and is certainly a beautiful one.

—Flynn Brothers, 318 West Front street, can fill your shoe wants. No better shoes for sense and style.

—Perseverance Lodge, Knights of Pythias, will meet tonight and initiate one candidate in the second rank.

—A phonographic entertainment will be held in Mt. Zion church on the evening of Thursday, Oct. 28th.

—A cottage prayer meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Britton, East Third street, last Wednesday evening.

—A special lot of nickeled on copper tea kettles will be put on sale tomorrow by Edward White at remarkably low prices.

—The anniversary of the organization of Miantonomoh Tribe of Red Men will be held in Red Men's Hall this evening.

—You can make a dollar go farther and buy more beauties in Peck's lace department now than your mother got with five dollars.

—J. R. Blair, the Park avenue furnishing goods dealer, is brimful with the newest styles of men's derbies of the highest quality.

—On November 12th the members of Engine Company No. 2 will hold a ball, and arrangements are now being made for the event.

—William Daly was arraigned before City Judge DeMeza yesterday for being asleep on the street. Sentence was suspended.

—A special meeting of the Home Building and Loan Association will be held at 120 East Front street next Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

—At a meeting of the Patrolmen's Benefit Association Wednesday afternoon, Andrew Saffron was initiated into the mysteries of the association.

—Along West Front street, near the centre of the city, some excellent work has been done in the way of trimming trees. Other streets will be treated likewise.

—The class of '98 at the Plainfield High School will have a Hallowe'en party at the home of Miss Osgood, of Myrtle avenue, on the evening of October 30th.

—The young people of the Seventh-Day Baptist church are planning a chestnut roast at the home of Miss Ida Randolph, at Mt. Pleasant, Saturday evening.

—Grand Union Tea Company, 138 West Front street, gives with one box of baking powder on Friday and Saturday of this week a large size gray steel enamel dish pan.

—Why take your laundry to be done in New York, when the city steam and hand laundry, 19 Somerset street will call for and deliver it. They do the finest up-to-date laundry work of all kinds.

—The attention of the borough street commissioner is called to the condition of Stine's bridge over Stony brook. In the centre of the bridge is a large hole which makes it dangerous for horses in passing over.

—Wednesday evening a party of young people came to this city in a large box wagon from the country and stopped at Stephenson's restaurant for refreshments. They were out for a good time and they had it.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they do is tenfold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by druggists, price 75c per bottle.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

THEATRICAL.

One of the foremost of Europe's musical organizations is soon to be heard in America under the direction of Carl & Theodore Rosenfeld, opening tonight at the Metropolitan Opera House, New York, for a series of twelve concerts, including Sunday evenings and Saturday matinees, to October 24th, inclusive. The Randa Rosa (Red Band) of San Severo, Italy, is an organization under municipal control and has been in existence now for fourteen years. Within the past few years its fame has spread to the adjoining countries and several concert tours have been made. On the occasion of the visit of Emperor Welhelm to Rome a year or more ago this band was the one commanded by King Umberto to play at the festivities, and at the Cristoforo Colombo Festivals in Genoa in 1892 it carried away the first prize (medal, diploma and banner) from 64 competitors embracing the pick of the leading bands of Sothern Europe.

Pastime's Social Affair.

The dance given under the auspices of the Pastime Social Club, in T. A. B. Hall, corner of Fourth and Liberty streets, last night, was a most successful affair, there being about 400 people in attendance. O'Reilly's orchestra furnished excellent music and those present gave themselves up thoroughly to the pleasures of the dance. In the intermissions between the dances refreshments were served under the direction of Wm. Claassen. The floor managers were P. Revelle, Jas. Kane and Clinton Shannon. Michael O'Keefe and James Monohan acted as doorkeepers. The general committee in charge of the affair were D. Crowley, Edward Coffee, Clinton Shannon, John Grunell and John J. Kenney. The proceeds will be used for some worthy charity.

—Neuman Bros. now have a large stock of apples, including the Bellflower and the Northern Spy varieties. Also a lot of fine table celery.

Sensational Values.

A trade chance gives us an opportunity to offer these unusual bargains, which will be placed on sale to-morrow, Saturday. We guarantee every article to be perfect.

Gents' natural wool underwear, shirts and drawers, all sizes up to 48 and the ridiculous price of 39c., regularly 75c.

Ladies heavy ribbed underwear fleece lined, all sizes up to 9 at the ridiculous price of 25c., regularly 39c.

1000 yds. Outing flannel, dark colorings, at 3 1-2 c., regular price 8c yd.

20 pair 1 1-4 all wool bed blankets at $3.69 per pair, worth $5.00.

25 doz embroidered handkerchiefs at 9c each, regular price 15c.

25 doz. Gent's silk initial handkerchiefs at the ridiculous price of 12 1-2c each.

5 pieces all-linen table damask at 20c yd., regular price 30c yd.

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One of the leading wholesale manufacturers in New York has failed and their entire stock was sent to us to be sold at less than forty cents on the dollar they cost to manufacture. The house was noted in New York, and only the very best and choicest lines were handled by them. Recollect these will be sacrifice prices and will last but three weeks. A great opportunity for money-saving clothing buyers.

The very finest tailor-made clothing in the world will be sold at retail for less than half the prices that other stores ask for inferior goods. As this is such a rare occurrence, we respectfully invite all intending purchasers of clothing to give their personal attention and call early, as the choicest goods will most naturally go first. The sheriff must be paid in cash and this elegant stock of fine clothing will consequently be sacrificed at an enormous loss. We will sell you fine fall and winter suits, fall and winter overcoats, ulsters, heavy-weight trousers, coats and vests, handsomely and elegantly made, equal to the best merchant tailor's work, for less than the actual cost of the labor in making these fine garments. Here is your opportunity to purchase a suit or overcoat for what the lining would cost at any tailoring establishment in the city. A few prices will tell the whole facts. Means a saving of 60 per cent. on every dollar spent. We deal only in reliable clothing, and will not undertake to sell one dollar's worth of clothing unless we know that what we sell will give the buyers as good wear as if he paid us what the garment was worth. Men's winter all-wool suits, sizes from 33 to 44, that are sold all over Plainfield at $7.50 and $8.00, are sold here at $3.75; if not satisfied with this suit in any way, bring it back and get your money. Men's fine clay-diagonal heavy-weight suits, silk-lined, worth $22.00, at $7.50. Men's satin lined dress suits in cutaway, worth $22.75, at $8.50. We offer 600 dark colored good suits in mixed cheviots and cassimers at $3.50, $4 50, $5.00 and $5.25, worth easily from $8.00 to $12 00. All wool men's pants at 85c. Heavy cheviots and cassimere pants at 95c, $1 10, $1.25 and $1.50, worth double. Fine double breasted heavy black cheviot suit handsomely made, at $5.95, that other stores ask $15 00 for. Elegant Prince Albert dress suits, very fine imported cloth, wholesale price $18.00 to $25.00, sale price $9.50, Extra fine dress pants, over one hundred styles in stripes and silk mixtures, neat checks and cords, $1.25, $1.50, $1.65, $1 90 and $2.25, worth from $3.75 to $5.50.

Bring this with you and if not shown everything here as advertised we will pay your car fare. Boys' neat double-breasted suits, all wool warranted, with double knee and double seat, $1,00, 1 25, 1.50, 1.75 and 2.24, worth three times as much. Men's fine covert cloth fall overcoats, in light and dark shades, silk-lined, worth $16.00, at $5.00, latest styles. Men's heavy diagonal fall overcoat, fine finish, worth 12.00 to 15.00, at $5.50. Men's fine black melton overcoat, blue or black, elegantly made, at $6 50, worth 12.00. Men's imported kersey overcoats silk lined. French facing, worth 22.00, at $8.25. Men's dress overcoats at $3 25, worth 10 00. Buy your overcoat now and you will save sixty cents on every dollar. Men's ulsters, dark blue, all wool, waterproof cloth, worth 18.00, at $6.50. Very fine ulsters at $5.50 and $6.50, worth double. A good ulster for drivers at $2 50 and $3.00, worth from 6.00 to 8.00. Extra fine dress suit for young men and boys, long pants actually valued at 12 00 to 15 00, sale price at $4.50. Young men's single or double-breasted blue or black cheviot suit at $3.50, regular price 10.00. A good youth's suit at $2.50, worth 7 50. Bring anything back within fifteen days, that is not entirely satisfactory. Men's exta fine brown plaid suits at $3.50, $4.50 and $5.00, worth from $9.00 to 15 00. Men's winter bicycle suits at $2 00, $2 50 and $3, worth from 5.00 to 12.00. Remember, no other store in Plainfield can sell you such fine clothing for any less than three times these prices. We have over three thousand suits to choose from. All wool clay diagonal sack suit at $5.90, worth from 12 00 to 15.00. Over one thousand woolen knee pants from 15c to 60c. Everybody living within tweny-five miles of Plainfield should visit this great sheriff sale.

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M. WEINBERGER, Manager. Car fare paid to all out of town buyers. Don't miss this sale, it will pay you to come at once. Sale takes place rain or shine. Don't forget the place; it is 214 West Front Street, next door to Music Hall. Look for New York Clothing Co.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Miss Maltbie spent yesterday with Plainfield friends.

Mrs. David Boice, of Plainfield, is visiting relatives in town.

Horace Sherwin, of Plainfield, was in the borough yesterday on business.

Miss Moore, of East Second street, Plainfield, called on borough friends yesterday.

Miss Kittie Ransom, of East Fifth street, Plainfield, is visiting relatives at New Market.

Mr. and Mrs. John Huff, of North avenue, are entertaining company from New York.

The Foresters held their regular meeting last evening and transacted routine business.

Miss Fenner, of Pluckamin, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Harry Swackhamer, yesterday.

Mrs. W. H. Hamilton and Mrs. Edward Teel spent yesterday with friends in New York.

Master Percy Abbott is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Abbott, of Somerville.

Jacob Johnson has removed his dancing pavilion at his place at the end of the trolley line.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Sinclair, of Westchester, N. Y., have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Walter Vliet.

J. K. Arnold, Jr., and William Buell, of North Plainfield, called on borough friends yesterday.

Ira Randolph, of Chicago, who is visiting Plainfield friends, was a visitor in the borough yesterday.

A. D. Pope, of Plainfield, is papering the postoffice, and otherwise improving the appearance of the room.

In addition to painting the exterior of the Presbyterian church, the interior will be thoroughly renovated and cleaned.

Mrs. Giles, of New Market, gave a party last evening, at her home, in honor of her sister, Miss Giles, of Park avenue, Plainfield, who was her guest. Those present included the intimate friends of Miss Giles from Dunellen, Plainfield and New Market. The evening was passed in a social manner chiefly, and at a late hour refreshments were served.

SCOTCH PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

William Lee has placed a new pool table in his hotel.

Goodwill Lodge, K. of P., held a meeting last night.

Twilight Council, No. 7, Jr. O. U. A. M., meets tonight.

Miss Sadie Walpole has been enjoying a week's vacation.

The Republican primary will be held in Excelsior Hall on Monday evening.

Dayton Baldwin, of New Providence, was the guest yesterday of Frank H. Wilcox.

The Democratic voters of Scotch Plains will hold a primary in Excelsior Hall tonight.

The Scotch Plains football team will play the Westfield Juniors at Scotch Plains tomorrow.

A summons was issued yesterday by Justice Clark in the case of Walpole against Kendal, in tort, returnable next Tuesday.

Considerable complaint is being made of a disorderly house situated on the Springfield road, and the neighbors declare that if the nuisance is not abated, they will apply to the courts for relief.

Scotch Plains will soon lose its fire engine, as the hand engine used by Excelsior Engine Company, is the property of Gazelle Engine Company, of Plainfield. It has lately been presented to the Plainfield Exempt Firemen's Association, and a demand has been made upon Scotch Plains for it. The engine will shortly be taken away, and its loss will be much felt.

—The trial of Miss Dora Parsons, colored, on the charge of assaulting her sister-in-law, will come before the City Judge tomorrow morning.

—Surveyor Frank Hubbard and his assistants made surveys of the Stillman property on West Front street, opposite Madison avenue, yesterday.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

WESTFIELD

VARIOUS BITS OF NEWS.

WESTFIELD HAPPENINGS SERVED UP TERSELY FOR THE PRESS.

Many People Go and Come in the Pretty Suburban Town—Items Interesting Because of Their Brevity

William Townley is confined to his home by illness.

Charles F. Oxley is reported to be seriously ill with nervous prostration.

Central Council, No. 131, Jr. O. U. A. M., will hold a meeting this evening.

Robert M. French, of New York city, spent yesterday with friends in this place.

William B. Bussing, of Park street, is recovering from a recent severe illness.

Nelson Y. Coriell, of Orchard place, has returned from an outing in Bloomsbury.

The Democratic voters of Westfield will hold their primary in the town rooms tonight.

Mrs. J. B. Harrison and Mrs. V. O. Burtis have returned from their trip to Gettysburg, Pa.

The Advance Club will hold its first meeting of the season tonight at the residence of Ira T. Bull.

The First election district shows this year a registration of 396 names, and the Second district 494 names.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Congregational church held an all day meeting in the church parlors yesterday.

The Shaksperean Society of the I. O. S., held a meeting last evening at the residence of Fred. S. Taggart, on Clark street.

The Westfield Defender football team will play the Dunellen Juniors on the North Broad street grounds tomorrow morning.

A football team captained by Frank Howe, will play a team from Cranford on the Rahway avenue grounds tomorrow morning.

The Westfield Club's football team will play the Rahway Y. M. C A. team tomorrow afternoon on the North Broad street grounds.

The Ladies' Thursday Afternoon Bowling Club has reorganized for the season, and will meet weekly on the Westfield Club's alleys.

The Republican voters of Westfield will hold their primary in Etta Hall, corner of Broad and Prospect streets, next Monday evening.

Harold Francis, business manager of the Perth Amboy Republican, spent yesterday as the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Francis.

A team captained by Frank Howe defeated William Foster's team on the North Broad street grounds, yesterday afternoon by the score of 6 to 0.

An unknown man narrowly escaped death at the Westfield railway station yesterday afternoon. The man stood on the track as a Royal Blue flyer approached, and was warned just in time to leap from in front of the engine.

Jose Sterpone, the Italian who was arrested by Game Warden Brown for shooting a robin, on Monday, and was committed to the county jail by Justice Collins upon failing to pay his fine, was released yesterday by an order from the chief game warden, to whom Sterpone's case was referred by the Justice, Sterpone erred through ignorance of the law.

Robert Ellis, the five-year-old son of Frank Ellis, of Park street, while playing on Broad street yesterday afternoon, was struck by a passing wagon, driven by Frank R Baker, Sr., and thrown between the wheels. The lad fortunately rolled in the right direction and escaped being injured by having the heavy wagon pass over his body. His only injuries were a few cuts and bruises.

A horse owned by J. F. Mattlage took fright on Broad street yesterday and ran away. The driver in attempting to stop the animal's flight was caught in the shaft and dragged some distance. He fortunately escaped serious injury. The frightened animal turned into the yard of the Westfield Hotel and ran into the sheds, damaging them considerably. It then ran out into Broad street and back to its stable without doing any more damage.

James McCarthy, a Westfield hackman, was arraigned before Justice Collins yesterday charged with assaulting James Wright, another hackman, at the Westfield station on Wednesday afternoon. The testimony of the witnesses called was to the effect that Wright had accused McCarthy of cutting rates, and the latter in a rage had struck Wright in the face twice. The Justice after hearing the evidence held McCarthy under $100 bonds to appear before the Grand Jury.

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MacLaughlin, when the latter began questioning him as to price.

W. E. Brock stated that he considered the commissioner's men of good judgment and they probably knew more about the work of assessing than the men who are objecting. This was an incentive for William Pangborn to say something, and he rehearsed a little history telling how Mr. Brock was one of those who secured an injunction on the work some time ago for the reason that his assessment was too high. Mr. Pangborn held that the opening is a wonderful improvement, and said that he is willing to pay fifty per cent., but he did not think that he should be called to pay twice as much as he rightfully should. A few questions brought out the fact that on the first assessment Mr. Brock was assessed $700 and on the present one $150. At this point Charles Lyman said that he could not see how Mr. Brock got off with $150 when his property was smaller and yet was assessed $350. Mr. Reed, by way of a joke, told Mr. Lyman that he had better keep quiet or his assessment would be made larger.

N. B. Smalley made a few remarks by the way of objection to the methods used in assessing, and he said the report should not be confirmed. Mr. Daly's objections were the same as previously stated, and he claimed they were too high, His property had been left in such a state that it would never benefit him the way the avenue was opened. John Becker and his brother, who own two properties, claimed their assessment was too high.

Thomas Rutledge made quite a kick against his assessment. Questioning on the part of the Mayor brought out the fact that he had been paying taxes on $1,000, while he had been receiving revenue from $7,000. The Mayor held that something was radically wrong and it should be attended to.

Regarding the objections made by D. R. Weaver, Mayor Wilson said that Mr. Weaver's claims were just and that his assessment should be reduced. He did not think that Mr. Weaver's neighbors had acted fair in placing their outhouses so close to his house. Mrs. McGlone was the last one to speak and her remarks were few and substantially the same as made previously. Mayor Wilson asked her to ascertain what she would consider a fair price for her property and report to him.

At this time Mr. Burtis offered a resolution to the effect that the assessor deliver to the clerk the tax duplicate and that the latter take copy and deliver the original to the collector. A motion was then made by Mr. MacLaughlin that the Council go into executive session, which was adopted.

During the executive session the report of the commissioners was confirmed by the Council. Only a few changes were made in the report and after a corrected copy of the report is made it will be placed in the hands of the borough clerk, where it can be seen by those interested.

Borough Realty Changes.

The following real estate transfers have been recorded in the Somerset County Clerk's office during the past week:

George W. Taylor et ux., to L. M. Codington, North Plainfield, $1; L. M. Codington et ux., to George W. Taylor, North Plainfield, $1; John H. Kitchen et ux., to L. M. Codington, North Plainfield, $1; L. M. Codington et ux., to John H. Kitchen, North Plainfield, $1; Corra Ryno et ux., to L. M. Codington, North Plainfield, $1; W. H. H. Wyckoff, sheriff, to Jacob W. and Matthias T. Welsh, North Plainfield, $500; Catherine E. Hegeman and husband to Amelia L. French, North Plainfield, $1,150; Newton B. Smalley, et ux., to Alfred I. Smalley, North Plainfield, $2,000.

Alfred Streuli moved from Arlington avenue and Ninth street to the Streuli homestead on Hillside avenue.

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THE SUNDAY LESSON.

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Golden Text: Fear thou not, for I am with thee.—Isaiah xli: 10. Oct. 17, 1897.

10. After five days Paul is now before Felix, the governor, and is permitted to speak for himself in the presence of his accusers, the high priest and others who have come from Jerusalem to condemn him (verse 1). They accused him of many things, but all their accusations were false (verses 5-9), and thus he had increased fellowship with his Lord, in that they spoke mischievous things of him, imagined deceits and laid to his charge things he knew not of (Ps. xxxviii, 12; lxix, 4). All manner of fellowship with God and with Christ should be prized by us as a gift as much as to believe on Him (Phil. i, 29).

11-13. Paul with few words sweeps away all their accusations as utterly untrue and without foundation. He knew that God was with him, and he had no fear. He could calmly face all his accusers, and the devil himself, their captain. He knew in his soul that there were more with him than with them (II Kings vi, 16) and could say: "Though my soul is among lions, men whose teeth are spears and arrows, and their tongue a sharp sword, be Thou exalted, O God. My heart is fixed. I will sing and give praise" (Ps. lvii, 4-7).

14. Here he begins to state the real cause of their anger against him. He believed all things written in the law and in the prophets, and that made him a very troublesome fellow to these religious people who did not believe God. A minister in Chicago said the other day that these people calling themselves Bible students were very troublesome, and certainly they must be to such ministers as prefer their own ease, with lots of cricket and lawn tennis and hunting and fishing, rather than Bible study and real work for God.

15. "There shall be a resurrection of the dead both of the just and of the unjust." This was an is even to this day a troublesome doctrine to many, though plainly taught even in the cherubim story of Gen. iii, and very clearly set forth in Dan. xii, 1-3. Not that just and unjust shall rise at the same time, for Rev. xx, 5, 6, says that a thousand years shall intervene and to this there is no contradiction in all Scripture, for the hour of John v, 28, will cover the thousand years as easily as the hour of John v, 25, has already covered over 1,800 years. Our Lord Jesus made a very evident distinction between the two resurrections when He told a certain one of rewards at the resurrection of the just (Luke xiv, 14).

16. The blessed hope of the return of Christ, the resurrection of the righteous and their rewards for service at His coming for His saints is that which purifies us from the denlements and the entanglements of this present evil world and makes us labor to be ever acceptable to Him, every believer is accepted in Him, (Eph i, 6) and that stands unchanged, but because of this we seek to be acceptable to Him in all things, and trust Him to work in us those things which are well pleasing in His sight. (Heb. xiii, 21).

17-19. Here is a true and brief statement of the case as to why he was in Jerusalem and why in the temple when they found him there, and who his accusers ought to have been, if any. The secret of the whole trouble was that which Paul well understood, for he himself was once heartily one with the high priests and elders in their hatred of Jesus and the story of His resurrection from the dead. If Jesus of Nazareth was really Israel's Messiah, then the nation was guilty of crucifying their King, and that they would not submit to. Paul had actually seen Him, and knew that it was even so, and that the crucified Christ was really risen from the dead and was at the right hand of God, Israel's true and only Messiah, Son of David, Son of Abraham.

20, 21. "Touching the resurrection of the dead I am called in question by you this day." It was that which set the council in an uproar (xxiii, 6, 7), and they knew it. It was the resurrection from the dead which with power declared Him to be the Son of God (Rom. 1, 4), and the full import of the great fact is finely set forth in I Cor. xv. There is no gospel, no salvation, no forgiveness of sins, no use in preaching, no ground for faith, no sense in baptism or any ordinance of the Church if Christ be not risen. His life and death were all in vain if He be not risen. But He is risen, and that secures everything for all who are His or are willing to become His by faith in Him.

22. Felix evidently saw more clearly into the whole business than the high priest and elders wished that he might, and the man who could now give the most important testimony, next in order, was the chief captain, who had twice rescued him from the infuriated Jews. There was, therefore, nothing further to be done till Lysias should come. The waiting times for the people of God when the work seems hindered by the indifference or open opposition of the enemies of God is one of the mysteries. It would seem from verse 27 that Paul was a prisoner at Caesarea for two years. Might all this have been escaped if he had not insisted upon going to Jerusalem just at that time? Anyway, to rest in the Lord and wait patiently for Him is surely good.

23. Paul is a kind of free prisoner. He is under guard, but at liberty to see all who come to him. So it was also on the way to Rome and at Rome (xxvii, 3; xxviii, 16), and Paul doubtless made the best possible use of his liberty for the glory of God and to magnify the Lord Jesus, for that was the whole aim of his life and the end of all his teachings (Gal. ii, 20; Phil. i, 20, 21). Let each one ask, Can I say truly "For me to live is Christ?" "I live, yet not I, but Christ liveth in me?" "Christ shall be magnified."

24. How glad Paul would be of this opportunity to set forth the faith in Christ, and especially to a Jewess, for one of his mottoes was, "To the Jew first" (Rom. i, 16). He did not need time to think out or prepare his discourse, for he was full of it, or rather of Christ, and always ready for such an opportunity.

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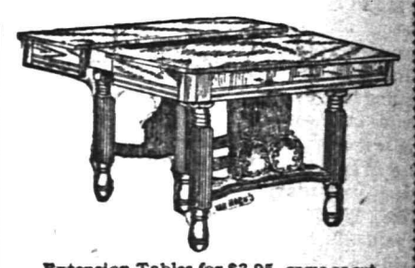

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PLAINFIELD AND NEW YORK.

Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 8 00, 7 58, 8 00, 8 30, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 9 15, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday, 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 10, 11 16 a. m.; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 22 p. m.

Leave New York, foot Liberty street, at 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00 a. m; 12 00 m., (12 45 and 1 00 Saturdays only) 1 10, 1 30, 2 30 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, (5 15 except Saturdays) 5 30, 5 45, (6 00 except Saturdays) 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45 p. m.; 12 15, 1 00 night. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00, 9 00, 9 15 a. m.; 12 m.; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00 p. m.; 12 15 night; 1 00 a. m.

Leave New York from Whitehall street at 7 00, 7 55, 8 25, 8 55, 9 55, 11 55 a. m., (12 45 Saturdays only) 1 00, 1 25, 2 25, 3 25, 3 55, 4 25, 4 55, 5 25 (5 55 except Saturdays) 6 25, 6 55, 7 50, 8 25, 9 10, 9 55, 11 30 p. m., 12 10 night. Sundays—At 7 00, 8 55 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 2 30, 3 55, 5 25, 6 55, 7 25, 8 25, 9 50 p. m., 12 10 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 50, 8 00, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 01, 52, 10 08, 11 16 a. m.; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 18, 7 55, 8 38, 9 03, 10 05 a. m.; 12 10, 1 15, 1 35, 2 35, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 25, 5 42, 6 19, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 05 p. m. Sunday, 7 15, 9 05, 9 30, 10 35 a. m.; 1 10, 1 25, 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 20, 10 20 p. m.

Passengers for Newark please change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a.m 1 01, (1 40, Saturdays only) 2 11, 2 32, 3 35, 4 26 5 05, 5 15, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 16, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 06, 9 56, a. m; 2 03, 3 39, 6 35, 8 30, 10 15, 11 14 p. m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00 6 20, 7, 7 30, 7 35 45, 8 19, 9 02, 9 48, 11 45, a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05 2 25, 4 25, 5 28, 6 08, 6 40, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05 p. m Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a. m; 12 08, 1 20, 5 15. 6 35, 7 53, 8 05, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a. m., 1 01. 2 11, 4 55, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 9 06 a. m; 2 03 6 25 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 44, a. m; 12 32, 4 06, 7 00, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 52 a. m; 6 30 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 9 54 a. m; 5 03, 5 15 p. m

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, & c. with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

1 01 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for station on D., L. & W. R. R.

2 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

4 55 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Scranton, Wilkesbarre, Tamaqua, Shamokin, (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

5 03 and 5 15 p. m., way or Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 29 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 06 a. m. Sundays for Easton.

1 06 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 09 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, etc., and at Junction for D., L. & W. R. R.

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For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 37, 8 13, 9 28, 10 27 a. m.; 1 15, 3 51, 5 52, 5 54, 7 03 p. m. Sundays, 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10 27 a. m.; 1 15. 3 51, 5 52 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 17, 8 44, 9 46, 10 44 a. m.; 2 17, 5 34*, 6 45, 8 21, 9 37*, 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 5 45 9 55, 10 44 a. m.; 2 25, 4 55, 5 09*, 6 45 p m.; 1 17 night.

For Trenton, 5 17, 8 44, 9 46 a. m.; 1 01, 2 17, 4 25, 5 34*, 6 35* 8 21, 9 37* p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a. m.; 2 25, 4 55, 5 09, 6 35* p. m.; 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 8 44, 10 44 a. m.; 2 17, 5 34*, 6 45 p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 10 44 a. m.; 5 09*, 6 45 p. m.; 1 17 night.

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2 54 and 4 58 p. m. daily except Sunday, express for Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Pottsville, Hazelton, Shamokin, and principal intermediate stations.

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7 10 p. m., daily except Sunday, for Slatington and principal intermediate stations.

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For Perth Amboy and intermediate stations 6 48, 7 50, 10 05 a. m. 12 13, 2 33, 5 20, 7 10 p. m. Sunday 8 00, 9 00, local a. m. 2 20 and 7 10 p. m.

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First Ward, Hoagland's express office	4
Second Ward, Bryant school -	2
Third Ward, Revere House -	2
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Washington, Oct. 15.—Commissioner of Pensions H. Clay Evans has completed the report of the doings of his bureau for the past fiscal year, and the results, which will be made public in full in a few days, will prove to be anything but gratifying to the taxpayers, who have been vainly hoping for years that the great burden of pension payments had reached its highest point and would soon begin to decrease rapidly.

Mr. Evans finds that this is not so, although he holds out the hope that the burden will begin to grow smaller within a year or two; but even this, it appears, may not be true, unless there is some legislation provided to keep from swelling the pension lists with long-lived young widows as fast as the old soldiers drop off, under the pension law of 1890.

"I'm going to try to get Congress to put a stop to the present opportunities which the law offers to women to secure pensions for life from the United States by marrying an old soldier," said Commissioner Evans to-day, "by recommending some important pension legislation. The practice of women of securing pensions in this manner is notoriously common. At the soldiers' homes young women will snap up the chance to marry decrepit old men, evidently hoping that they will soon die and leave the pension, and in many of these cases the women do not even live with the men they marry.

"I hope to recommend to Congress that a law be passed providing that women marrying soldiers hereafter shall not be entitled to any pension upon the death of their husbands. The law of 1890 makes this stipulation regarding the pensions which are payable under that act, but the great majority of the pensioners now on the rolls draw their money by virtue of previous acts."

Mr. Evans said that he expected the proposed law would meet with much opposition from the Grand Army men, but it was a necessity in the interest of justice.

RECEPTION TO CUBAN MAID.

To Be Given in Her Honor To-morrow Evening.

New York, Oct. 15.—A reception in honor of Miss Cisneros, the little Cuban patriot, is to be held at Delmonico's to-morrow evening, and afterward there will be a great public demonstration in Madison Square. As the ward of the nation, Miss Cisneros will receive the leading men of the country. There will be present Governors, United States Senators and Representatives, Supreme Court Justices, men prominent in pulpit and other professions—Chauncey M. Depew, Robert G. Ingersoll, Bourke Cochran, Thomas C. Platt, Murat Halstead, former Ambassador Eustis, Judge Van Wyck, Senator Thurston, Rabbi Gottheil, Henry George, Mrs. Elizabeth Cady Stanton, Mrs. Gertrude Van Courtland Hamilton, Regent of the Daughters of the Revolution, and scores of other equally distinguished men and women.

Speeches of welcome will be made in Madison Square, and the two bands of the Seventh Regiment and the Sixty-ninth Regiment will play throughout the great demonstration.

Her Rescuer Arrives.

New York, Oct. 15.—Carl Decker, otherwise known as Charles Duval, the Journal correspondent who rescued Angelina Cisneros from prison in Havana, arrived here yesterday afternoon on the Spanish line steamer Panama. The officials of the Panama did not know that Decker was on board. He had sailed under the name of Baker.

IMPORTANT EXCISE DECISION.

It Upholds Saloons Established Within 200 Feet of Church.

Albany, Oct. 15.—The State Excise Department has received word that Justice Nash, of the Fourth Department, has decided that a saloon established within two hundred feet of a church or school prior to the enactment of the Raines law has a perpetual right to exist in that locality, even if there is a change of ownership or temporary suspension.

Commissioner Lyman says that his department has made no ruling on the question, inasmuch as two Supreme Court Justices had made decisions diametrically opposite, and, therefore, it could not be settled until it had been passed upon by the Court of Appeals, to which it will be carried as soon as possible.

Madison Square Athletic Club.

Albany, N. Y., Oct. 15.—The Madison Square Athletic Club of New York City was incorporated yesterday with the Secretary of State, to promote bicycle races and other sport, and for the development of physical skill and endurance. The directors are Max Adler, Harry L. Dyer, Benjamin W. Singer, Cahas W. Boyd and Thomas F. Harmon of New York city.

Big Cut in Railroad Rates.

Chicago, Oct. 15.—The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad has made a sensational cut in second-class passenger rates from St. Paul to New York via Chicago, in connection with eastbound steamship business.

The tariff for this class of business is $27.50 and the St. Paul reduced this rate by $10.50, making the rate an even $17.

$500,000 Fire in Durham, N. C.

Durham, N. C., Oct. 15.—A destructive fire occurred here yesterday in which $500,000 worth of property was destroyed. At 11.25 o'clock fire was discovered in H. J. Bass & Co.'s factory on Morgan street, and for two be enveloped in flames. The burned district covers eight acres.

Will Pardon Cuban Exiles.

Madrid, Oct. 15.—The Cabinet has decided to suspend the severe decrees recently issued against political associations in the Philippine Islands.

It has also decided to pardon all Cuban exiles who were not included in previous amnesties.

Pope Leo Greets Pilgrims.

Rome, Oct. 15.—The Pope celebrated mass yesterday morning, upon the occasion of the visit of a party of Irish pilgrims. Afterward he conversed with several of the visitors.

The Pope was in excellent health and fine spirits.

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Everything for Horses, Cattle and Poultry, and some pretty good things besides.

JUSTICE NASH'S COURT.

A Number of Contract Cases Brought Through Murphy & Blatz.

Murphy & Blatz represented the plaintiffs in a number of cases that came before Justice Nash yesterday afternoon. Judgment was rendered for the full amount and costs in the following contract cases: Seely Edsall against Lambert Edmunds Seely Edsall against Charles Durneen, Schwed Brothers against Robert W. Garvey. The case of A. M. Griffen against I. V. Freeman was settled out of court. The case of Welch against Wilmout was adjourned until October 29th, and the cases of Schwed Brothers against J. J Ackerman and Seely Edsall against George Dennick were adjourned for a week.

The case of Edward Love against E. E. Barrett was also tried and the Judge declared there was no cause of action. The case will be appealed. The contested point is not that there is money due, but as to how it shall be paid. The plaintiff wants cash and the defendant says it was agreed to trade the amount out.

A Case on Contract.

The case of Newman against Peck, on contract, was called in Justice Newcorn's court this morning, and on motion of W. S. Angleman, attorney for the defense, a nonsuit was granted, on the ground that the summons was not properly served. Another action will be commenced by plaintiff through his attorney, W. Gordon Williams.

F. W. Hebard's Appointment.

F. W. Hebard, formerly a resident of this city, has received an appointment as an assistant librarian in the Library of Congress, in Washington.

—Violets are to be seen blooming in the yard of Frank Putnam on Elm place.

—Unity Lodge, No. 702, K. of P., met Wednesday evening and worked the second degree upon one candidate.

The football game between the Alis team, of this city, and the Cranfords, which was scheduled to take place tomorrow, will not be played, the manager of the Cranford team having sent word that his players are unable to fulfill their agreement.

Martin Kane, P. J. Revelle and D. J. Shea spent yesterday with friends in New York city.

THE TANGLE TOO TWISTED.

Participants in a Cobweb Social Got Tired and the Prize Divided.

The cobweb social held at Warren chapel last evening under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society of the chapel was a great success. About five hundered yards of thread was wound about through five rooms and those who entered the contest became somewhat weary before they completed their task. The prize, a box of candy, for the lucky contestant was not awarded and was distributed as far as possible among those present. A programme was rendered, consisting of piano solos by Andrew Carpenter, and Mrs. Rosenstheil, a piano duet by Miss Cortwright and Miss Minnie Zeisz, and a recitation by Helen Woolley was much enjoyed. At the close refreshments were served in abundance to all.

Former Plainfield Pastor Hurt

Rev. Dr. A. H. Tuttle, pastor of St. Luke's M. E. church, of Newark, who was the pastor of the First M. E church of this city ten years ago, met with a serious bicycle fall in Newark, Monday afternoon. While riding along at a high rate of speed he struck his arm against a tree box, and was thrown from his wheel. Physicians were summoned and found the doctor suffering from a severe scalp wound and bruises on the head and cuts on the left leg.

Visitors Came on Their Wheels.

Rebekah Degree Lodge received a visit from fifty members of Hope Lodge, of Newark, last evening, in their rooms in the Babcock Building. The visitors came on their wheels and they had an enjoyable ride. After a varied programme of amusement the visitors were given something to eat, and at a late hour they departed for home. Those from Rebekah Lodge who entertained the visitors included Mrs. Jacob Kriney, Mrs. Anna Ketterling, Mrs. VanFleet, Mrs. Hicks and Mrs. Barber.

Just a Mistake.

Jacob Jones is no longer guessing. He has found his wheel. Theodore Vroom left his by mistake and then could not remember where he had left it. When he noticed the article in The Press, he discovered the owner and took the wheel back to the City Hotel this morning.

PASSING COMMENT.

The following letter is fished out of a pigeon-hole in The Press sanctum and comes very opportunely just now as an evidence of what Mr. Spencer's friends think of him:

Those who come in contact with Mr. Spencer appreciate his warm, genial nature, his loyalty and unfailing friendship, his desire to play on the best parts of human nature, and the inspiration of his happy, cheery personality. The Republican party of North Plainfield is fortunate that a character so attractive is one of their leading members. There is nothing surly about him; success doesn't turn his head; never envious of the successful; never jealous in thinking that there is some other man greater than himself. He knows human nature, weighs its weakness and doesn't set himself above his fellow-men, whether earning honestly five or fifty dollars a week. All classes of society are his friends. They like him. His brow is not withered and wrinkled with the frowns of disappointment. His life has not been embittered with the promptings and the plannings of hate and revenge. People like him because he is true, loyal and buoyant.

THREE SURPRISES.

Pleasant Social Visitations in Three Homes Last Evening.

A surprise party was tendered to Miss May Mulford at her home on East Fifth street, last evening. Among those present were the Misses May and Lillie Mulford, Clara Crane, Della Grant, Gussie Long, the Misses Grace and Bess TenEyck, Violet VanWinkle, Lucy Coriell, Marian Shotwell, Violet Beerbower, Grace Ulrich, Florence Morrison, May Serrell, the Misses Edna and Iva Dayton, Carrie Mulford, Mina Sampson and Messrs. Andrew and Lewis Mulford, Harry Thompson, Kendal Masson, Irwin Yerkes, Charlie Kerns, Harry Messersmith, Walter Hockridge, Walter Sampson and many others.

A birthday party was tendered to Miss Mamie DeVine, of West Front street, last evening by twenty-five of her young friends. The affair was arranged by William Ross and the party met at the home of Mr. Nelson, on New street. Miss DeVine was completely surprised, but she was equal to the occasion and joined heartily in the festivities of the evening. Music for dancing was furnished by Naylor. Interspersing the dancing refreshments were served by those in charge.

Florence Williams, of 417 Madison avenue, was surprised last night by her friends. Among those present were Maud Anthony, Kizzie Neagle, Bertha Miles, Bessie Martin, Nettie Young, Mabel Vail, James Pope, Edward Bellis, Ben Schenck, Willard Martin, Edward Ross and Robert Jeffery.

COMES NORTH FOR A WIFE.

Charles D. Stillman and Miss Grace Barlow to be Married Next Wednesday.

Chas. D. Stillman left the Pass yesterday for a brief but most important trip to his old home at Plainfield, N. J. Mr. Stillman joined the engineering corps of the Sabine Land and Improvement Company last April and has not missed a day's service since, having been principally engaged in laying out townsite, establishing street grades, etc. For the past two months he has been superintendent of construction upon the slips being built by the land company. He has demonstrated a capacity in his profession to be envied, a faithfulness in the discharge of duty unquestioned and a loyalty to honor and manliness that has secured him a host of friends. He has also won the heart and promised hand of one of Plainfield's most popular and fairest daughters. He goes to reap of the fruit he has sown—honesty, faithfulness, devotion. Mr. Stillman and Miss Grace Barlow are to be married at Plainfield, N. J., on the 20th, inst. A host of friends in Texas join the northern relatives and friends of these much esteemed young people in wishing them and theirs a long, useful and happy life.—Sabine Pass (Texas) News.

A Leather Medal

indicating supreme excellence in footwear, has been awarded us by th grand jury of shoe buyers. The mercury is not more sensitive to changes of temperature than the feet are to their surroundings. It hurts them to have more room than they require or to be pinched into a smaller space than they should occupy. Exact fits in soft, easy, yielding shoes are absolutely essential to comfort. Our footwear combines all the fine points at prices as pleasant as sun-shine after a storm. Our men's Bull-Dog toe and Opera toe Russia calf shoe meet all these requirments. Selling this week for $1 98 pair. Give us a call.

Wm. Schloss,

The Palace Shoe Store.
245 West Front St.

Polish Given Away With Tan Shoes.

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Still Alarm of Fire.

A still alarm of fire was sent into headquarters yesterday afternoon from G. J. Tobin's plumbing shop on North avenue. The cause was the blowing out of a plug in a gas pipe and the igniting of the gas. For a few minutes the flames burned fiercely and the floor and beams were quite badly damaged by fire. The pipes are in the cellar and a little difficult to reach. Chief T. O. Doane and Assistant James Martin, together with some of the firemen, succeeded in extinguishing the fire with the aid of hand extinguishers.

Silk Sale.

Edward White will commence tomorrow the most important sale of black silks ever held in Plainfield The silks were sold in the auction room by order of the importers, Schwarzenbach, Huber & Co Mr. White was a most liberal buyer as the silks were sold way below their real value. They consist of Satin Rhadames, Faille Francaise, Bengaline and black satin Luxors. All are well worthy of your attention as they will be sold at remarkably low prices.

Stole The Ice Cream.

A contemptible act was perpetrated by three young men in the German Reformed church last night. About 10 o'clock they entered the basement of the church where the ice cream was kept, and carried off freezer, can and all. The can contained about three quarts of cream. They were seen, and in all probability their names will be made public as the best way to punish them.

True Band Music.

The concert given in Music Hall last night by the Chicago Marine Band, under the leadership of Conductor Brooke, attracted a critical audience. The fact that every selection was vigourously applauded and that encores were frequent, testifies to the popularity of the music. The programme was varied enough to suit the musical tastes of all.

"Need no Rubbers Kind."

Doane & Edsall will put on sale tomorrow a new lot of hand bags, telescope cases and trunks direct from the factory to be sold cheap. They also call special attention to a new invoice of Viscol water proof shoes for children, misses and women. The "need no rubbers kind." See their new ad for special low prices.

Councilman R. I. Tolles has returned from a business trip to Chicago

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Choice Jersey Chickens		14c lb
Legs of Choice Lamb		12c lb
Fresh Hams		10c lb
Best Sugar Cured Hams		10c lb
Fresh Shoulders		8c lb
Fresh Sausage, our own make		10c lb
Corn Beef	Rump Pieces	10c lb
	Plate Pieces	4c lb

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24 1-2 Lb. Bag 75c.
New Maple Syrup, New Honey and Buckwheat just received.

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Extra Large white Blankets with pink and blue borders 98 cts. a pair.

This is our regular $1.48 blankets. No more than 2 pair to one customer.

In Our Basement.

Coal Hods Like Cut Extra Large Galvanized.

19c.

Best 10 ct, Brooms we have yet offered (new lot.)

WOODHULL & MARTIN,

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FORCED SALE OF CLOTHING!

ALMOST FOR NOTHING! I bought the entire stock of HARRY M. JAQUETT, 129 East Front Street, for 41 cents on the dollar, and as I want to get my money back as quickly as possible, will sell the goods to the people of this town and vicinity at but a slight advance. You must come quick as the **WONDERFUL SLAUGHTER PRICES** will clean out the stock in a short time. Samuel T. Jaquett.

READ, NOTE AND PONDER OVER THESE PRICES.

	Were	Now
Men's Overcoats and Ulsters	$5.50	$3.98
" " " "	8.00	5.00
" " " "	8.75	6 50
" " " "	9.50	6.50
Boys' Overcoats and Ulsters	4 50	2.75
" " " "	6.00	3.90
" " " "	4 50	3 00
Children's Knee Pants	.150	1.00
" " "	1.00	.60
" " "	.75	.40
" " "	.50	.30
" " "	.35	.20
Children's Overcoats	4.50	2.18
" "	3.25	1.98

	Were	Now
Children's Overcoats	6.00	3.98
Children's Suits	4.00	2.98
" "	2.98	.98
" "	4.75	3 37
" "	4 87	3.37
" "	2 75	1.98
" "	2.75	.98
" "	8.00	4 25
" "	6.00	3.87
Men's Pants	1.75	.98
" "	2.75	1.12
" "	1 50	1.00
" "	1.37	.75
" "	2.50	1.48

	Were	Now
Men's Suits	9.50	5.48
" "	8.00	3.80
" "	9.00	6.98
" "	8.00	5.00
" "	5.50	2.98
Men's Working Shirts	.50	.29
" Shirts and Drawers	.50	.39
" Neckwear	.50	.39
" Sweaters	.50	.18
Men's Derby Hats (large assortment)	2.00	1.30
" " "	3.00	1.90
" " " (a large assortment)	1.50	1.00
Soft Hats		.38c up
Large assortment of Gloves		.25c up

THIS IS ONLY A FEW BARGAINS WE OFFER, COME AND SEE THE REST.

HARRY M. JAQUETT, Mgr., 129 East Front Street.

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TAPPED A CIDER SPIGOT

FARMER HAYES CHASED BY HIRED MAN WITH AN AXE.

The Latter Left His Work and Got Drunk—Where the Agriculturist Scolded Him He Tried to Kill the Farmer.

Wm. B. Hayes is one of the prosperous farmers of Piscataway township, and like all good tillers of New Jersey soil he always has a barrel of hard cider reposing in the depths of his cellar. That barrel of cider came near causing the untimely death of Farmer Hayes yesterday. It happened this way: Last week the agriculturist was obliged to hire another man and so he went to an employment agency in New York and there secured the services of an Englishman recently arrived in this country. Yesterday Farmer Hayes had occasion to go to New York on business and he left the hired man studiously engaged in guiding a plowshare over a field of wheat stubble. Subsequent events, however, proved that the hired man had spied the barrel of hard cider and perchance tasted of its contents. At any rate when Farmer Hayes returned from the metropolis he was astounded to find his new employe lounging about the barnyard in a leary state.

"My goodness, man," exclaimed the farmer, "what's the matter with you?"

"Nossing, old mansh, Ise 's happish 's can be. Betcherlife that's fine cider youse got in the cellar," hilariously explained the drunken farm hand.

The farmer's solicitude for the hired man turned into anger when he found he had forsaken his work in the field to linger around the seductive bunghole of the cider barrel. He turned on the inebriated man and gave him a worded chastisement that resulted in the good humor of the censured man turning to indignity and finally to infuriation. The hired man staggered to the woodshed close at hand and grabbed an axe and started after the farmer. The farmer ran for his life, but the drunken Englishman pursued in a way to bring terror to the former.

The chase about the yard was becoming too exciting for the farmer, when he sprinted out of the gate and down the road towards New Market. Almost out of breath he appeared before Justice Storms and made a complaint of atrocious assault against the hired man. A warrant was issued and put in the hands of Constable Robert Pierce. The latter returned to Farmer Hayes' place and found the hired man peacefully sleeping on a pile of hay on the barn floor. He aroused the inebriated man and carried him off to the Justice's court. There he was arraigned before the Dogberry and Farmer Hayes told of his narrow escape from being chopped into mince meat. The hired man's memory about the charges seemed to be slightly indistinct. The Justice decided that the culprit was not a good man to have in a community where cider barrels abound, and so he committed him to the Middlesex county jail to await the action of the Grand Jury for atrocious assault.

A POPULAR COURSE.

Commercial Educational Advantages in Great Demand in Y. M. C. A.

One of the most popular courses in the Y. M. C. A. educational department is the commercial course, which gives the pupil a knowledge of the things of most vital importance to one anxious to advance himself in business. The arithmetic taken up consists of profit and loss, interest, discount and partial payments, which are taken up in the order named. In penmanship the method employed is to take up a letter or the principal of a letter every week, the students handing in a certain amount of work each meeting night. Considerable time is devoted to the rules of punctuation, rules of grammer and abbreviations. Afterward each pupil is required to write a letter giving the substance of certain facts in his own words, and obeying the rules previously learned. In the bookkeeping couse Coleman's textbook is used, and on each meeting night the work done since last meeting is carefully gone over and criticised. The enrollment in this course for the present year promises to be larger than ever before.

To Aid a Worthy Pastor.

A cake and apron sale will be held shortly at the home of Mrs. John Doul Miller, East Ninth street, to aid in furnishing the new home of Rev. Louis Walz, who is now located in North Carolina. Next Monday the women will meet at the residence of Mrs. Walter E. Stewart, 526 West Seventh street, to prepare for the sale.

Elected a Vice-President.

A meeting of the Plainfield High School Athletic Association was held yesterday afternoon. Rhey T. Snodgrass was elected to the office of vice-president.

EIGHT YEARS AS RED MEN

ANNIVERSARY OF MIANTONOMOH TRIBE CELEBRATED LAST NIGHT.

The Occasion Marked by the Attendance of State Officers—Dancing Was the Chief Amusement—Sketch of the Tribe.

The eighth anniversary of Miantonomoh Tribe, I. O. R. M., was held last evening in their hall on West Front street.

A feature of the occasion was the presence of the State officers including Great Sachem D. B. Peterson, of Camden; Great Senior Sagamore W. J. Smyth, Great Junior Sagamore Arthur Smyth, of Long Branch; Great Chief of Records D. M. Stevens; Past Great Sachem Aaron Hand, of Camden. These officers were cordially received and enjoyed the festivities. The members of Iona Council, Degree of Pocohontas, were also present and assisted in the celebration.

The programme consisted chiefly of dancing, music for which was furnished by Guttman.

Miantonomoh Tribe was instituted October 12th, eight years ago, with sixty members, in the Exempt Firemen's Hall. It was through the efforts of N. C. Mague and George McInnis that the tribe was organized. At that time the officers were: Prophet, James Clarkson; sachem, N. C. Mague; senior sagamore, Benjamin Allaband; junior sagamore, Edward Wolverton. Of the above officers Benjamin Allaband is the only one lost by death The past officers of the tribe to date are as follows: N. C. Mague, Edward Wolverton, R. E. Seaman, Eli Odam, William Rogers, Andrew Stiglitz, W. A. Westphal, C. L. Holstein, D. C. Allen, Joseph Newman, Michael Leahy, G. S. McInnis, William Newcorn and David Morning. The tribe has sent one Great Representative to the Great Council of the United States, which was held one year at Des Moines and another year at Binghamton, N. Y. N. C. Mague was the representative.

The following members have represented the tribe at the Great Council of New Jersey: N. C. Mague, Benjamin Allaband, R. E. Seaman, Eli Odam, Andrew Stiglitz, C. L. Holstein, D. C. Allen and Wm. Newcorn. The tribe has also had three district deputies, N. C. Mague, Andrew Stiglitz, and Wm. Newcorn.

During the past three months there has been more accensions to the tribe than during the past three years. The following members have died since the organization: R. Pullen, John Richter, Joseph Bolsterli, Fred Westphal, Benjamin Allaband. The tribe was organized three years before a member died.

When the new tribe was instituted in Plainfield the following members left the old tribe: James Clarkson, Charles Conover, Eli Odam, J. H. Carney, John Barrett, William Kline and "Ted" Flannery.

Four years ago Iona Council, Degree of Pocohontas, was instituted while Andrew Stiglitz was sachem of the tribe. W. A. Westphal and Wm. Newcorn was the committee who started the council on December 12th, 1893, with thirty members, and now the membership is 70. At that time the officers of the council were: Past Pocohontas, Mrs. Wm. Newcorn; Pocohontas, Mrs. W. A. Westphal; Wenonah, Mrs Geo. Richter; Pohaton, J. H. Carney. Of the above officers Mrs. Newcorn has since died.

The present membership of the tribe is 130 and the roll is constantly increasing, notwithstanding the hard times, through which the tribe passed most successfully.

The committee in charge of the affair last evening consisted of C. L. Holstein, W. A. Westphal, D. C. Allen and Robert Hangleighter.

BROWN OWNED UP AT LAST.

But He Caused the Police a Lot of Trouble and Was Severely Punished.

The trouble between Tom Marley, the "growler" of beer and the unknown colored man is over. Over, that is, as far as the city court is concerned. Marley said that the obnoxious negro was William Brown. William Brown said that it was not he. So the police went to work, secured the necessary witnesses and prepared to proceed against William Brown, this morning, with some weighty evidence.

When Brown appeared in court this morning he told the Judge that he had decided to plead guilty, and admitted having tried to push Marley off the sidewalk, and that the latter was justified in swinging the growler over his head. The witnesses were dismissed and City Judge DeMeza, after administering a long lecture to the prisoner on the folly of causing the police so much trouble, sentenced him to go to jail for forty days if he could not put up $15 in cash.

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VERBAL ECHOES OF TWO GREAT CHRISTIAN MEETINGS.

The State Convention of the Christian Endeavorers—International Convention of Epworth League.

An echo meeting of the convention of Epworth Leaguers, which was held at Toronto, Can., July 15th to 18th, 1897, was held at Vincent chapel last evening, when James Stafford, one of the delegates from Chapter No. 1, presented his report of the big convention. Miss Angleman, one of the vice-presidents of the chapter, had charge of the meeting, and after the singing of a hymn, prayer was offered by Rev. W. C. Snodgrass, the pastor of the church. Miss Angleman then introduced Mr. Stafford, who gave his report. The report was a synopsis in detail of the great gathering of Epworthians and was listened to with pleasure by all present. Mr. Stafford stated that there were 30,000 delegates present, and he spoke especially of the genuine hospitality of the people of Toronto. He described the trip going to Toronto and spoke of the many interesting sights seen on the way to the convention. He mentioned the fact that Rev. Mr. Mitchell, formerly of Plainfield, received a cordial reception when he appeared at one of the meetings, and one woman, who was taking notes, wrote as an introduction to Mr. Mitchell's remarks, "Very Fine Appearance," which proved that he made a favorable impression.

Following Mr. Stafford's report, Miss Angleman spoke a few words in which she laid particular stress on the hospitality shown by the people of Toronto. In conclusion, Rev. Mr. Snodgrass made a few remarks concerning the members of the chapter assisting at the Sunday services of the church, and he urged all to do what they can toward making the services what they should be in every particular.

At the close of the meeting nearly all remained to look at some pictures of Toronto which Mr. Stafford brought home with him. In the party of Plainfielders who went to the convention were Miss Angleman, Miss Cory, J. V. Rittenhouse and James Stafford, and all testified to having had a most enjoyable time.

The Christian Endeavorers of the Park Avenue Baptist church, who were unable to go to the recent State convention at Paterson, heard the story of the convention as told by their delegates at the "Convention Echo" meeting last evening.

The leader of the meeting was Miss Florence G. Hawkins, secretary of the local union and one of the most enthusiastic of the delegates.

After the usual opening exercises in charge of the leader, Miss May D. Thompson, the first of the delegates, was introduced.

Miss Thompson told of the sessions of Wednesday afternoon and evening, the most prominent features of which were the address by Rev. Dr. David J. Burrell on "Sabbath Observance," and the convention sermon by Rev. Dr. Wayland Hoyt.

The happenings of Thursday morning and afternoon were described by Miss Myra Runyon. In the morning came the committee conferences and the denominational rallies, and in the afternoon the junior rally with a very interesting chalk talk to the children by Miss Struble.

Joseph M. Hawkins talked on the Thursday evening session with the wonderful address of Father Endeavor Clark. He told of William Carey's hammer which was afterwards touched by the delegates. The doings of Friday morning, which were described by Miss Alice Spangenberg, included the reports of the press, correspondence and missionary departments. There was also and eloquent missionary address by Rev. Dr. Fred J. Stanley.

Miss Emma V. Fish described the Friday afternoon session with the report of the evangelistic department by Rev. Frank B. Everitt, closing with an appeal for more active work. He also recommended the first week in December to be devoted to special Bible study for evangelistic work. There was also an address by Dr. Clark on the "Secret of Success."

Miss Hawkins was the last of the delegates and she told of the address by Dr. Merrill E. Gates on "Making the Most of Life," and the final consecration meeting led by Rev. A. W. Spooner in which, instead of roll call by counties, the members testified individually. All the delegates were greatly impressed by the wonderful convention and told their hearers of it very graphically. E. E Anthony closed with a few general impressions of the convention.

TO BOTH ATTRACT AND ENTERTAIN.

Excursion Rates to be Given by Central for the Spielkartenfest.

Arrangements have been made with the Central Railroad to give excursion rates to persons living in Cranford, Westfield, Fanwood, Dunellen, Bound Brook and Somerville, who wish to attend the Speilkartenfest to be held at the Cycle Academy, November 8th to 13th.

At the Cycle Academy active measures are being taken to secure comfort and safety for the patrons of this entertainmnnt. An inclined approach is being laid in the hallway that will make the entrance without the steps as formerly. In a crowd this is precaution that is necessary.

All exits are to be designated by conspicicus signs and watchmen will be in attendance at all times. Long before the performances take place all arrangements will be made, and every step taken to secure all accommodations.

Each dance is now being rehearsed at frequent intervals, and the names of the dances will be given when each one is complete.

MILITARY SPIRIT STIRRED.

Interest in the Proposed Infantry Company is at Top Notch.

Since The Daily Press made the announcement of the intention of several Plainfield young men to form a company of State militia in this city, it has stirred the enthusiasm of a number of other young men who are anxious to join. This interest has been increased by the fact that Mr. Starks, of Sandford avenue, formerly a sergeant of the 23d Regiment of New York, has decided to join the company of young men. Mr. Starks is a valuable man to have in such an organization and his influence will no doubt count for much. Young men between the ages of 18 and 30 years can make application for membership, and the State will furnish all equipments after the company is formed. They allow each member a uniform and all other necessary equipments, and also $500 a year for the maintenance of an armory. It is confidently believed that there are a large number of suitable young men in Plainfield who can be induced to join the company, giving the city something to be proud of.

Suit Against the City.

The suit of Mrs. Elias Milliken, of Plainfield, against that city for maintaining a nuisance in the form of sewer beds near her home, is about to be commenced. Mrs. Milliken has collected very nearly enough money from residents of Plainfield to prosecute the case. The result will be watched with interest.—Dunellen Call.

DEMOCRATIC PRIMARIES.

Delegates Chosen to Attend the County Convention Next Week.

The Democratic primaries for the election of delegates to the county convention, to be held in Elizabeth next week, were held in three of the four wards last night. Those held resulted as follows:

FIRST WARD.

The primary in this ward had for its chairman M. J. DeCourcy, and John Rafferty was the secretary. The following delegates were elected: John Angleman, James Buckley, Thomas Callahan and George McCusker. The member of the county executive committee elected was John Rafferty.

SECOND WARD.

The Second ward primary was presided over by Hezekiah Hand. Gilbert S. Martin was secretary. The delegates chosen were Frank Vosseller and Gilbert S. Martin. Frank Vosseller was made a member of the county executive committee.

FOURTH WARD.

The Fourth ward primary organized with Michael Flynn as chairman and E D. Moffett as secretary. The delegates chosen for the county convention were E. D. Moffett, A. T. Gallup, James H. Searing, John Bowman, Ira Hulburt, Edward McCue, and for member of the county executive committee E. D. Moffett was named.

A Card Party.

Miss Adelaide Graybiel Ball, of Myrtle avenue, gave a delightful little card party Friday afternoon in honor of Miss Barlow. The house was prettily decorated with scarlet flowers and autumn leaves. The guests were: Miss Barlow, Mrs. Frederick O. Ball, Miss Alice Barlow, Miss Rushmore Miss Henderson, Miss Long, Miss Hull, Miss Sara Long, Miss Warman, Miss VanDeventer, Miss Laura Long, Miss Phillips, Miss Bertha Warman, Miss Overton, Miss Mary Hull, Miss Miller, Miss Hallah Van Deventer and Miss Wilson. Mrs. Frederick Ossian Ball and Miss Wilson won the prizes.

To Confer the Order of Red Cross.

At the regular conclave of Trinity Commandery, next Monday evening, the working corps of St. John's Commandry, of Elizabeth, will be present and confer the Order of the Red Cross on five candidates, and there will be a large attendance.

GAS DROVE OUT BEES.

UNWELCOME VISITORS IN A CHURCH MADE TO GET OUT.

Janitor Brokaw Yesterday Afternoon Successfully Solved the Problem of How to Rid the Edifice of the Apairian Subjects.

Sextons of churches are expected to be endowed with an extra splash of patience in order to amicably take the aggravating things as they come, but Edgar S. Brokaw, the caretaker of the Park Avenue Baptist church, has had his equanimity of mind and demeanor sorely tried during the last few days. But now he smiles complacently as he enters the church auditorium and hears not the buzz-z-z-z of bees.

Ever since last Sunday Janitor Brokaw has been in a plight. As told in yesterday's Press he started a fire in the furnace on that day to take the chill off the atmosphere in the auditorium so as to make it comfortable for the Sunday worshippers. In doing so he literally counted without his host. It seems that a swarm of honey bees had taken refuge in an upper portion of the church where the heat circulated with such intensity that the apairian subjects hastily evacuated. Instead of going outside the edifice to cool off they went further inside and made things a trifle hotter for the sexton than even the stoking of the furnace could do.

In a word, through one of the ventilating shafts the insects poured out into the auditorium in great hordes, huming their merry, and yet terrifying, buzz-z-z as they darted to and fro. The result upon the congregation has already been told in The Press.

The most important consideration accompanying their unwelcome visit was how to get rid of them. Sexton Brokaw taxed his mind with all sorts of schemes, but none proved effectual until yesterday. Then he went all through the auditorium and closed every window tight as could be, leaving one of the ventilators invitingly open. He followed this up by turning on every gas jet full force and let the oppressive stuff flow unignited for a straight half hour. For a few minutes the honey-makers didn't seem to mind the smell, but as the gas gradually permeated every nook and canny of the auditorium, the bees showed signs of great discomfort. It was not a great while, the sexton says, before the winged visitors were flying out of the open ventilator with a great deal more agility than they flew in. It was a caution, indeed, the way they went out.

After the place had been cleared of the bees the sexton opened all the windows and air shafts and finally the fresh air offset the gas and made it possible for the sexton to enter without running the danger of being made a victim to his own devices.

It will be a matter of satisfaction to those who attend divine service at that church to know that they hear the sermons of Rev. Mr. Richardson tomorrow without being put to the painful necessity of dividing their attention between dodging the bees and hearing the words of Scripture.

BOROUGH DEMOCRATIC PRIMARIES.

Delegates Elected to the County Convention to be Held in Somerville.

Last evening in the basement of the North Plainfield Public School were held the Democratic primaries for the two districts of the borough. At the first meeting James H. Trewin was chairman and William H. Pangborn secretary. The delegates chosen to attend the county convention to be held at Somerville on Monday were John Emmons and W. J. Conroy. At the meeting of the Second district the chairman was D. D. Smalley, and the secretary Bert Bodine. The delegates selected were G. W. Bird and A E. Kenney. The delegates will go to the convention unpledged. From all appearances the chances are that the convention will be a lively one, for it is understood that some are in favor of endorsing the Chicago platform while others are in favor of the platform of the gold Democrats.

Charged With Wife Beating

Two weeks ago Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carr, a young colored couple living on Plainfield avenue, fell out of their happy state of matrimony and the trouble began. Finally the indignant wife lodged a complaint against Carr and he was arrested on the charge of disorderly conduct and beating his wife. This offending husband pleaded guilty and was sentenced to pay a fine of $3.

Stone Wagons Left in the Road.

Contrary to the ordinance of the borough, stone wagons are left in the middle of the road on Codington avenue almost every night. Last evening two stone wagons were left at the above place, and they not only obstruct the roadway but make traveling dangerous.

WANTS $1,000 FOR DOG

REV. S. P. SIMPSON TO SUE THE STREET RAILWAY COMPANY.

His Valuable St. Bernard Struck By a Trolley Car at Intersection of Two Streets When No Warning Bell Rang.

The Plainfield Street Railway is now to be called to answer in the Union County Courts for the death of a valuable St. Bernard dog, the property of Rev. S. P. Simpson, rector of St. Stephens church, who resides on Putnam avenue, which the latter claims was caused by gross negligence and carelessness in running too fast and failing to give the signal of warning with the bell.

Rev. Mr. Simpson owns, or rather did own until last evening, a St. Bernard dog. The animal was worth considerable and had long lived in the family and was a household pet. Last evening soon after 6 o'clock the dog chased a cat down the street. It was just 6:25 when the dog returned homeward and started to cross the trolley tracks on Putnam avenue, just beyond Webster place. A car was coming from the direction of Richmond street.

Rev. Mr. Simpson is very positive that no warning bell was rung as the car approached Webster place nor when it crossed that street. Neither was the dumb animal given any warning to get out of the way of the approaching car. The fender struck the dog and he rolled partially under it and was dragged, it is claimed, fully fifty feet. The canine's back was broken and his ribs crushed in and he was left in horrible agony in the path of the flying car in front of his home. His master hurried to his aid and finding the dog beyond human assistance, ended his sufferings with a bullet through the brain.

Rev. Mr. Simpson is very positive about the absence of any warning and also states that the car was going at a rate of twenty miles an hour at the time of the accident.

Mr. Simpson has placed the case in the hands of the Corporation Counsel with the instructions to bring suit against the company for $1,000. He says that he will push the matter to an end. To a Press reporter this morning he said that he had watched the other cars last evening as they approached Webster place and it was seldom, indeed, that any warning was given with the bell. He says that it is criminal negligence and had there been a little child instead of a dumb animal crossing the street at that time the result would have been the same.

BURGLAR STILL AT WORK.

Entered M. S. Ackerman's Barn and Ransacked the Coachman's Room.

Plainfield's burglar is an intrepid fellow. Last night he continued his labors and visited the stable of Marion S. Ackerman, of Crescent avenue. Mr. Ackerman's coachman lives in the rooms above the stable and thither the burglar went. He forced an entrance into the coachman's room and searched high and low among his possessions to find his valuables. Failing in this the marauder appropriated some of the best clothing of the coachman and departed without leaving a clew behind as to his identity. When the coachman returned to his rooms at eleven o'clock he found them in a state of chaos and on investigation discovered that the burglar had already been at work there. The rooms had been left at 7 o'clock and it was between these two hours that the entrance was forced.

The matter was reported to the police at once but they have no clew to work with and the burglary is added to the steadily growing list of those that have occurred in this city without detection.

A GREAT THINKER AND WORKER.

Dr. James Martineau to Be the Subject of a Sermon by Rev. Mr. Nickerson.

Dr. James Martineau, of whom Rev. Mr. Nickerson is to preach in All Souls church tomorrow, is one of the most powerful and widely-known thinkers and writers in Great Britain. Dr. Lyman Abbott sought him out in his trip abroad a year ago. There is probably no man more respected in the religious world. He was for many years president of Manchester College, now located at Oxford. He has long been known as the author of a widely read volume of sermons called "Endeavors After the Christian Life," and more recently by two volumes of discourses entitled "Hours of Thought on Sacred Things." But his great and crowning works are "The Seat of Authority in Religion," "Types of Ethical Theory," and "A Study of Religion," the last two found at our Public Library, all three being the fruit of his ripest thought and experience. Dr. Martineau is now in his ninety-third year. He is a brother of the late authoress and traveler, Harriet Martineau.

THEATRE CEILING FALLS

Many Killed and Injured in the Crash and Panic.

THE PERFORMANCE WAS ON

Interior of Robinson's Opera House in Cincinnati Collapses—At Least Three Dead and More than Thirty Badly Hurt.

Cincinnati, Oct. 16.—About 8.30 o'clock last evening, shortly after the curtain rose at Robinson's Opera House, part of the ceiling and the framework of the huge dome fell upon the occupants of the orchestra chairs and parquet seats.

Most of the lights were extinguished by the accident. A light was turned on the audience from the stage, and this caused the alarm of fire to add to the horror of the situation. Many of the audience were injured seriously by the falling ceiling, but many more were crushed and trampled under foot during the rush for the doors.

When it fell the ends struck both sides of the gallery, crushing it and scattering timbers in every direction and finally landing in the centre of the parquet.

Three persons are known to be dead and several are not expected to live. It is said that a dozen may be hurt fatally.

Scarcely anybody was hurt in the balcony or dress circle, and there were few in the gallery at the time. Many were struck among those who had not yet escaped from the parquet.

Later reports place the number of probably fatally injured at twelve and the more or less severely hurt at from thirty to forty. Strangely enough, the play that was booked for next week is called "Under the Dome. The theatre will not be opened again for some time.

ENGLAND TO CONFER.

Will Hold a Sealing Conference With the United States.

London, England, Oct. 16.—The British Foreign Office has intimated to the United States Ambassador, Col. John Hay, that a meeting of sealing experts of Great Britain and the United States will occur, as agreed upon by Lord Salisbury.

It is learned that Prof. Darcy Thompson, the seal expert of the British Foreign Office, starts for the United States immediately.

The Review of Reviews says that Editor W. T. Stead, wnile in Washington recently, discovered that unless the sealing question is speedily settled the United States Government will order the destruction next season of the entire herd of seals on the whole of the Pribyloff Islands.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 16.—The State Department has not yet been advised of the acceptance by the British Government of the alternative proposition submitted by it after the rejection of the invitation to come into the international conference, to have a meeting of British, Canadian and United States experts on the seal question. It is hoped that the news is true, but it is believed that Ambassador Hay will advise the department as soon as an agreement has actually been reached.

GIRL ABDUCTED BY NEGROES.

The Daughter of Farmer Clum Carried Off During His Absence.

Kingston, Oct. 16.—At an early hour yesterday morning Katie Clum, the pretty 17-year-old daughter of Henry Clum, a well-to-do farmer of Prattsville, Grene County, was abducted from her home by three negroes, Henry, Frank and Mary Door.

Miss Clum's parents were absent from home Thursday night, leaving at the farm house Miss Clum, a younger brother and sister, and C. C. Moore. Near morning Moore was awakened by a stifled scream, which seemed to come from Miss Clum's room. He burst open her door and in the dim light saw a negro climb out of the rear window, and go down a ladder that had been placed at the side of the house. When he reached the ground he was joined by two companions, and they carried the limp form of the girl, who had fainted or been drugged, toward a clump of woods some distance away.

Moore hastily dressed and ran from the house in pursuit of the abductors, but did not find any trace of them. Then he returned home, summoned the neighboring farmers, and a search was instituted for the missing girl.

It was thought Henry Door, one of the negroes, had abducted the girl to be revenged on her father, who some time ago discharged him.

Early yesterday afternoon it was ascertained that the negroes and the girl had boarded an Ulster and Delaware train at Roxbury for this city. The police here were telegraphed to and asked to arrest them, but they had flown.

Purchasing tickets for Haverstraw, the negroes took an afternoon West Shore train, saying they were going to Teaneck. Last night the aged father of Miss Clum was at Haverstraw searching for his daughter. The old man swears that he will kill the negroes if his daughter is harmed.

Appointments by the President.

Washington, Oct. 16.—The President yesterday made the following appointments:

Consuls—John A. Burnes, of Illinois, at Cologne, Germany, and Leonard E. Smith, of Maine, at Curacoa, West Indies.

William F. Sands, of the District of Columbia, to be Secretary of the United States Legation at Seoul, Korea.

Thomas B. Needles, of Illinois, to be Commissioner to negotiate with the Indians of the Cherokee, Choctaw, Chickasaw, Muscogee and Seminole nations, vice Alexander B. Montgomery, resigned.

A Farmer Tortured and Killed.

La Porte, Ind., Oct. 16.—Adam Huffman, a wealthy farmer living near Brimfield, was bound, gagged and tortured at an early hour yesterday morning, to make him reveal the hiding-place of a supposed large sum of money. Failing in this the men then murdered him. Huffman lived with a hired man, who was also tortured, and whose injuries will prove fatal.

DUN'S TRADE REVIEW.

A Rainbow of Promise Seems to Span the Business Horizon.

New York, Oct. 16.—The weekly trade bulletin of R. G. Dun & Co., issued today, says:

"Foreign trade in September, the heavy increase in iron production and consumption, and the largest payments through clearing houses ever known in October, are indications which outweigh hesitation in some markets. The increase in employment of labor has continued, with further accounts daily of works opening, increasing force of hands, or raising wages, and at every point where actual production can be tested it appears greater than ever before. Exports of the chief products in September amounted to $70,062,411 in value, against $52,693,403 last year and $32,052,269 in 1895, and indicate that all exports that month exceeded imports of merchandise by about $55,000,000. October returns so far indicate an excess about as large. Efforts by the Bank of England have delayed further gold exports, but with a cotton movement rising, large shipments to this side are deemed certain and not distant. More gold, however, means less just now than more iron.

The output of pig iron Oct.1 was 200,128 tons weekly, against 185,506 Sept. 1, 112,782 a year ago, and the increase since July 1 having been 22 per cent.

The movement of boots and shoes from Eastern factories surpasses all records for October, exceeding that of 1892 by 8 per cent. New orders are still deferred as far as possible, but the many demands for speedy delivery show heavy distribution of stocks. The cotton mills are producing largely as cheap cotton invites, and with moderate demand print cloths are lower at 2.44 cents, and some grades of other goods are slightly reduced. Sales of wool for speculation have greatly decreased, but manufacturers do not yet find that current prices are warranted by their market for goods, though it is strong and advancing.

Wheat has been fairly steady, but moving more largely than last year from the farms and from the country. September exports of wheat surpass all records, amounting to 25,868,838 bushels, against 17,646,815 last year, owing to high prices the value being over 100 per cent. larger for all breadstuffs. The price of wheat has declined three-quarters of a cent, and corn one cent, with the Government report of a yield exceeding eighteen hundred million bushels.

Railroad earnings for the first week of October were 9.2 per cent. larger than last year, and .9 per cent. larger than in 1892, and more than half the entire mileage earned in September 14.8 per cent. more than last year, and 2 per cent. more than in 1896.

The volume of payments through clearing houses continues larger than in the last year of prosperity, for the second week of October 12.1 per cent. larger than in 1892. Collections are remarkably good throughout most of the country, and Western and Central cities are bidding in this market for paper, cutting down commercial loans of New York banks, though the aggregate placed is not lessened. Failures for the first week of October were $2,035,557, manufacturing $978,597 and trading $953,060, in all branches smaller than for the same week in any previous year. Failures for the week have been 223 in the United States, against 328 last year, and 36 in Canada, against 40 last year.

BIG ROUND-UP OF THIEVES.

Chicago Police Recover $25,000 Worth of Stolen Jewelry.

Chicago, Oct. 16.—Chief of Detectives Collerain has succeeded in capturing four of the most notorious diamond thieves, safe blowers and ex-convicts in this country. The gang is locked up in the Central Police Station, and $25,000 worth of diamonds and jewelry, the proceeds of burglaries from San Francisco to New York, is in the hands of the police. The prisoners are "Harry" Rogers, alias "Dip;" "Joe" Williams, James Flaherty and "Sheeny" Joe Rubenstein.

Part of the plunder found in their possession has been identified as good: stolen from San Francisco, New York, Salt Lake City, Rome, N. Y.; Albany, Colorado Springs, Omaha, Sioux City, Davenport, Sandusky, Ohio; Cleveland, Columbus, Dunkirk, N. Y., and Buffalo.

The arrest was made on Wednesday afternoon in a room on Market street near Fifth avenue, after a struggle, in which Detective Collerain was forced to fire several shots.

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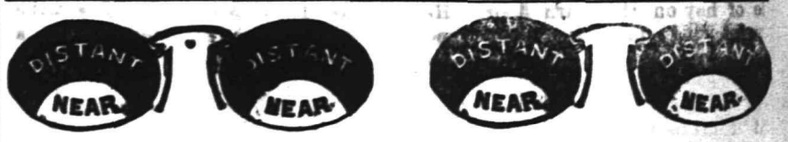

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1897 Taxes

NOTICE is hereby given to the tax-payers of the City of Plainfield that the taxes assessed in said City for the year eighteen hundred and ninety-seven are now due and payable, and that if said taxes be not paid before the

20th Day of December

next, the names of the defaulters with their respective taxes, will be returned to the City Judge for prosecution. The Commissioners of Appeal in cases of taxation in and for the said City will meet at the Council Chamber, No. 109 Park avenue, Plainfield, N. J., on the

4th Tuesday of November

next, (November 23rd, 1897,) at two o'clock p. m., to hear complaints relating to assessments.

E. H. BIRD,
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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The young people of the Seventh-Day Baptist church will go to Mount Pleasant this evening to attend a chestnut roast.

A few weeks ago the editor was taken with a very severe cold that caused him to be in a most miserable condition. It was undoubtedly a bad case of la grippe and recognizing it as dangerous he took immediate steps to bring about a speedy cure. From the advertisement of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the many good recommendations included therein, we concluded to make a first trial of the medicine. To say that it was satisfactory in its results, is putting it very mildly, indeed. It acted like magic and the result was a speedy and permanent cure. We have no hesitancy in recommending this excellent Cough Remedy to anyone afflicted with a cough or cold in any form.—The Banner of Liberty, Libertytown, Maryland. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Mrs. Robert Dryden, of Watchung avenue, has returned from Mt. Minsi, Pa., where she has been spending several days.

Those who believe chronic diarrhœa to be incurable should read what Mr. P. E. Grisham, of Gaars Mills, La., has to say on the subject, viz.: "I have been a sufferer from chronic diarrhœa ever since the war and have tried all kinds of medicines for it. At last I found a remedy that effected a cure and that was Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy." This medicine can always be depended upon for colic, cholera morbus, dysentery and diarrhœa. It is pleasant to take and never fails to affect a cure. 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

John Whiton and his bride are expected to arrive at their home, 821 Central avenue, this afternoon, after a pleasant honeymoon spent at Lake Champlain and in the White Mountains. Two reception days will be held at an early date.

Croup Quickly Cured.

MOUNTAIN GLEN, Ark.—Our children were suffering with croup when we received a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It afforded almost instant relief.—F. A. Thornton. This celebrated remedy is for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

William Sangston, of New York, called on friends in town yesterday.

A pain in the chest is nature's warning that pheumonia is threatened. Dampen a piece of flannel with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bind over the seat of pain, and another on the back between the shoulders, and prompt relief will follow. Sold by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

George Davenport, of Somerville, one of the old time West End ball-players, was in town yesterday calling on friends.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by L. W. Randolph.

Miss Edna VanCleef, of East Millstone, who has been visiting Plainfield relatives, left for Jersey City yesterday where she will remain for a short time with relatives.

Electric Bitters

Electric Bitters is a medicine suited for any season, but perhaps more generally needed when the languid, exhausted feeling prevails, when the liver is torpid and sluggish and the need of a tonic and alterative is felt. A prompt use of this medicine has often averted long and perhaps fatal bilious fevers. No medicine will act more surely in counteracting and freeing the system from the malarial poison. Headache, Indigestion, Constipation, Dizziness yield to Electric Bitters. 50c. and $1.00 per bottle at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

—There will be a special service in the Congregational church Sunday evening. The subject of the address will be "Haps and Mishaps of a Yankee in China."

Stands at the Head.

Aug. J. Bogel, the leading druggist of Shreveport, La., says: "Dr. King's New Discovery is the only thing that cures my cough, and it is the best seller I have." J. F. Campbell, merchant of Safford, Ariz., writes: "Dr. King's New Discovery is all that is claimed for it; it never fails, and is a sure cure for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I cannot say enough for its merits.' Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds is not an experiment. It has been tried for a quarter of a century, and to-day stands at the head. It never disappoints. Free trial bottles at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

CUBA SOON TO BE FREE

Spain Willing to Give Up the Island on Payment of Indemnity.

THE PRESIDENT'S POLICY

Instructions to Woodford—Warning Given That It Would Be Impossible for the President to Control Congressional Action.

New York, Oct. 16.—The Herald has come into possession of important facts which lay bare the diplomatic relations between this country and Spain with reference to Cuba. They also explain the real situation in Spain—why there was a change of Ministry and what the policy of the new Cabinet will be toward this country and in the prosecution of the war in the colonies.

The exact nature of Minister Woodford's instructions from President McKinley to the Spanish Queen has never been published, and it should be understood in order that the real character of the situation in Spain may be appreciated. The real essence of this message is embodied in the statement that, however anxious the President might be to maintain kindly relations between the United States and Spain, he cannot regulate the actions of Congress, which seems bound to take definite steps at its next session to settle the controversy over Cuba, in one way or another.

By this he apparently means that the jingoism that characterized the last session of Congress will break out more violently than ever, and the situation will be beyond his control. The instructions to Minister Woodford were substantially as follows:

None but the most kindly relations exist between the present Administration and Spain, and so far as lies in the power of the Administration they will continue. The belligerency resolutions which passed the Senate at the last session of Congress merely bore evidence of the tremendous popular feeling throughout the country in favor of Cuba. The House, to be sure, voted down the resolutions passed by the Senate, but this was with a view to postponing the issue and not doing anything for the moment that could be construed as hostile to Spain. The House, like the Senate, is strongly in sympathy with Cuba. This feeling of sympathy throughout the United States will undoubtedly take shape as soon as Congress convenes, and it will be necessary for the President to communicate to Congress such recommendations as he deems best to make in regard to Cuban affairs.

Under these circumstances the Government of the United States tenders its best offices to mediate between Spain and Cuba, and it offers to mediate so as to bring war to an end on such terms as will be honorable to both parties. This Government expresses the hope that Spain will reply by the end of October, so as to give the President a chance to report to Congress by the time it convenes.

The information that has reached New York by way of banking circles, and Washington through diplomatic connections, is that the Queen and Premier Sagasta, while their policy at first will be to delay matters so as to satisfy public sentiment in Spain, intend to yield as gracefully as possible consistent with Spanish pride and honor, and grant Cuba virtually all that she asks.

This course will not be from choice, according to the information received in New York, but because there is no other way out of it. It may come after pressure has been brought to bear either from the President or from Congress, but nothing short of a miracle can prevent it.

Senor Sagasta has promised President McKinley an answer by Oct. 25, and the President will then frame his message to Congress accordingly. It is not unlikely that the President will convey another message to Spain in the meantime, or that he will take steps recognizing the belligerency of Cuba.

As heretofore mentioned in the Herald, the President is understood to be partial to the granting of freedom to Cuba, upon the payment of an indemnity of say $150,000,000, as partial recompense to Spain for the surrender of sovereignty and the millions that she has lost in the rebellion.

The President is of the opinion that this indemnity can be paid in Cuban bonds, to be secured by customs revenues, the collection of which shall be supervised and be applied by representatives of the United States.

He is hoping that the initiative will come from Spain, who, when she sees that she cannot burden herself with any more bond issues for carrying on the war in Cuba, may invite the United States to participate in a settlement.

New Klondike Found.

Tacoma, Wash., Oct. 16.—John Spurgeon and Robert Henning, of Cincinnati, bring news that they have discovered another Klondike in the east side of the Rocky Mountains, about opposite the Klondike region. In two months this Summer they took out $10,000 each.

Gold was found from the surface down, and six feet below the surface nuggets were plentiful. The locality described by Henning is north of the Peace River country, where a few miners have been taking out gold for years.

Maher Wants to Fight Corbett.

Pittsburg, Oct. 16.—Peter Maher, the Irish pugilist, has sent out, through his manager Buck Connelly, the following challenge:

"I challenge James J. Corbett to a contest for the pugilistic championship of the world. The challenge is issued because Fitzsimmons has declared that he has retired from the ring and has left the title to be fought for by those who want it. As we cannot doubt the intentions of Fitzsimmons this challenge is made direct to Corbett, as the man who has definitely offered to fight Fitzsimmons for the title."

Pleaded Guilty to Manslaughter.

Hudson, N. Y., Oct. 16.—Charles H. Acker, indicted for murder in the first degree, yesterday pleaded guilty to manslaughter in the first degree. The plea was accepted by the Court. Acker, in a passion of jealousy, killed Jennie Hallenbeck by stabbing her with a knife. The woman was a dissolute character. Sentence was deferred until Monday.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

(Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Fair Tonight; Sunday Increasing Cloudiness and Threatening Weather; Cooler Sunday.

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 90 Degrees.

COMING EVENTS.

October 17—The Wesley evangelists at Y. M. C. A. meeting at 4:15 p. m. All men welcome.

October 18—Union Bible class in Y. M. C. A. Hall, 7:45 p. m., taught by Rev. Geo. C. Needham.

October 18—Mechanical drawing and shorthand classes at Y. M. C. A. Evening.

October 19—First and second year's classes in mathematics at Y. M. C. A.

October 20—Bookkeeping and commercial course at Y. M. C. A.

October 25—William Blaikie at the Y. M. C. A. "How to Get Strong."

October 26—Entertainment Plainfield Mandolin and Guitar Club at Monroe Avenue church.

ABOUT BONFIRES.

Now that the season of bonfires is at hand, a few facts concerning the city ordinances regarding the same are not out of place. There are two city ordinances regarding the bonfires, but only one of them seems to be in force. One says that no bonfires shall be made between sundown and sunrise under penalty of a fine not exceeding $5. The other ordinance says that they shall not be made on any public highway at any time, except on July 4th, under penalty of $20 fine. It is understood, however, that they are not to be made after sunset as they frighten horses and are frequently mistaken for fires that ought not to be.

The Plainfield Press deserves credit for its enterprise in securing a full report of the Republican convention at Somerville, on Wednesday, and having its paper on the streets within a remarkably short time after the nomination had been made. The news of Mr. Spencer's success was of special interest to North Plainfield readers of The Press, who were doubtless well pleased to get such an accurate account so promptly.—Bound Brook Democrat.

A FAREWELL RECEPTION.

Miss Lucile Rockwell Entertained Her Young Friends Pleasantly.

Miss Lucile Rockwell gave a farewell reception to her friends last evening, before her departure to New York for the winter. The affair was given at her spacious home on East Front street. She was assisted in receiving by her sister, Miss Nora Rockwell. Most of the evening was spent in dancing, while an elaborate collation was served late in the evening. The music was furnished by Rogers.

Among the guests were the Misses Mildred Cone, Grace Day, Charlotte Cave, Eleanor Williams, Karolyn Kampman, Marie Kampman, Clara Woodward, Florence Serrell, Florence Cahoone, Marion Woodcock and Miss Sandford, Miss Cahoone and Miss Angie Kuhl and Miss Mary Poole, of Somerville, Henry W. Brower, Carroll L. Runyon, Herbert H. Moore, William A. DeLong, Jr., William L. McClure, Lindley M. Hillman, George Procter Smith, Orville Waring, Vincent Rockwell, William Rockwell, Bert Rockwell, Bert Runyon and Mr. Fleming, of New York.

A RECOGNITION SERVICE.

Christian Endeavor Officers Called and Charged With Their Duties.

After the "Convention Echo" meeting at the Park Avenue Baptist church last evening, the Christian Endeavor Society of the church held a recognition service of the officers and chairmen of committees recently elected. The service was something new for the society. It was conducted by the retiring president, Miss Emma V. Fish.

The new officers were called to the desk one after another and charged with new duties. The chairmen were called and received their charge. The officers and chairmen were asked to repeat their duties and then all the society was charged to do their share of the individual work, for the work of the leaders would be valueless if they did not assist.

Autuffin's Admonition.

The melancholy days are near, we mean of course to those
Who do not heed the hint that from enfeebling vision flows,
And acting thereupon at Collier's make a timely call
Where expert counsel how to save the sight is free to all.

Ex-Councilman V. L. Frazee and wife, of West End Park, have been entertaining company from Brooklyn.

A GOSPEL WAGON BUILT

ODD VEHICLE FROM WHICH THE GOSPEL WILL BE PREACHED.

The Enterprise of a Southerner Who Has Been Making His Home in Scotch Plains—Soon to Go On the Road.

The people of the staid village of Scotch Plains were treated to strange sight on the second day of last July. There was a barking of the village dogs at an early hour in the morning, and the small boy paused in his antics to gaze at the object of the commotion. Drawn by a pair of dusty mules and bearing the marks of a long journey upon it, a canvas covered wagon, of the fashion used by the pioneers of 1849 in their journeys across the plains, hove in sight and passed slowly through the village streets. The farm hands in the fields paused to take a look, and the women came out of the houses and gazed after the strange outfit.

"It's a prairie schooner, sure enough!" they said in wonderment, and fell to speculating upon its purpose and destination.

Upon the seat sat a kindly faced man of middle age, rather slightly built. This face was covered with a brown beard, and he had the look of a man used to roughing it. When the "schooner" reached the house of Charles N. Flanders, in the heart of the village, it stopped, and the occupants were entertained while the team was cared for in the stable. The curious townspeople soon learned that the outfit had come to stay for the summer. Its driver was W. N. Flanders, and with his colored man servant had driven from his home in Greenville, S. C., taking five weeks to make the journey and camping in the wagon on the route.

During his stay in Scotch Plains as the guest of his uncle, Mr. Flanders has taken an interest in church affairs and town matters, and has made numerous friends among the old inhabitants.

Soon after his arrival he began to rebuild his "schooner," and the new craft, upon which he is just putting the finishing touches, is a marvel in its line. The body of the wagon is 14 feet long, 6 feet wide and 7 feet high It is covered all over with water proof oiled canvas and has small windows of glass. Inside are two bunks, an oil stove, twenty feet of closet space for di hes and provisions. Under the seats are lockers for blankets, clothing and other neces saries, and upon the walls are mirrors, lamps, a thermometer and all the conveniences one would expect to find in a well furnished house. The canvas covers can be rolled up when not needed, giving free access of air and sunshine to the interior.

When necessary, the coverings can be securely buckled fast on the inside, so that none can gain an entrance to the wagon. In the event of the storm high board partitions can be raised at the front and back, to shield off the rain. The front partition is provided with a window and a small opening for the reins to pass through, so that the driver can set snugly inside in wet weather.

The wagon is provided with the best springs and with a brake to prevent accident.

On the outside, under the body, are three additional closets, with padlocks, for tools, medicine, and literature. At the back of the wagon, raised only a slight distance from the ground is a dog kennel, where a watch dog will be kept chained. The top of the kennel forms a convenient platform from which the owner of the wagon can make an address. The value of this platform can be understood when it is explained that Mr. Flanders is a worker in religious matters, and takes advantage of any opportunity that offers while on his journeys, to say a few words upon the subject or distribute a few tracts. One of the lockers underneath the wagon is kept filled with tracts.

Mr. Flanders expects to leave for his home in North Carolina on the 25th, returning by way of the Shenandoah Valley. From there he will probably go to Texas to spend the winter.

—Jaquett's great slaughter sale is still going on. The price as well as the quality of the goods is what attracts.

—F. A. Long, of the firm of Kirch & Long, of Somerset street, traded his bay horse last evening with George Wiggins, of Basking Ridge, for a pair of black horses 4 and 5 years old.

—Rev. George C. Needham will give his closing lesson to the Bible class Monday evening at 7:45 in Y. M. C. A. Hall. Subject "Nehemiah V." Mr. Stearns will take the class the following week.

Lawyer Steele, of Somerville, was in Plainfield on business yesterday.

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For Infants and Children.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

--Additional locals on page 3

—There will be a dance this evening in Skandia Hall on East Front street.

—A meeting of the Monday Afternoon Club will be held on Monday afternoon.

—A regular meeting of Trinity Commandery, K. T., will be held on Monday evening.

—Miss Droll, of the West End, has secured a position at Stephenson's restaurant on North avenue.

—There will be a candidate to be initiated at the meeting of Queen City Lodge, I. O. O. F., Monday evening.

—A meeting of Columbia Lodge, A. O. U. W., was held last evening. Only routine business came up at the meeting.

—A meeting of the Bible class was held at the East Third Street mission Thursday evening, at which there was a large attendance.

—The butcher shop of J. M Smalley on Park avenue, has been lighted with Welsbach lights. They were put in by Samuel Allen.

—Crane & Clark, hatters, 120 West Front street, will give some extra values tonight. They have the Newark Trading Company stamps.

—Don't forget the harvest festival in the Church of the Heavenly Rest, Clinton avenue, on Wednesday next. See advertisement in another column.

—Weinberger, the West Front street clothier, has facilities for buying clothing at remarkably low prices, and in turn he gives his customers the benefit of them.

—The women of Plainfield are loud in their praise of the goods on sale at Woodhull & Martin's dry goods store. Tnis is one of the really first-class stores this side of New York.

—A meeting of the A. O. H. was held on Thursday evening. The new members were initated. A committee was appointed to take charge of an entertainment and dance to be given sometime next month.

—William Pierson, who had his finger smashed several weeks ago, met with another accident while at work Thursday afternoon and smashed the same finger. It is feared that it will now be necessary to amputate it.

—The first fall meeting of the Junior Epworth League of the First M. E church was held yesterday afternoon in Vincent chapel, and there were thirty-two members present. The services were interesting and helpful.

—The Saturday Night Euchre Club held a meeting recently and practically decided to renew their former custom of meeting every two weeks during the winter. Another meeting will be held soon to make further arrangements.

—The trial of Robert and Patrick Wallace, Michael Crowley, Thomas Hammill and John O'Halloran for quarreling and fighting was to have come up before City Judge DeMeza, yesterday afternoon, but it was adjourned for a week.

—Childs & Stanley, florists, 142 North avenue, near the depot, have on sale an extra choice variety of chrysanthemums, potted and cut. They are all of good size, color and substance, foliage and stems good. They also have palms, ferns and all kinds of flowering plants which they sell at low prices.

—A man who said he lived in Plainfield, but who did not give his name, lost a small satchel about midnight. He left it in the waiting room at the Central Railroad station for a few minutes, and when he returned for it, discovered that someone had taken it. The grip contained some secret society regalia.—Elizabeth Journal.

—Among the new books in the autumn announcement published by Houghton, Miflin & Co., is "A Dictionary of American Authors," by Oscar Fay Adams, which is spoken of as an important book of reference for all libraries and for individuals interested in literature and authors. Mr. Adams is a brother of Miss Emma L. Adams, the efficient librarian of the Plainfield Public Library.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O, contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by druggists, price 75c per bottle.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Patrolman Saunders is able to be out again and on duty after a short illness.

John Lewis, of Newark, is visiting at the home of Mrs. Lewis, of Somerset street.

Franklin P. Noble, of East Fifth street, left for Mendham to spend Sunday with his parents.

Miss Giles, of Park avenue, has returned from a visit with her sister, Mrs. Giles, at New Market.

Mrs. J P Mosher and Stanley Mosher, of Division street, have returned from a visit at Alfred, N. Y.

Lawyer Clarence L. Murphy, of Washington avenue, was in Somerville, Thursday, to witness the bicycle parade.

Mrs. S. R Krom, of Madison avenue, read a paper on "Narcotics" at the State convention of the W.C.T.U., held in Trenton on Thursday.

Benjamin Schenck, of East Fifth street, rode to Somerville, Thursday evening, and spent the evening there to witness the bicycle carnival.

Charles W. McCutchen and family have returned to their home on Rockview avenue, after spending the summer at their camp in the Adirondacks.

Col. George H. Robinette and bride, of Wilmington, Del., are stopping at the home of Asa Collier, of East Sixth street. Col. Robinette is a member of the staff of the governor of Delaware.

Miss Mix, of New York State, a graduate of the Plainfield Seminary, and a recent graduate of Cornell University, is stopping at the Seminary on Seventh street

Last Thursday evening a musicale was given at the home of Henry Ayers at Metuchen. Bert Harold, of this city, was present and rendered several piano selections, one of his own composition. Herbert Martin and Richard Randolph, also of Plainfield, were present.

GAVE A MAD DOG MEDICINE.

Basking Ridge People at the Pasteur Institute for Fear of Hydrophobia.

Joseph Faulkner and his twelve year-old son Vincent, of Basking Ridge, who are taking treatment at the Pasteur Institute, in New York city, are getding along nicely.

Their pet dog was bitten several months ago by a strange animal. Their dog became sick about a week ago. In giving him medicine they both put their hands, on which there were sores, in his mouth. When the dog became mad a few days ago, they feared that they were in danger of hydrophobia. All danger of the disease is now past, it is said, and they expect to return home soon.

Open till nine Saturday evening.

"Have You a Piano?"

Ask the question of any home owner, and if the answer is "No" it will almost surely be followed by "But we're thinking of getting one."

Scarcely anybody who doesn't mean to get a Piano during some time. At least half a dozen of our buyers during the last ten days have been "thinking of getting one" for some years past. Been to our warerooms lots of times, but this great October Piano Sale did it.

"Save $50" means a lot to most people It has meant a PIANO to many so far this month; it will yet mean that to many more.

FIVE TIMES LARGER STOCK OF PIANOS THAN ANY OTHER HOUSE IN THE STATE.

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Everything FOR THE Fire-Place!

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310-312 PARK AVENUE.

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THE LINCOLN STEEL TOOL WORKS.
THE FRANKLIN COMPANY.
THE STAR INCUBATOR CO.

Factories are now being built at

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and all will open with many American mechanics, on or before October 1, 1897. We have applications for 75 to 100 dwelling houses. Here is a chance for BUILDERS, CONTRACTORS and INVESTORS. This property is only to be seen to satisfy the most skeptical of its future. Sewers, water, electric lights, telephone, &c.

New Jersey Mutual Realty Co.,
S. D. DRAKE, President and Manager.

SPECIAL NOTICE!

We have just received our new

Fall Suitings and Trouserings.

Trousers to order, $5, $6 and $7.

Business Suits to order, $15 and $20.

SEBRING'S, 202 West Front Street.

THE USE OF

REYNOLDS' PETROLEUM HAIR TONIC

Means healthy scalp, atural growth of hair, no falling out, no dandruff. 50c bottle.

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CORNER PARK AND NORTH AVENUES.

Bought at a Sheriff Sale

$15,000 worth of the finest

FALL AND WINTER

-CLOTHING-

-: FOR :-

MEN, BOYS AND CHILDREN.

One of the leading wholesale manufacturers in New York has failed and their entire stock was sent to us to be sold at less than forty cents on the dollar they cost to manufacture. The house was noted in New York, and only the very best and choicest lines were handled by them. Recollect these will be sacrifice prices and will last but three weeks. A great opportunity for money-saving clothing buyers.

The very finest tailor-made clothing in the world will be sold at retail for less than half the prices that other stores ask for inferior goods. As this is such a rare occurrence, we respectfully invite all intending purchasers of clothing to give their personal attention and call early, as the choicest goods will most naturally go first. The sheriff must be paid in cash and this elegant stock of fine clothing will consequently be sacrificed at an enormous loss. We will sell you fine fall and winter suits, fall and winter overcoats, ulsters, heavy-weight trousers, coats and vests, handsomely and elegantly made, equal to the best merchant tailor's work, for less than the actual cost of the labor in making these fine garments. Here is your opportunity to purchase a suit or overcoat for what the lining would cost at any tailoring establishment in the city. A few prices will tell the whole facts. Means a saving of 60 per cent. on every dollar spent. We deal only in reliable clothing, and will not undertake to sell one dollar's worth of clothing unless we know that what we sell will give the buyers as good wear as if he paid us what the garment was worth. Men's winter all-wool suits, sizes from 33 to 44, that are sold all over Plainfield at $7.50 and $8.00, are sold here at $3.75; if not satisfied with this suit in any way, bring it back and get your money. Men's fine clay-diagonal heavy-weight suits, silk-lined, worth $22.00, at $7.50. Men's satin lined dress suits in cutaway, worth $22.75, at $8.50. We offer 600 dark colored good suits in mixed cheviots and cassimers at $3.50, $4 50, $5.00 and $5.25, worth easily from $8.00 to $12.00. All wool men's pants at 85c. Heavy cheviots and cassimere pants at 95c, $1.10, $1.25 and $1.50, worth double. Fine double breasted heavy black cheviot suit handsomely made, at $5.25, that other stores ask $15.00 for. Elegant Prince Albert dress suits, very fine imported cloth, wholesale price $18.00 to $25.00, sale price $9.50, Extra fine dress pants, over one hundred styles in stripes and silk mixtures, neat checks and cords. $1.25, $1.50, $1.65, $1 90 and $2.25, worth from $3.75 to $5.50.

Bring this with you and if not shown everything here as advertised we will pay your car fare. Boys' neat double-breasted suits, all wool warranted, with double knee and double seat, $1,00, 1 25, 1.50, 1.75 and 2.24, worth three times as much. Men's fine covert cloth fall overcoats, in light and dark shades, silk-lined, worth $16.00, at $5.00, latest styles. Men's heavy diagonal fall overcoat, fine finish, worth 12.00 to 15.00, at $5.50. Men's fine black melton overcoat, blue or black, elegantly made, at $6.50, worth 12.00. Men's imported kersey overcoats silk lined, French facing, worth 22.00, at $8.25. Men's dress overcoats at $3.25, worth 10.00. Buy your overcoat now and you will save sixty cents on every dollar. Men's ulsters, dark blue, all wool, waterproof cloth, worth 18.00, at $6.50. Very fine ulsters at $5.50 and $6.50, worth double. A good ulster for drivers at $2 50 and $3.00, worth from 6.00 to 8.00. Extra fine dress suit for young men and boys, long pants, actually valued at 12 00 to 15 00, sale price at $4.50. Young men's single or double-breasted blue or black cheviot suit at $3.50, regular price 10.00. A good youth's suit at $2.50, worth 7 50. Bring anything back within fifteen days, that is not entirely satisfactory. Men's exta fine brown plaid suits at $3.50, $4.50 and $5.00, worth from $9.00 to 15 00. Men's winter bicycle suits at $2 00, $2 50 and $3, worth from 5.00 to 12.00. Remember, no other store in Plainfield can sell you such fine clothing for any less than three times these prices. We have over three thousand suits to choose from. All wool clay diagonal sack suit at $5.90, worth from 12 00 to 15.00. Over one thousand woolen knee pants from 15c to 60c. Everybody living within tweny-five miles of Plainfield should visit this great sheriff sale.

SALE BEGINS SATURDAY, OCTOBER 2, at 7:30 A. M.

New York Clothing Co.,

Next door to Music Hall, Plainfield, N. J.

M. WEINBERGER, Manager, Car fare paid to all out of town buyers. Don't miss this sale, it will pay you to come at once. Sale takes place rain or shine. Don't forget the place; it is 214 West Front Street, next door to Music Hall. Look for New York Clothing Co.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

A. I. Martine is entertaining company from out of town.

A. H. Atterbury, of Plainfield, was a visitor in town yesterday.

Mrs. W. L. Terry has returned from her visit with Brooklyn friends.

Miss Harman, of Somerville, is visiting her sister on Church street.

The Misses Van Middlesworth spent yesterday with relatives in Plainfield.

Miss Cook, of North Plainfield, called on borough friends yesterday.

Mr. Oscar has been entertaining company from Newark for a few days.

Miss Maude Bolton, of Somerville, is visiting her sister, Mrs. P. Harman.

Mrs. Edward Meeker, of Sayrefield, is visiting her brother, J. W. Griggs.

Mrs. R. F. M. Chase, of Washingtonville, was a visitor in town yesterday.

P. C. Staats was in New Brunswick yesterday on business pertaining to the courts.

The women of the M. E. church held their regular meeting yesterday afternoon in the church.

Mrs. Sherman Cooley, of Flemington, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Emily Apgar, of Front street.

Miss Williamson has returned to her home at Lyons Farms, after a visit with Mrs. R. L. Fisher.

Postmaster Charles Coriell is about ready to ship a load of fenders to New York to be used on river boats.

At the Presbyterian church tomorrow the Christian Endeavor Society will celebrate its anniversary.

P. C. Staats and Wm. Connolly are the delegates elected at the Democratic primary held Thursday evening.

Miss Fenner, of Pluckamin, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Harry Swackhamer, has returned home.

Elmer Blackford, of New Market, has entirely recovered from his recent illness and is able to return to business in New York.

The "Tissue Tea" held under the auspices of the Junior Christian Endeavor Society of the Presbyterian church last Thursday evening netted about $20. It was a pleasant affair and a success.

Robert Lowrie, who has held a mortgage on the house owned by Mr. Hearns, of New York, foreclosed the mortgage yesterday for the face value, $3,000. Mrs. Stryker now occupies the house and she will probably remain there.

SCOTCH PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Miss Emma Clark visited friends in Plainfield yesterday.

Twilight Council, No. 7, Jr. O. U. A. M., held a meeting last evening.

Rev. George Winans will lead the prayer meeting in the church tonight.

Rev. J. S. Braker led the prayer meeting in the Baptist church last night.

Mrs. Myra Heath returned yesterday from a visit with relatives in Brooklyn.

The Scotch Plains football team plays the Westfield Juniors at Scotch Plains this afternoon.

William Bacon has returned to his home in Haverstraw, N. Y., after visiting friends in Scotch Plains.

Thomas M. Paff, Sr., and E. A. Wright are enjoying a fishing excursion on the Passaic river today.

Miss Emma Clark, of Scotch Plains, and Miss Mary Clark, of Bound Brook, are spending a few days in Lincoln.

A party of Scotch Plains young people attended a lunch-box sociable at Mr. Erickson's, at Netherwood, last night.

Fanwood Council, No. 744, Royal Arcanum, will entertain the grand officers at its meeting on November 9th. Music and refreshments will be included in the programme, and a fine time is anticipated.

Catarrh in the head, that troublesome and disgusting disease, may be entirely cured by a thorough course of Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great blood purifier.

Hood's Pills cure nausea, sick headache, indigestion, biliousness. All druggists. 25c.

WESTFIELD

VARIOUS BITS OF NEWS.

WESTFIELD HAPPENINGS SERVED UP TERSELY FOR THE PRESS.

Many People Go and Come in the Pretty Suburban Town—Items Interesting Because of Their Brevity

Miss Edith Morehouse is visiting in Philadelphia.

Township Clerk I. I. Ross is in New Brunswick on business.

Robert Fairbairn is about to build a new house on Kimball avenue.

John Anderson and family, of Mountainside, have removed to Plainfield.

Mrs. C. E. Beaman, of Mountainside, is visiting friends in North Plainfield.

F. E Ernst and family, of Mountain avenue, will remove to Brooklyn next week.

Newton Hoffman, of Mountain avenue, is confined to his home by illness.

George Boynton and family, of Mountainside, have removed to Springfield.

Miss Mabel Holcomb, of Westfield avenue, is visiting friends in Brooklyn, N. Y.

The offering in the Presbyterian church tomorrow morning will be for the church fund.

Mrs. William E. Price, of South River, is the guest of Mrs. Martin Snyder, of Elm street.

Mrs. Martin Synder, of Elm street, has returned from the Baptist convention at South River.

Horace Taylor, of Bayonne, has returned from a visit with William J. Bogert, of Central avenue.

The Advance Club held its first meeting of the season at the residence of Ira T. Bull last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Condit, of Elm street, are entertaining their son, Harry, from New York State.

Miss Florance, of Elizabeth, will reopen her dancing class at the Westfield clubhouse next Tuesday.

Mrs. Stork, of Brooklyn, has returned home after a visit with Mrs. C. C. Dilts, of Cumberland street.

H. O'Neill has returned to his home in Brooklyn after spending two weeks with James Doyle, of Elmer street.

Mrs. E. R. Collins and Miss Julia Folsom have returned from the State W. C. T. U. convention at Trenton.

E. J. Townsend is erecting a handsome sorcophagus upon the plot of Mrs. Robert Fairbairn, in Fairview cemetery.

Arthur Spooner, of Central avenue, has rented F. E. Ernst's house on Mountain avenue and will take possession Nov. 1st.

The case of Griffen against Jimmerson, on contract, will come up on the last call in Justice Collins' court next Wednesday.

Caleb DeCamp, a well known resident of Union county, is seriously ill with cancer of the throat at the home of his daughter, Mrs. C. French.

Clifford W. Gilbert, who is now in Reading, Pa., on business, writes stating that the condition of business in that vicinity is extremely good.

The normal Bible class met with Rev. Joseph Greaves in the Public Library rooms last night. The subject was the Sunday-school lesson.

The Young Ladies' Mission Band of the Presbyterian church will give a musical and literary entertainment, under the direction of Miss Anna D. Cooper, on Monday.

The Westfield Club football team plays a game in the Journal trophy series with the Rahway Y. M. C. A. team on the North Broad street grounds this afternoon.

John B. Green will conduct both the morning and evening services in St. Paul's church tomorrow. Rev. Charles Fiske, the new rector, will officiate next Sunday.

Contractor Moore, of Cranford, is rapidly pushing the masonry work on the new stone and iron bridge which the Board of Freeholders is building at Willow Grove.

The football team known as the Defenders has changed its name to the Lincoln High School team, and will purchase uniforms of blue and white, the High School colors.

The Democratic primary which was held in the town rooms last night was a most harmonious affair, the attendance being small and there being no fight for the different positions to be filled. C. W. Harden was elected chairman and John M. C. Marsh secretary. The primary then proceeded to elect Irving I. Ross, J. M. C. Marsh, H. W. Knight and A. L. Alpers as delegates to the county convention, and D. J. Burke, W. C. Barton, F. R. Penington and A. S. Clark as alternates. Irving I. Ross was re-elected to the county executive committee, and the primary then adjourned, having been in session just eight minutes.

The closing night of the fair held for the benefit of Holy Trinity Roman Catholic church, in Etta Hall, on Thursday night, was very successful in every respect. The attendance was as large as the hall could accommodate, and much interest was taken in the various features of the fair, especially in the guessing matches for prizes. When the grains of corn had been counted in the various jars it was found that James Fogerty had secured the barrel of flour. E. C. Winter the ton of coal and Mr. Cawfield the barrel of potatoes. Late in the evening all the goods which remained unsold upon the various tables were sold at auction, all bringing fair prices. The dancing, with music by Prof. O'Reilly, of Plainfield, was a popular part of the evening's amusement. The proceeds of the fair were about $200.

It Reflects Our Methods.

There are two notable points about the sale of

Henry's Electric Liniment

that are worth notice. First, we guarantee it. If it fails to give satisfaction in any respect your money will be cheerfully refunded. Second, it is a remedy that can be guaranteed; it would be folly to sell an inferior remedy that way.

The price is 25 cents. It cures bruises, strains, backache or deep seated pains anywhere.

Our proposition on this remedy applies to all the preparations we make. Our aim is to make satisfaction the basis of every transaction. We believe that such methods appeal to thinking people more than plausible promises of something for nothing; more than the use of schemes which in the end must prove a delusion.

FRANK ROWLEY,
DRUGGIST,
45 SOMERSET ST, TEL. 213 A.

THEATRICAL.

New York has a new favorite. It is Sol Smith Russell, the comedian, who has been visiting New York for years, but never until the present time made anything more than a passing impression upon the theatregoers. Now, however, he is in the second month of a triumphant, crowd-attracting engagement at the Garden Theatre, and is so much in demand that Charles Frohman, under whose direction he is playing, is doing his best to cancel all the comedian's out-of-town contracts with a view to keeping him indefinitely at the Garden. The comedy in which Mr. Russell appears is "A Bachelor's Romance," and it is from the pen of Miss Martha Morton. It tells a pretty and interesting human-hearted story of which the hero is a literary man, who, engrossed all his life in books, knows little of the wiles and ways of the world, and who therefore when he comes to feel the first touches of the tender passion presents a droll and charmingly awkward as well as comical picture. The part fits Mr. Russell's quaint and unctious methods to a nicety and he imparts his own delightful personality to it.

An Opportunity.

Having bought at their own terms early in the summer nearly one hundred pianos from various makers, outside of their regular lines, the Lauter Company, of Newark, mean to give their patrons throughout the month of October the advantage of these purchases. They announce that they will sell good new pianos at the previously unheard of price of $170 cash, or $190 on easy time payments of a few dollars a month. This should cause families that need pianos to invest at once. As a further inducement to those who prefer them, they have also marked down the prices of their splendid regular makes and the reduction holds good for this month only. The prospective piano buyer can save a deal of money by buying now. The Lauter Company enjoy such an enviable reputation for enterprise and straight business methods that this decision on their part will no doubt cause a large influx of piano buyers during October.

Their Sixth Anniversary.

The sixth anniversary of Queen City Lodge, No. 226, I. O. O. F., will be held one week from next Monday evening, and a full attendance of the members is urged at the meeting of the lodge next Monday evening when the invitations for the anniversary will be given out.

Mrs. P. Bogert, of Somerset street, is visiting her parents in Brooklyn.

Mr. Dryden, of West Seventh street, left this morning for Baltimore, where he will remain over Sunday.

Mrs. W. R. Codington and family, of Sandford avenue, have returned from a pleasant stay at Mt. Minsi, Pa.

E. C. Perkins and family, of Central avenue, have returned from their summer outing spent in the Adirondack Mountains.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Hughes, who are now enjoying their honeymoon at Old Point Comfort, Va., are expected home next Thursday.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

RANDOLPH'S --DRUG STORE.--

A Pharmacy conducted in the interest of the People's Health. Nature's Wonderful gifts to alleviate the ills of life. Pharmacists having years of experience compound your needs. We solicit your continued confidence.

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143 WEST FRONT STREET. TELEPHONE CALL 109.

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LADIES

In closing out our line of Ladies' Sweaters, Leggins and Overgaiters, we offer attractive bargains.
Leggin Hose, were 60c, now 29c
Sweaters, were $5, $4 and $3, now ....$4, 3, and $2.
Leather Leggins, were $2, now 98c.
Others reduced from $1 35 $1, 85c and 75c to.....89c, 55c and 35c

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Two Stores,
147-149 North Ave., Plainfield.
Elm St., Westfield.

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(Non-Sectarian)
43 Manning Aveuue.
First-class places furnished girls out of employment.
RELIABLE HELP
secured for those desiring girls. Inspection invited. 10 11 3m

HARVEST FESTIVAL!

Parish House Church of the Heavenly Rest, Clinton avenue.
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 20,
afternoon and evening. Sale begins at 2 o'clock. Fancy articles, preserves, canned goods, candy, fruit, etc., etc. All at less than market rates Proceeds for current expenses of the Parish. Should the weather be inclement the sale will be postponed until the first clear day.
TICKETS 10 CENTS.

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furnishes bonds without expense to Administrators, Executors, Guardians, Trustees, Assignees, &c., through
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Cases of woman and children a specialty.
132 CENTRAL AVE.
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DIED.

FABER—On October 16th, at her late residence, 38 Rockview avenue, Isabella, wife of Alexander Edward Faber.
Notice of funeral hereafter.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

TWO fine rooms to let with board, near Public Library; reasonable. Address Home, care Press. 10 15 3 fst

AGENTS get fifty cents on each dollar; no experience necessary; write for agent's outfit. Address The Catholic News, 5 Barclay St., New York. 10 9 4 s

FOR SALE or to let, (bakery) store and dwelling with stable, 120 West Fourth street. Mulford, broker. 6 16 tf-w s

BABCOCK BLOCK — Offices, flats and large room for lodge or meetings. Elevator to all floors. 9 1 eod tf

FOR SALE—1896 Cleveland tandem with 1897 wheels, perfect order; $65. Mellor, Hillside Ave. 10 16 2

BOARD and rooms, home comforts; suite small family or couple. Mrs. Childs, near depot, Netherwood, N. J. 10 16 3

FOUND—A tie rope. Owner can get same by calling at this office and paying for this advertisement.

WANTED—For half of every day; a man (white) with experience in horses, and willing to be generally useful. Address J. D. M., care Press, 10 16 2

WANTED—A stylish horse, safe for a lady to drive. Inquire J. T. Vail.

WEAVERS wanted. Carpet Mill, 629 South avenue.

$2,000 wanted on first mortgage at 5 per cent. Address M, care Press.

WANTED—Girl to work days, and study evenings in the Business College. 506 Watchung avenue.

WANTED—A competent cook. Apply 240 East Ninth street.

3 nice rooms to let. 306 Richmond street; all improvements, first floor, rent $8. 10 16 2

Plainfield's Busiest Store.
We sell goods cheaper than all other stores.

The Situation.

Every woman in this town has more or less dry goods money to spend—you want to spend it to the very best advantage. Now here is a store filled with fresh, reliable merchandise, bought right and sold right to your entire satisfaction. We tell of many good values in these columns, but not half of the good things get a word We want you to investigate.

Millinery.
Type or word cannot do justice to this department—to appreciate the worthiness of our millinery we ask you to see others, then see ours—there will be no question about who gets the order.

Dress Goods
news, and good news it is to prudent buyers. You can hardly afford to pass this handsome stock of ours without an inspection. If you cannot come drop postal for samples and prices.
36 in fancy wool Mixtures....25c
38 in fancy silk and wool Mixtures....48c
38-in Scotch Plaids....39c
54 in Ladies' Cloth....49c
50 in Granite Cloth....48c
36 in Lining Silk....39c
18 in Waist Silk....69c
Silk Velvet, all shades....75c

Lace Curtain Selling
A sale of fine lace curtains for this week. We give pole and fixtures free with every pair
Cream or white curtains 54-in wide 1.19 pair.
Extra heavy fish net curtains, cream or white, 1.49 pair.
Very fine point de spie lace curtains, cream or white, 1.79 pair.

Carpet and Oil Cloth Dep't.
Heavy all-wool Ingrain....53c
Brussels, a beautiful line....73c
Heavy Oilcloth....20c yd
18x36 chenille Rugs....49c
36x72 chenille Rugs....1.49
Cocoa door mats....39c

Wrappers.
Cambric Wrappers 69c
All our wrappers are full size and made as you would make them yourself.
For this flannelette wrapper, 98c.

TOILET ARTICLES,
Fine toilet soap, 5c. Colgate's extracts, 25c. Hot water bags, 49c. Cosmo buttermilk soap, 19c box. Colgate's Florida water, 25c.

Hosiery and Underwear.
Just the opening items. Goods and prices talk stronger than columns of chat. 'Twill be our busy week in hosiery and underwear.
Children's fleeced lined vests and pants, ...5c up
Children's natural wool vests and pants, ...10c up
Ladies' ribbed vests and pants, fleeced 25c
Ladies' natural wool vests and pants, 50c
Children's heavy school hose, all sizes 10c
Ladies' fine seamless hose, fast black 12c
Ladies' extra fine hose, 25c kind, 19c pair

Men's Furnishings.
Men's heavy wool shirts....29c
natural wool shirts....38c
outing shirts....32c
white linen shirts....33c
suspenders, 25c kind....13c
half hose....10c pair
silk neckwear, 50c kind... 25c
cambric handkerchiefs 5c each
linen handkerchiefs...15c each

Store Specials.
All fresh arrivals are made very interesting by the price pinched argument which is attached to them.
Heavy brown cotton flannel....5c
Heavy brown dormet flannel....5c
Heavy cotton towels....5c
Heavy twilled crash....3c yd
Heavy Turkish toweling....7c yd
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60-in linen damask....25c
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YOUNG SHAW ARRESTED.

Important Developments Regarding Camden's Double Crime.

Camden, N. J., Oct. 16.—Eli Shaw, the son of Mrs. Mary J. Shaw and the grandson of Mrs. Emma Zane, the two women found murdered at 242 Line street on Tuesday morning, was arrested at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon and formally charged with the crime. He was found at the house of Foster Zane, a relative, where he had been under surveillance of the authorities since the day of the tragedy. He is 23 years old. He was taken to the City Hall, and after a long conference with Prosecutor of the Pleas Jenkins, during which he is believed to have made a statement, he was locked in a cell.

The circumstance which led to his arrest was the discovery by the Coroner's jury of bloody tracks on the carpet of the third-story room occupied by Mrs. Shaw. According to the statements of Eli Shaw, the tragedy had occurred on the second floor, whither his mother followed him when he left his room to look for supposed burglars. There is nothing in his statements that would account for these tracks. The discovery threw an entirely new light on the case.

The police, on their examination of the room yesterday, noticed also that the covering of a stovepipe hole in the chimney had been removed. This was disclosed by chimney soot on the carpet. Following out this clue, they made an examination of the chimney, and at the bottom of it, on the ground floor, they found a five-chambered revolver, apparently new, from which two charges had been fired.

THORN'S TRIAL POSTPONED.

Chance to Prove that Guldensuppe Is Alive in Germany.

New York, Oct. 16.—In the Queens County Court of Oyer and Terminer, in Long Island City, lawyers for Martin Thorn, jointly indicted with Mrs. Augusta Nack for the alleged murder of William Guldensuppe in a house at Woodside, appeared and submitted affidavits in support of an application to postpone Thorn's trial, which was set down to begin next Monday.

In the affidavits it was set forth that the attorneys for Thorn had recently learned that a number of persons, including a man named Petersen, had seen Guldensuppe alive in Germany after June 25 last, the day on which he is alleged to have been murdered in the Woodside house.

Counsel claimed that it would not be possible to present this newly discovered evidence in Thorn's favor if the trial proceeded next week.

Aftr some argument between counsel for the defense and District Attorney Youngs it was agreed to postpone Thorn's trial until Nov. 8. Judge Smith had an order entered to that effect.

TO FIGHT CONTRACTORS.

Militia May Be Called Out in California Against Workers.

San Francisco, Oct. 16.—There will be a lively fight on the North Beach water front if Warren & Malloy, contractors for the Fair estate, adhere to their resolution to oppose the State Harbor Commission in the removal of obstructions that now block the entrance to the Fillmore street wharf. The contractors have driven piles and thrown in rock on water lots which, they contend, are not under State jurisdiction, but in this work they have obstructed the channel, twenty-three feet deep, to the wharf.

When the agent of the Harbor Commission tried to remove the piles the contractors ran scows into his tug and nearly sank her. They have now 100 armed men roosting on the piles who are instructed to shoot any one who interferes with them. Gov. Budd swears he will call out the militia if necessary, and he has given the contractors until to-day to remove the obstructions. If they refuse, he proposes to move immediately upon the works.

Marlborough Baptism To-day.

London, Oct. 16.—The baptism of the infant son of the Duke and Duchess of Marlborough, which is to take place to-day in the Chapel Royal, St. James' Palace, is to be a big society event. As soon as it was known that the Prince of Wales would be present there was a great rush of the smart set to procure invitations. As a result all the places in the chapel that will not be occupied by relatives were allotted by ticket days ago. None of the general public will be able to witness the ceremony. An elaborate chloral service is being prepared for the baptism.

Denies that She Had Quadruplets.

Troy, Oct. 16.—Mrs. William J. Olmstead, wife of Motorman Olmstead, of the Troy City Railway, indignantly denies that she had given birth to two girls and two boys recently. "There's no truth in the story that some of the papers published," she said, "and I can't understand how such a report could get out. It is true that I have four children, but they were not born on the same day, nor have I an infant." Mr. Olmstead was equally indignant. He thinks some of his friends tried to play a joke on him.

Will Maintain the Gold Standard.

London, Oct. 16.—The Globe, which has close relations with the Cabinet Ministers, reiterates that the Government may be depended upon to maintain the gold standard inviolate, and adds:

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Tammany Candidate Dead.

New York, Oct. 16.—Dr. James P. Daly, Tammany candidate for Coroner in the Borough of the Bronx, died at 5.30 o'clock yesterday morning at his home, at 563 East 150th street. Dr. Daly, who was unmarried, was 35 years of age. For several years he has been one of the best known physicians north of the Harlem River.

A Doctor Sued for $10,000 Damages.

Lyons, N. Y., Oct. 16.—Gilbert T Archer, of Waterloo, has sued Dr. W. Louis Hartman, of Clyde, to recover $10,000 damages for malpractice. Archer had the two bones of his left leg broken in an accident at Clyde in December. Dr. Hartman reduced the fracture, but it later became necessary for another physician to amputate the foot.

Gen. Weyler has pardoned forty-six more political prisoners in Cuba.

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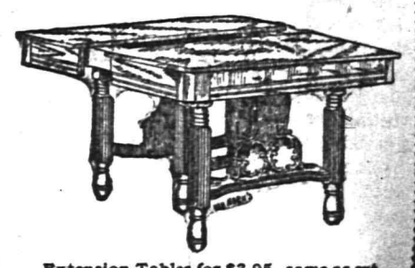
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Leave New York, foot Liberty street, at 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00 a. m.; 12 00 m., 1 10, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45 p. m.; 12 15, 1 00 night. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00, 9 00, 9 15 a. m.; 12 m.; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00 p. m.; 12 15 night; 1 00 a. m.

Leave New York from Whitehall street at 7 00, 7 55, 8 25, 8 55, 9 55, 11 55 a. m., 1 00, 1 25, 2 25, 3 25, 3 55, 4 25, 4 55, 5 25, 5 55, 6 25, 6 55, 7 50, 8 25, 9 10, 9 55, 11 30 p. m., 12 10 night. Sundays—At 7 00, 8 55 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 2 30, 3 55, 5 25, 6 55, 7 25, 8 25, 9 50 p. m., 12 10 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 50, 8 00, 8 25, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 01, 52, 10 08, 11 16 a. m.; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 18, 7 55, 8 38, 9 03, 10 05 a. m.; 12 10, 1 15, 1 35, 2 35, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 25, 5 42, 6 19, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 05 p. m. Sunday, 7 15, 9 05, 9 30, 10 35 a. m.; 1 10, 1 35, 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 20, 10 20 p. m.

Passengers for Newark please change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a.m 1 01, 2 11, 2 32, 3 35, 4 36, 5 03, 5 15, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 16, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p. m; 12 44 night, Sunday 5 45, 8 06, 9 55, a. m; 2 03, 3 39, 4 35, 5 30, 10 11, 11 14 p. m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35 8, 8 19, 9 02, 9 48, 11 45, a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05 2 26, 4 25, 5 28, 6 08, 6 40, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05 p. m Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a. m; 12 05, 1 20, 5 15, 6 35, 7 59, 8 05, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a. m., 1 01, 2 11, 4 55, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 9 05 a. m; 2 01 6 35 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a. m; 12 32, 4 04, 7 00, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 52 a. m; 6 30 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield 9 54 a. m; 5 03, 5 15 p. m

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

6 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

9 16 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Hazleton, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, & c. with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

1 01 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for station on D., L. & W. R. R.

3 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, MauchChunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

4 55 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Scranton, Wilkesbarre, Tamaqua, Shamokin, (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

5 05 and 5 15 p. m., way or Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 10 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

9 06 a. m. Sundays for Easton.

4 38 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 38 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

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For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 37, 8 13, 9 28, 10 27 a. m.; 1 15, 3 03, 5 22, 5 54, 7 03 p. m. Sundays, 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10 27 a. m.; 1 15 3 51, 5 22 p. m.

For Lakewood, Toms River and Barnegat 3 37, 8 13 a. m.; 1 15, 3 51 p. m. Sundays 8 52 a.m

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A Big Expedition Starting Out with Provisions and Beef on the Hoof.

Victoria, B. C., Oct. 16.—The Yukon expedition of Pierre Humbert & Co., of Boston, started from here for the Klondike yesterday. Col. Aberger and E. E. Russell, of San Francisco, are taking fifty men, 250 horses and 150 cattle and ten trains of dogs, with upward of one hundred tons of provisions to Pyramid Harbor, over the Dalton trail, and thence toward the Macmillan River, where the establishment of a central post for mining and trading purposes is contemplated.

"On arrival at Fort Selkirk," said General Manager James Smith, who is in charge of the expedition, "if I find that the reports true of actual starvation at Dawson I am instructed to force my way down the river with all the supplies at any cost. To quote the language of Pierre Humboldt, Jr., the head and front of the enterprise, "no lives shall be lost by famine as long as Boston has a pound of flour or a dollar of money left. The ultimate object is not only to establish a great mining and supply depot, but it comprehends also the construction of a railway and telegraph line into the Yukon, and as an earnest of the company's intention in this direction another and independent expedition will take the field immediately. The main expedition, it is intended, shall be followed up every sixty days by similar expeditions, continually increasing in size, until everything is accomplished. The expedition now in hand will travel comparatively light, with 250 horses, carefully selected, well shod, and in admirable condition. We also have 150 head of cattle, well fed and in good condition. These, on our arrival at Dawson, will be converted into beef, and will augment the general food supply. Six to seven trains of dogs, carpenters, blacksmiths and other skilled labor are to be in our expedition."

FOUR KILLED IN A MINE.

Explosion of Gas in a Colliery in Results Fatally.

Reading, Pa., Oct. 16.—A terrific explosion of mine gas took place in the East Northdale gangway of Kaska William colliery, Schuylkill County, yesterday. Men and mules were hurled to the ground. Four men were killed at once and three were burned badly. They were also thrown against the hard sides of the gangway. The killed are Patrick Sweeney, aged 45; John Boner, 27; Anthony Wright, 31; Charles Miknis, 24. The injured are Peter Paul, Patrick Doyle and William Rice. Sweeney's death was caused by a broken neck, having plunged eighty feet down the chute in order to escape the gas.

The dead miners were found in the heading where the explosion occurred. This colliery has always been noted for the development of gas. Great excitement prevailed at the mouth of the shaft when the dead and injured were brought up. Mine Inspector McGuire arrived here and is now investigating the matter. It is supposed that one of the men accidentally ignited a body of gas with his naked lamp. The concussion was terrific.

MYSTERY OF A POSTAL PACKAGE.

Contained $14,000 and Is Lost. Traced to Council Bluffs.

Omaha, Neb., Oct. 16.—The registered postal package containing $14,000, which was missed on Tuesday, has been traced to Council Bluffs. It disappeared either at the transfer depot in Council Bluffs, or very soon after leaving there. The package was placed in the register pouch at Chicago for a Salt Lake bank, and reached Council Bluffs on Thursday afternoon of last week on the Burlington fast mail. The pouch was in the especial care of Postal Agent Thomas Pheney.

He delivered it to the postal clerk on the Union Pacific, G. H. B. Brill. For some reason that has not yet been explained this postal clerk neglected to enter the number and usual descriptive marks of the pouch on his book, and he has nothing to show that it ever came into his possession. The postal authorities think that a sneak thief got the package.

Football Season Opens.

New York, Oct. 16.—The first really important football games of the season will be played to-day. Princeton will meet the Carlisle Indians at Old Nassau's field, Harvard will tackle the West Point cadets at West Point, and Lafayette will play Cornell at Easton, Pa. All of these contests will afford lines upon which to estimate the strength of the big elevens.

There is already an unusual demand for tickets for the Harvard-Yale game, to be played at Cambridge on Nov. 13. Manager Twitchell, of Yale, says that there will probably be seating accommodations for more than twenty thousand, and that the tickets will be distributed by the usual allotment system.

John L. Sullivan in Trouble.

New York, Oct. 16.—John L. Sullivan, the ex-pugilist, actor, orator and politician, is likely to make a much longer stay in Providence than he bargained for when he brought his theatrical company to that town.

Three writs, aggregating $9,600, have been served upon him during the past few days. The first was for $5,000 damages for an assault committed upon his manager, F. V. Dunn, and the second for $2,000 for alleged debt to Dunn. These were followed by another writ of $2,000 for alleged trover and conversion. Sullivan managed to secure bail after a short sojourn in jail.

Maher Challenges Corbett.

Pittsburg, Pa., Oct. 16.—M. J. Connelly, on behalf of Peter Maher, last night issued a challenge to James J. Corbett to fight for the heavy-weight championship of the world and a side bet of $5,000, to take place before the club offering the largest purse.

If Corbett does not accept the challenge it is open to any man in the world.

Freshman Outwit the Sophomores.

Easton, Oct. 16.—Unwritten laws of Lafayette College forbid freshmen to have their class group photographed before Thanksgiving. The sophomores are looked to for the enforcement of this edict. The present freshmen class stole a march upon the sophomores, and at the east end of Pardee Hall, before 6 o'clock yesterday morning, had the class photographed.

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A trade chance gives us an opportunity to offer these unusual bargains, which will be placed on sale to-morrow, Saturday. We guarantee every article to be perfect.

Gents' natural wool underwear, shirts and drawers, all sizes up to 48 and the ridiculous price of 39c., regularly 75c.

Ladies heavy ribbed underwear fleece lined, all sizes up to 9 at the ridiculous price of 25c., regularly 39c.

1000 yds. Outing flannel, dark colorings, at 3 1-2 c., regular price 8c yd.

20 pair 1 1-4 all wool bed blankets at $3.69 per pair, worth $5.00.

25 doz embroidered handkerchiefs at 9c each, regular price 15c.

25 doz. Gent's silk initial handkerchiefs at the ridiculous price of 12 1-2c each.

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CABINET MAY BE RECAST

It is Understood That McKenna Will Succeed Justice Field.

NEW ATTORNEY GENERAL

The President Has Not Yet Selected the New Cabinet Officers, and May Eventually Decide to Recast the Whole Slate.

Washington, Oct. 16.—No definite information is obtainable here at present as to President McKinley's intentions regarding the appointment of a new Attorney-General in case Mr. McKenna is promoted to the Supreme Court. There seems to be little doubt that the promotion has been determined upon, and, indeed, it is more than likely that Mr. McKenna was intended for the place when the Cabinet slate was arranged.

President McKinley was officially informed by Justice Field several months ago that he would retire in December, but even before March 4 the President knew unofficially that there would be a Supreme Court vacancy during the first year of his administration. It was asserted at the time of Mr. McKenna's appointment to the Cabinet that he would ultimately go upon the bench, and the programme will undoubtedly be carried out unless opposition to Mr. McKenna should cause the President to change his mind.

The California Republicans will not give Mr. McKenna united support. But it will require strong pressure to change the President's determination, and the chances are all in favor of Mr. McKenna's appointment as Justice Field's successor promptly upon the meeting of Congress.

The new Attorney-General will be named at the same time, and according to those who have talked with the President on the subject he has not yet selected the new Cabinet officer, and, indeed, has not decided whether to fill the vacancy from outside the Cabinet or to recast the whole slate.

The general opinion in Washington is that Judge Day, the First Assistant Secretary of State, will either be made Attorney-General and a new Assistant Secretary selected, or that Sherman will retire, Day be appointed to succeed him and other changes and promotions made to fit the circumstances. So far as can be learned, however, the President has no intention of asking Mr. Sherman to resign, and the Secretary said yesterday that he had never given the idea a moment's thought and that he would remain to the end.

The talk of Sherman's probable retirement and Day's promotion is due largely to the well-known intimacy between the President and Judge Day, who attends to all the important work of the State Department, receives the foreign Ministers even when the Secretary is present, and is at the White House in private consultation almost hourly day and night. If the President intends to promote the Assistant Secretary, however, he could hardly overlook Judge Richards, of Ohio, his old Attorney-General, who is the solicitor of the United States, the highest law officer of the Government next to the Attorney-General.

Judge Richards would no doubt like to be Attorney-General as well as Judge Day would like to be Secretary of State. The ambitions of both cannot be realized, however, and it is probable that the President will go outside of the Administration altogether for his new Attorney-General. In that case it is not unlikely that he will appoint Col. John J. McCook, of New York.

It is understood, however, that he will not reach a decision in the matter until he returns from the Ohio election and knows whether Hanna is to remain in power in Ohio politics and whether Greater New York is to be turned over to Tammany. The result in both Ohio and New York will have a direct influence on the President's action in reconstructing his Cabinet.

MILLION DOLLARS FOR HIS SIGHT.

Blind Millionaire Merchant Made to See by a Doctor from India.

New York, Oct. 16.—Dr. Guelph Normann, a physician from faraway India, says he will restore sight to the eyes of Charles Broadway Rouss, the multi-millionaire merchant, within four weeks. By his efforts the millionaire says he can already faintly see an object held within sixteen inches of his eyes.

The fact that Mr. Rouss offers $1,000,000 or more to be able to see as other folks do reached Dr. Normann in his home in India. He is an Englishman, but has lived in India for many years.

He is not an M. D. according to Western medical ideas, but he is skilled in arts of optical cures, which are almost as old as civilization, and the one now employed on Mr. Rouss is said to date back as far as the Vedas, the book of sacred and heroic writings, embracing the ancient philosophy of the Aryans. But Dr. Normann says he does not care for money, but will cure Mr. Rouss for the honor it will bring.

The pouring into the eyes once daily of a colorless liquid brought from India and the massaging of the eyelids and temples for ten minutes every day by the doctor himself, and then afterward by any one else, completes the treatment that Dr. Normann has come so far to give.

Already Mr. Rouss can see objects dimly, and Dr. Normann has made good his promises thus far. His promise to restore sight entirely within four weeks is doubted by many, but others believe that the doctor will do all he says he will.

For a General Strike.

London, Oct. 16.—James Keir Hardie, chairman of the Independent Labor party and editor of the Labor Leader, proposes, with a view to assisting the striking engineers, to pool all the funds of the trades unions as a fighting fund, and then proclaim a general strike, thus bringing the trade of the nation to a standstill.

Bernstein the Winner.

New York, Oct. 16.—After twenty rounds of the fastest boxing that has been witnessed in this vicinity for some time, "Joe" Bernstein, of this city, received the decision over "Billy" O'Donnell, of Memphis, last night at the Greenpoint Sporting Club. "Joe" Ward, of Brooklyn, was referee.

ALL SORTS OF REFORM.

WIDESPREAD RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED BY THE W. C. T. U.

Would Banish Beer from Ellis Island; Bar College Class Pipe; Abolish Canteen, Vitascope, Century Run, Sunday Trips

The annual State convention of the New Jersey Woman's Christian Temperance Union ended yesterday. Resolutions were adopted covering subjects discussed during the four days' sessions. They call upon the National Government to establish without further delay at Ellis Island, or other landing place for immigrants, a coffee-house or kitchen; denounce as an outrage on the practically defenceless foreigners the practice of selling beer at the immigration station, while no provision is made for supplying milk, tea or coffee, and protest against the Government granting a license for the express purpose of degrading the prospective citizens of this country.

A declaration is made in favor of pushing more vigorously the crusade against the use of cigarettes by boys and urging the enforcement of the laws against their sale to minors; "also that we present to college faculties the inconsistent practice of allowing students to smoke a class pipe in this day of intelligence and knowledge of the effects of narcotics on the bodies and minds of students."

Protest is made against the introduction of the "canteen system" into the soldiers' home at Kearney; an effort should be made to induce railroad companies to keep their stations open and well lighted at night until all trains have passed, for the protection of women who find it necessary to take late trains; the vitascope exhibitions of prize fights now being given in different parts of the State are condemned, and warfare against them is to be continued.

The eighth resolution deplores the ignominy of New Jersey being the only State in the Union in which the Governor holds a regular liquor license. This is a reference to the fact that the license for the Sea Girt camp grounds is made out in the name of Gov. Griggs as President of the State Rifle Association, which owns the clubhouse at Sea Girt.

The growing custom of bicycling for pleasure is condemned and opposition is declared to century runs and excursion trains on Sundays; military drills in the public schools, and boys' brigades in the churches are condemned, "the first as teaching a false idea of patriotism, and the second a false idea of Christian service." The gymnasium is recommended as superior to the military drill under all circumstances. The use of alcohol in medicines is condemned unqualifiedly, the loss of the woman's school suffrage amendment is deplored, and the women living in rural districts are urged to attend all school meetings and exercise all the rights and privileges now given by law. Demands are made for an equal standard of purity for men and women—"a white life for two."

The use of screens in the doors and windows of saloons is opposed, and Sunday-school teachers are urged to give some attention to the fact that their scholars patronize candy stores on Sundays.

—The catch basins and surface sewer on West Front street, near Rock avenue, are nearly completed. The ground at that point is very low and is invariably flooded in heavy rains.

—One week from tomorrow the corner stone of the new Catholic church at Roselle will be laid with imposing ceremonies. All of the Catholic Clubs in this vicinity have been invited to participate in the exercises, and a large delegation will probably go from Plainfield.

SPORTS

Sun Rises 6:12 a. m.
Sun Sets 5:19 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be lighted at 6:19 p. m.

GOSSIP FROM GRIDIRON.

HAPPENINGS AMONG THE LOCAL FOOTBALL PLAYERS.

Games That are to be Played and Points About Teams and Individual Players That May Prove Interesting to Cranks.

An exciting football game will be played this afternoon between the elevens of the Plainfield A. A. and the Long Branch A. C.

The Plainfield A. A. eleven met for practice last evening. Most of the team was out and the practice proved a lively one. The time was mostly spent in accustoming the backs to the signals for today's game with the Long Branch A. C.

The North Plainfield Junior football team defeated the Norwood Athletic Club team Thursday afternoon in an exciting game. Only one-half was played on account of an injury to one of the players, there being no substitute to take his place. The score was 4 to 0 in favor of the North Plainfield boys.

AT THE TRAPS.

An enthuaiastic shooting match was held yesterday afternoon at the Independent Club grounds at live birds and targets. The seore of live birds was as follows; Coddington, 3 Reed, 7; Goff, 8; Lister, 7; Haurand, 6; Beerbower. 5; Terry, 8 Afterwards Coddington, Reed and Beerbower shot at five birds each and killed three. The first event at targets resulted in Swody being first: Coddington and Goff, second; Lister and Haurand, third. The second event resulted in Lister being first; Swody and VanDyke, second; Haurand, third.

CYCLING COMMENT.

John Dickson left this morning with a tandem for Philadelphia, where he and a friend will enjoy the day riding about the city and suburbs.

Jay Eaton is still indoor king. He defeated Eddie Bald Thursday night in two of three heats at Atlanta, Ga. Betting was two to one and five to three on Bald.

STRIKES AND SPARES.

The bowling faction of the Plainfield Catholic Club is practicing most every night in preparation for the series of games to be played this winter in the Dioscean League.

An Old House to Be Made Up-to-Date

"Cedar Brook," the Martine homestead on Watchung avenue, is now being fitted for steam heat. When this improvement is completed the historic place will embody the building ideas of two centuries, since the house was built in the year 1707, long before steam was ever thought of even as a motive power, and its builders in their wildest flights of imagination could never have anticipated such an improvement as this.

A Teacher Resigns.

Miss Kirley, of the North Plainfield Public School, has resigned on account of continuing ill health. Her place has been supplied by Miss Mary Eby, of Marietta, Pa., who begins work Monday morning. On Monday, also, the new primary class, which goes into the German church on Craig place, is to be formed with Miss Hetfield, of Dunellen, as teacher.

—There is a large horse sale at Round Top stock farm, Bernardsville, today and a number of horsemen from this city are present.

JOE NOEL IN CUSTODY.

He Told the Story of His Escapade to the Brooklyn Police.

One week ago tonight Joseph Noel, who was at that time in the employ of S. Scheuer & Co., the West Front street grocers, departed for parts unknown, leaving his horse and wagon uncared for in the barn. He did not appear Monday morning for work, and after an examination of accounts it was discovered that there was a shortage of about $39. His whereabouts could not be learned until yesterday, when Chief Grant received word from the First Precinct Police Station of Brooklyn that Mr. Noel was in their custody. Chief Grant sent Constable Rockafellow to Brooklyn this morning and brought Noel to Plainfield for examination.

Mr. Noel was found wandering about the streets of Brooklyn, and was picked up by the police. To them he gave his full name and address and related what had led to his departure from Plainfield. It was this information that led the Brooklyn police to inform Chief Grant of their capture.

A Daily Press representative called on Mr. Schloss this morning, and enquired as to what course the firm would pursue. Mr. Schloss said that he was inclined to let Mr. Noel go, but at the same time he felt as though the man should be punished for his crime.

Noel was finally arraigned before Justice Newcorn and held for the Grand Jury. He was then committed to the county jail in default of bail.

Gave a Dime Sociable.

The Sunday-school class of Miss Ella R. Fenner gave a dime sociable at the residence of Mrs. B. M. Richards, 127 East Fifth street, last evening for the benefit of the building fund of Trinity Reformed church. The chief feature of the evening was a recitation and dialogue, entitled "A Changed Housewife," in which the principal parts were taken by Miss Martha Anthony, Miss Nettie Young, Samuel W. Fenner, Raymond Poole and Walter Emmons. After the entertainment programme, games were played and refreshments were served. During the evening those present were much annoyed by the misbehavior of a number of street urchins, who gathered about the house and hurled stones and did considerable damage to vines and flowers in the yard.

A Party of Jolly Young People.

A party of jolly young people from Springfield came to Plainfield last evening in a wagon and stopped at Stephenson's restaurant on North avenue for refreshments. In the party were the Misses Compton, Allen, Terry, Clark, King, Bock, Hillberg, Howard, and Messrs. George Gough, Paul Gough, Theodore Squier, Henry Quinzel, Harry Lyon, Frank Meizel, Charles Bock, Frank Stiles and Edward Stockle. George Parsell was the genial man who brought the party to Plainfield and took them home.

Another Batch of Contract Cases.

Murphy and Blatz have just started another batch of suits for their clients. Suits have been started as follows in Mattison's court: Plainfield Beef Company against Gilbert H. VanNest, Plainfield Beef Company against Richard Warnock, J. A. Blatz against George Rilling. The following suits were started in Justice Nash's court: Plainfield Beef Company against David S. Vail and Schwed Brothers against George Scribner.

Death of Mrs. A. E. Faber.

The death of Mrs. Alexander Faber occurred at her home, 38 Rockview avenue, this morning, from pneumonia. Mrs. Faber was an active woman in social circles and the news of her death will be received with regret by her numerous friends. Notice of funeral will be given hereafter.

T. J. Carey enjoyed a bicycle run to Lebanon, yesterday.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

[Notices under this head are published by The Daily Press free of charge, when supplied fresh each week by authority. Copy must be in hand by 10 a. m. Saturday to insure insertion, and should be supplied Friday when possible.]

St. Joseph's (R. C.) Church—Rev. William H. Miller, pastor. Masses at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school, 2:30; evening devotions, 8.

St. Mary's (R. C.) Church—Rev. P. E. Smyth, pastor. Masses at 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:30 a. m.; evening devotions at 8. Sunday-school, 2:30 p. m.

Mission Church of the Heavenly Rest, Clinton avenue, William Winans Moore and Francis Gregory Moore, lay readers—Morning service at 11 o'clock. Sunday-school at 9:45 a. m. Evening prayer at 4 o'clock.

St. Stephen's Church, Rev. S. P. Simpson, rector—Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m.; morning prayer, litany and sermon, 11; Sunday-school, 9:45 a. m.; evening prayer and sermon, 7:45.

Monroe Avenue M. E. Church, Rev. William C. O'Donnell, pastor—Preaching morning and evening by Rev. James Leggett, of Mt. Zion; Sunday-school at 3 p. m.; Epworth League, 7:15 p. m.

Trinity Reformed Church—Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph. D., pastor. Services will be held in Y. M. C. A. Hall. Divine worship and preaching by the pastor at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m. Morning subject, "The Living Water;" evening theme, "The Elements and Motives of an Earnest Life."

Reform Hall—W. H. Demaris will lead the 4:15 meeting tomorrow afternoon.

First Presbyterian Church—Rev. Chas. E. Herring, pastor. 10:30 a. m., series of sermons on "The Development of Teaching in the New Testament." 7:45 p. m., "The Two Men."

Congregational Church, Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor.—Morning service at 10:30, with address by Rev. J. C. Roberts of China. Subject, "In the Land of the Great Wall." Annual offering for foreign missions. Sunday-school at 2:45 p. m. Evening service at 7:30.

Grace Church, Rev. E. M. Rodman, rector, Rev. F. Appleton, curate—Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m.; morning prayer and sermon at 10:30; Sunday-school at 3 p. m.; evening prayer and sermon at 7:30.

W. C. T. U. Rooms, 9:15 a. m.—There will be a praise service. All are welcome.

First M. E. Church, Rev. Winfield C. Snodgrass, pastor—10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., preaching by the pastor; 2:30 p. m., Sunday-school; 6:45 p. m., Epworth League prayer meeting.

First Baptist church, Rev. D. J. Yerkes, D. D., pastor—The services for tomorrow will be as usual.

First Church of Christ—M. C. Teirs, of New York, will preach morning and evening. Morning subject, "Carnation of the Prince of Peace;" evening theme, "The Philosophy and Faith of the Gospel."

East End A. M. E. Zion Church, Fillmore avenue, Rev. C. Jackson, pastor.—Sunday-school, 11 a. m.; praise meeting, 3 p. m. preaching 8:30 p. m.

All Souls' Church, Park avenue, (Unitarian,) Rev. A. C. Nickerson, pastor—Preaching service at 10:30 a. m. by the pastor. Subject, "Man's Judgement of Himself." Sunday-school, 11:45 a. m.; Mr. Nickerson will give the second in his series of addresses on the religious teaching of Dr. James Martineau. Subject for tomorrow, "God in Humanity." All interested are cordially welcome.

Y. M. C. A.—The Wesley evangelists of New York, will conduct the meeting on Sunday at 4:15 p. m. There will be good music. All men are invited.

Church of the Redeemer, Grove street and Mercer avenue.—Morning prayer and sermon, 11:15; Sunday-school, 3 p. m.; evening prayer, 4:30. Rev. Goudmom Morris Wilkinson, of New York, will officiate.

Park Avenue Baptist Church, Rev. J. W. Richardson, pastor—The pastor will preach morning and evening. Morning theme, "How Far Good Works Influence One's Salvation;" evening, "The Stupendous Injustice of Licensing Saloons."

Grace M. E. Church, Rev. Henry J. Johnston, pastor—Preaching services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Morning subject, "Lost Influence;" evening subject "Conformed or Transformed;" Sunday-school, 2:30 p. m.; Epworth League at 7 p. m.

The Volunteers of America, Front street—Services, 11 a. m. and 3 and 8 p. m. At the 8 o'clock meeting Rev. Mr. Phelps will make an address.

Mt. Zion A. M. E. Church, Rev. James E. Grove, pastor—Quarterly meeting tomorrow. Love feast, 10:30 a. m.; preaching, 3 p. m.; preaching and Communion, by Rev. L. Sturges, 8 p. m.

Burglar Suspect Let Go.

Chief Grant was absolutely certain in his own mind that Thomas O'Toole was the man who broke into the house on West Front street, Thursday night. But there was a positive lack of evidence that would not admit the holding of the man. There was nothing with which to prove to the Grand Jury that the man had committed burglary or attempted to. The only clew was that he had a tool in his set of moulder's tools that seemed to fit in the holes made by the burglar's jimmy. O'Toole was brought before the Judge this morning and sentence was suspended. He left town at once.

Dora's Friends to Her Rescue.

With a farewell wave of the hand, the former belle of Paradise alley, Miss Dora Parsons, departed from the city jail this morning and took her way across the tracks with a rapidity that astonished the beholders. Her trial was adjourned and someone had suggested that she await trial in Elizabeth. The Judge held her under bonds which were furnished by her friends as she tripped along the tracks.

FREIGHT TRAINS IN COLLISION.

Jersey Central Engine Strikes a Reading Railroad Train.

A disastrous collision occurred on the Hackensack meadows last night. As a freight train on the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad was passing from one eastbound track to another a freight train on the Long Branch division of the Jersey Central road crashed into it.

Seven cars were wrecked and their contents strewed along the track for 500 feet. While no one was injured, the engineer of the colliding freight had an escape that was considered almost miraculous.

The accident occurred at 3 o'clock this morning near the Claremont avenue station of the Jersey Central Railroad.

Republican Primaries Monday Night.

The Republican primaries in this city, at which delegates to the county convention of the G. O. P. at Elizabeth will be elected, are to be held at the regular meeting places on Monday night instead of Tuesday night as the News stated. They are called for 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Thomas Drew, of Brooklyn, is the guest of Mrs. J. E. Townsend, of Craig place.

PARTY TO OLD SCHOOL FRIEND.

Mr and Mrs. Fred Bach Entertained Friends From Liberty Corner.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bach, of Summit avenue, gave a pleasant party to a number of their old school friends from Liberty Corner last evening. The guests came to this city in a stage and soon took merry possession of the house of their host and hostess. The time was passed pleasantly with music, singing and dancing, and refreshments were served at a late hour. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. W. King, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beekman, Miss May VanNest, Miss Luella Scomp, Miss Ida Allen, Miss Annie Allen, Miss Ella Trimmer, Miss Eliza Happe, Miss Agnes Happe, Miss Sadie Doughty, Miss Ida Doughty, Harry Acker, Wm. Acker, Samuel Boyle, John Happe, Daniel Flammer, Arthur Beekman, Bert and Alfred Duval, Bert Trimmer, David Wright and Fred Bennett, of Liberty Corner, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Winn and Miss Annie Baker, of this city.

—The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ashley Grace, of West Front street, died yesterday afternoon, and was interred this morning in the Baptist cemetery. Rev. Dr. W. R. Richards officiated at the grave.

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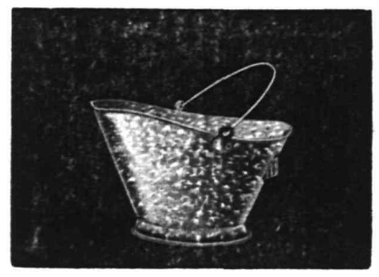

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Men's Overcoats and Ulsters	$5.50	$3.98
" " " "	8.00	5.00
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Boys' Overcoats and Ulsters	4 50	2.75
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Children's Knee Pants	150	1.00
" " "	1.00	.60
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Children's Overcoats	4 50	2.18
" "	3.25	1.98

	Were	Now
Children's Overcoats	6.00	3.98
Children's Suits	4.00	2.98
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" "	2.75	.98
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Men's Pants	1.75	.98
" "	2.75	1.12
" "	1.50	1.00
" "	1 37	.75
" "	2.50	1.48

	Were	Now
Men's Suits	9.50	5.48
" "	8.00	3.80
" "	9.00	6.98
" "	8.00	5.00
" "	5.50	2.98
Men's Working Shirts	.50	.29
" Shirts and Drawers	.50	.39
" Neckwear	.50	.39
" Sweaters	.50	.18
Men's Derby Hats (large assortment)	2.00	1.30
" " "	3.00	1.90
" " " (a large assortment)	1.50	1.00
Soft Hats		38c up
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GAME WITHOUT A GOAL.

Hard Fought Football Game With Zero Score for Both.

BOTH TEAMS WERE EVENLY MATCHED

The Contest Witnessed by a Big Crowd of Enthusiasts—Average Weight of Visitors Was More Than That of the Plainfield Team—The Latter Team Played a Far Better Game Together, Though—Line Up.

It would be difficult to find two more evenly matched teams than those of the Plainfield Athletic Association and the Long Branch Athletic Club that lined up on Martine's common Saturday afternoon before several hundred football enthusiasts. After a hard-fought, clean game of two twenty-minute halves, neither side was able to carry the ball across the goal line of their oppenents and the score stood 0 to 0. It was altogether one of the best football games that has ever been played in this city.

The eleven of the Long Branch Athletic Club were far different from the team that lined up against the Plainfield boys the week before. The team was composed of men who averaged five or ten pounds more per man than the Plainfield players. They understood the game thoroughly and played from start to finish with a vim and earnestness that greatly pleased the crowd. Then there was an absence of fooling that made a far different impression from that of the Murray Hills. The visitors came straight to the field, acquitted themselves like men and returned without attempting to own the town or any portion of it. They were altogether very satisfactory to all concerned.

While the visitors had the advantage of weight, the local team had had more practice and played better together. Both sides fumbled considerably in the first half, but as the excitement grew they both improved. Both sides were handicapped by the loss of several of their regular team, but the contest was an even one and the ball moved up and down the field threatening but never crossing the line. Most of the fight was in Long Branch's territory, and what advantage there was the Plainfield boys seemed to have.

At the start the teams lined up as follows:

Plainfield A. A.		Long Branch.
Serrell	right end	Hunt
Hallock	right tackle	Lynch
Brown	right guard	Meyer
Cuming	centre	Nicholas
Huntington	left guard	John Hennessey
Lovell	left tackle	Brittin
Rider	left end	Wood
Phillips	quarterback	Slocum
Freeman	right halfback	Beale
Cathcart	left halfback	Price
Darling	fullback	Jas. Hennessey

Score—Plainfield A. A., 0; Long Branch A. C., 0. Touchdowns—0 Goals—0. Referee—A. B. Meredith, of Plainfield. Umpire—Marion S. Ackerman, of Plainfield. Timekeeper—Nathan Titsworth, of Plainfield. Linesmen—A. Willis West and Laurens H. VanBuren, of Plainfield.

Long Branch had the kick off and the ball went to Lovell who fumbled and a Long Rranch forward fell on the ball. The ball soon changed hands on a fumble and then Freeman and Cathcart were each sent around the opposite ends for twenty yards. In each case they passed all their opponents but the full back who stopped them. Long Branch recovered the ball on her twenty-five yard line and after three unsuccessful attempts to gain Hennessey kicked out of bounds and Beal fell on the ball which Rider missed.

The visitors were again unsuccessful in their attempts to break through the Plainfield line and Plainfield took the ball on four downs. Darling kicked to Hennessey who fumbled and Cuming fell on the ball at the twenty yard line. Four failures to gain gave the ball to the visitors but they lost it soon after when Hallock broke through the line and fell on the ball. Then the Plainfield backs were sent through tackle for small gains and hammered the opposing line terribly. Gradually the ball was carried toward Long Branch's goal. Darling bucked the line for repeated gains but in one attempt he was temporarily disabled and McClure took his place. Cathcart went through tackle for a gain of two yards and then time was called with the ball on Long Branch's three yard line. Score, Plainfield, 0; Long Branch, 0.

In the second half, Lovell and Hallock changed positions and Smith took Darling's place at fullback. The Plainfield backs had continued to hammer at the left-tackle until the Long Branch man had to have the quarterback and one of the halfbacks to support him.

Plainfield had the kick-off. Long Branch then began to force the ball into Plainfield's territory and passed the centre only to lose the ball on four downs. Lovell dropped back and punted to Long Branch's twenty-yard line. Hennessey fumbled and was thrown by Serrell. Rider missed his chance to fall on the ball and Beal fell on it. Then the ball continued to move up and down between centre

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FOOTPADS WERE FOILED.

AN ATTEMPT TO HOLDUP YOUNG PEOPLE IN CITY LIMITS.

Frank Nelson and a Party of New Market Friends Accosted by Bold and Bad Looking Men—Whipped Horse and Escaped.

Another holdup was reported to the Plainfield police from the Netherwood district. Luckily, the schemes of the would-be highwaymen were foiled by the quickness of their intended victim.

Frank Nelson and another young man from New Market with two young ladies, were out riding last evening in a two seated phaeton. They came to this city and drove out along the county road. It was nearly 9 o'clock as they approached Netherwood station on the return. The night was a dark one, broken only by the light of the electric lamps along South avenue. The horse had just walked up the hill to Netherwood and the occupants had thrown aside any thoughts of a holdup that they might of entertained.

Right by the station on South avenue the tracks of the Plainfield street railway begin. Several large evergreen trees are grouped in the Park in front of the station at that point. There was no car in sight when the carriage load of young people approached the spot. Nelson was driving. The horse started off on a trot, when suddenly, without warning, a short, stout man, whose face was hidden by a black slouch hat, sprang out of the bushes and seized the horse by the bridle.

"Hold on there," he said in a gruff tone, and another figure appeared from the darkness behind the evergreen trees. The electric light nearby was shining brightly, but the hat and the shadow from the horse made it impossible for Nelson to see who the man was.

As the man spoke, Nelson seized the whip and brought it down on the horse's back with a resounding whack. The horse sprang forward and the stranger, taken unawares, released his hold on the bridle and fell backward to escape the carriage wheels.

The horse dashed down the hill and carried the excited party to Plainfield. The matter was reported to Sergeant Kiely and he and Roundsman Flynn accompanied the young men to the scene of their escape, but no trace could be found of the highwaymen. Patrolman Saffron was on duty at Netherwood at the time of the holdup, but was covering that part of his beat that lies away from the station.

LAND OF THE GREAT WALL.

A MISSION TALK ABOUT CHINA.

Foreign Missionary Sunday at Congregational Church Marked by Appropriate Services.

Yesterday was Foreign Missionary Sunday at the Congregational church. In the morning came the annual collection for foreign missions and an address by Rev. John C. Roberts, of China, on "In the Land of the Great Wall." He told in an interesting manner something of the peculiarities of the Chinese and then talked on the history of the Great Wall and ancient China. He told about his experiences in the vicinity of that Wall and how a missionary lived and what strange ideas the Chinese had of his home. He had a bright humorous way of telling about his trials in that country that was very entertaining but still his audience was able to see that he had passed through many hardships in his work for Christ in that foreign land.

In the evening, he addressed the Christian Endeavor Society on "Haps and Mishaps of a Yankee in China." He first told something of the strange customs in vogue there and the funny ways that the visitors had to remember or offend their hosts. He told of his own exciting experiences travelling through the country before he had learned the language and gave an interesting description of the crude methods of conveyance there. Rev. Mr. Roberts was in China during the time of the China-Japanese war and he told of some of the thrilling experiences he had to pass through during that time. The lecture room, where the service was held, was crowded and all listened with interest to the very able address.

Cases of D. and D

Besides Wallace and his friends there were several other offenders to come before the City Judge this morning. George Monckton was arraigned for being drunk and disorderly. Sentence was suspended. The same charge was made against James Emmons and sentence was suspended on him. Charles Cashin was drunk, was thrown out of a saloon and fell over a baby carriage. He was fined $3. Patrolman Cash arrested him.

Lawyer William Newcorn and Councilman Westphal are in Trenton today on business.

THE SOMERSET DEMOCRATS ENDORSE BRYANISM

Lively Fight in the Convention Today—Somerville Gold Men Are Unseated in Favor of Bryanites.

(By a member of the staff.)

Somerville, N. J., October 18th.—Alas and alack for all the trustful hopes of harmony and unification in the disordered ranks of the Somerset Democracy of a year ago, the silver and gold issue has loomed up ominously in the gathering of the clans at the county convention in session in Somerset Hall here today. And in truth the discordance does not bide well for the peaceful serenity that was hoped would prevail for the ultimate success of the candidates to be put to the fore in opposition to the G. O. P. standard bearers.

But a cursory view of the disposition of the delegates seems to indicate that devotion to Bryan and what he stands for is still the paramount consideration among the majority. Precedent has established the rule that county conventions should endorse National platforms. And to be in entire accord with the eternal fitness of things the sentiment of the congregated hosts seems to argue that though the party ranks were cut asunder last year, the breach—though inoculated with defeat—shall not be healed at the cost of ignoring the principles for which the majority of delegates fought for a year ago.

But to the story as it is.

The convention was called to order in Somerset hall shortly after 10 o'clock by William J. Logan, of Bridgewater, chairman of the county executive committee.

Dr. S. O. B. Taylor, of Millstone, was made temporary chairman, and Lewis S. DeFour, of Franklin, temporary secretary.

The North Plainfield borough delegates are George W. Bird, W. J. Conroy, John Emmons and William N. Pangborn—the latter serving as a proxy for A. E. Kenney. At the opening of the convention, however, Chas. Lyman was Mr. Kenney's proxy, but he was unexpectedly called away and he has relinquished the honor in favor of Mr. Pangborn. Mr. Lymar, as will be seen by subsequent events, plays a stellar part in the day's procedings.

North Plainfield township is represented by William Demler and Theodore Bartel.

The committee appointments fell to the Plafnfielders as follows: Organization, Mr. Bird; resolutions, Mr. Lyman; credentials, Mr. Conroy; rules, Mr. Emmons.

The appointment of the committees ended the preliminary organization and an adjournment was taken till 1:30 o'clock.

Soon after the adjournment the committee on resolutions met to consider what should be enunciated as the sense of the party assembled in county convention. With this committee, of course, lays the power to determine, to a large degree, the stand that the convention will take towards the gold and silver question—whether Bryan and his ideas shall be endorsed enthusiastically or whether the Chicago platform and candidates shall be passed over in silence.

In the committee meetings it was found that the delegates were in favor of endorsing the Chicago platform and candidates in words that would leave no doubt about the sincerity of continued adherance to the tenets fought for a year ago. Such a set of resolutions were drawn up and presented for approval.

Every member of the committe, except Mr. Lyman, approved of them. Mr. Lyman, though a year ago one of the most ardent Bryanites in Somerset county, dissented—just for what reason is not known. He wanted a set of resolutions adopted in which no reference was to be made to the question which disrupted and scattered the forces of the party a year ago. He could not be prevailed on to accept the resolutions of the majority and announced his intention to present a

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WHIRLIGIG OF POLITICS IN UNION AND MIDDLESEX.

In Union Rival Candidates are Urging Recognition—In Middlesex the Republican Factional Fight Said to Have Been Settled.

Democratic primaries were held Friday night throughout Union county, and now speculation is rife as to who will be the nominees, says the World. The convention has been called for tomorrow afternoon at Turn Hall, Elizabeth.

Former County Clerk Crowell, of Rahway, seems to have the call for the Surrogate nomination, but it is possible that a dark horse may be sprung on the convention. Mr. Crowell will have the solid support of the Rahway delegation, but those from Elizabeth are unpledged, and whatever way they vote will tell the story.

There are likely to be two contesting delegations from the Eleventh ward, Elizabeth, where the young Democracy beat the old-timers at the primary. The losers are angry, and claim the primary was not fairly held. They threaten to carry the fight to the convention.

The candidates so far in the field for Assembly are from Elizabeth Lawyer Samuel Schleimer, Benjamin L. Lawrence, School Commissioner William D. Wolfskiel, who is also a member of the State committee; Alderman John J. Gardner, Freeholder William H. Swain, of Summit, and Freeholder John Isenman, of Cranford

The indications are that the ticket will be Swain, Lawrence and Wolfskiel.

The only thing that is absolutely certain in Union county politics is that Surrogate George T. Parrot will be renominated for a third term by the Republican covention, Thursday, and the problem how to defeat him is a pretty hard one for the Democrats, as Surrogate Parrot is one of the most popular Republicans in the county.

Who the Republican Assembly nominees will be is a matter for conjecture, although it is on the cards to have Roger Murray, of Plainfield, as one, Former Freeholder Robert Houston, of Elizabethport, as another, while the question is whether J. Martin Roll, the trolley king, will be able to secure a nomination for a third term.

There is strong opposition to Mr. Roll on account of his fondness for championing the cause of corporations, and it is said that an effort will be made to defeat him at the convention.

Jas. Ferguson, of Cranford; Former Alderman George A. Squire and Alderman Patterson, of Elizabeth, are all spoken of as candidates against the trolley king.

After a year of bitter factional fighting, the outcome of the unfortunate defeat in the Shrievalty contest in Middlesex county last fall, the leaders of the Republican party in that county have apparently buried the hatchet and got together for the purpose of waging a successful campaign this year. The unifying and harmonizing force in accomplishing this result has been Benjamin F. Howell, the present representive from the Third district of New Jersey.

The several factions in the Republican party were fighting bitterly for the ascendancy less than a week ago. As the primaries approached the fight was waged even more vigorously, until it looked as though the factional discord would rend the party asunder and give the Democrats a walkover. Much of the bitterness engendered was due to the prominent part taken in the local political affairs by Robert Carson, of New Brunswick. Because of his connection with the unfortunate nomination and subsequent defeat of Andrew S. Church for Sheriff, he was looked upon as a disturbing element in the party by many of the lesser political lights throughout the county.

It was realized that with the forces of the party divided all ideas of success at the polls must be abandoned unless something could be done to harmonize the various factions. Representative Howell undertook this task. He called a conference of the several leaders, and after mutual concessions, it was agreed that all would be subject to his wishes, and he would practically become the head of the party. Every leader of any account agreed to the new order of things except Theodore Strong. For some reason he was not disposed to accept the offers of peace and harmony, and now he stands outside the breastworks He is far from being repentant, however, if reports be true, for it is alleged that he has threatened to stir up strife anew.

The slate, as prepared at the conference, is that the nomination for State Senator shall go to Frank H. Pownall, of Jamesburg, a member of the County Board of Freeholders, and at one time the director of the board. The Surrogate will be Edward W. Hicks, of New Brunswick, who served two terms very acceptably in the Assembly. The three Assemblymen, A. C. Litterest, of Menlo Park; J. H. Whitfield, of New Brunswick and James Fountain, of Old Bridge, will be renominated.

PASTOR FELL IN A FAINT

REV. J. W. RICHARDSON STRICKEN WHILE PREACHING A SERMON.

Stopped in the Middle of a Sentence and Was Unable to Finish—Staggered From the Pulpit to Fall Unconscious in Hall.

The evening service at the Park Avenue church ended unexpectedly last evening. The regular opening exercises were conducted by Rev. J. W. Richardson, the pastor, as usual, and then he began on his sermon, "The Stupendous Injustice of Licensing Saloons." The subject was one in which he was greatly interested and he had prepared a powerful sermon. He had preached about a third of it when he suddenly swayed in the pulpit and had to catch hold of it for support. After repeating a few more phrases, he told the congregation that they would have to leave as he was ill.

He then began to sway to and fro, but with great effort he walked from the pulpit platform through a side door to the hall which leads to his study. He had scarcely reached the hall when he fell to the floor in a dead faint. In the meantime Deacon Haynes and Theodore Runyon hastened to the hallway and found Pastor Richardson lying on the floor. Sexton Edward Brokaw secured a pitcher of water, which was used, and Dr. Berg was sent for at once. When he arrived Mr. Richardson was just coming too and was very weak. The doctor prescribed for him, after which he was carried to his home in a chair.

All day yesterday Mr. Richardson suffered intensely from a headache and during the afternon he took two powders to relieve the pain. In the opinion of the doctor the two powders were too much for him and they affected his stomach as well as his head. This morning Dr. Richardson is feeling much better and he will probably be out very soon He is very nervous generally and the death of his wife's sister, which occurred about a week ago, no doubt has had something to do with this spell.

The congregation was large last evening and all were much interested in the discourse. It was about 8:30 when the audience was dismissed.

WESTFIELD FACTIONS WAR.

THE POSTMASTERSHIP CHANCES.

A. C. Fitch and L. M. Whitaker the Contestants—Leader Codding Remains Neutral.

The clouds of war are lowering ominously over the G. O. P. camp in Westfield, and the factions are preparing for a fight to the finish at the primary tonight. The struggle for the postmastership is at the bottom of the trouble, and the result of the primary will be regarded as pretty conclusive evidence of the strength of the rival candidates, Assistant Postmaster A. C. Fitch and ex Postmaster L. M. Whitaker.

Shortly after the Presidential election last fall Mr. Fitch announced that he was a candidate for the postmastership, and a petition favoring his aspirations was circulated among the voters. The plans of Mr. Fitch had not progressed far, however, before it was evident that he had a rival for the place in Mr. Whitaker, who is a machine man and a lieutenant of Former Assemblyman Charles N. Codding. Mr. Fitch's friends, after securing a majority of the Republican voters of the town as signers to his petition, went to Mr. Codding and asked for his endorsement. The former Assemblyman refused this, stating that he would remain neutral in the matter. This action of Mr. Codding has placed the Fitch men on their mettle, and they will make a fight tonight to defeat Mr. Whitaker's aspirations for a place upon the county executive committee. The candidate whom they will run in opposition is James A. Simpson. Mr. Codding's name is on both tickets, and his election to the committee is, therefore, assured.

The result of the fight between the Fitch men and the Whitaker men remains very much in doubt, as the machine which Mr. Whitaker represents was turned down by the Republican voters at the town election last spring. Mr. Fitch's friends will also make a fight for members of the township executive committee.

A Piano Forte Recital.

William K. Bassfort, of New York, who stands very high in musical circles in this country, will give a piano forte recital at the New Jersey Military Academy on Prospect place, Thursday evening, October 21st. Those who will be given an opportunity to hear this celebrated musician will certainly enjoy a rare treat.

—In front of Mr. Kurzhal's barber shop, West Second street, a manhole is so far above the street level as to be dangerous both to horses and to bicycles. It should be lowered.

DROVE A RECKLESS PACE

Drunken Escapade of a Trio Secures a Long Sentence.

LARRY WALLACE THE CHIEF CULPRIT.

Took Possession of a Horse and Buggy and With Two Companions Lashed the Steed Into a Frantic Gallop on a Crowded Thoroughfare—Collision and Arrest Followed—Sentenced By Judge DeMeza.

A single horse, attached to a buggy, which contained three men, came down West Front street on a dead gallop Saturday night Pedestrians who happened to be crossing the street, scattered in every direction. Women screamed and men rushed at the horse to try to stop it.

The men in the buggy were Lawrence Wallace, Joseph Doyle and George Shea, of Scotch Plains. Wallace is a notorious character.

Fred Brittlestratter, of Cushing road, had driven up to the North Avenue station with his horse and buggy. There were four cases of beer in the buggy. While Brittlestratter was away from the rig, Wallace and his comrades came along, all having already partaken of the wicked "Jersey lightning," took possession of the rig and drove away. Brittlestratter claims that they did not have his permission. They had driven around town, sampled some of the beer and came down Front street with the horse at full speed.

There were many bicycles and wagons on the street as the horse came galloping along but they managed to evade the flying horse and buggy which cleared the car tracks and started up West Front street. John Utzinger's wagon stood in front of J. A. Smith's grocery with the little son of Mr. Utzinger sitting on the front seat. The two vehicles came together with a terrible crash, upsetting Utzinger's rig on the sidewalk. The lad escaped injury.

Chief Grant and Patrolman Cash were standing in the crowd close by and they sprang to the fore. Grant took the horse by the head while Cash started for the occupants of the buggy. Doyle jumped out and began inquiring as to the cause of the trouble when he saw the officer and fled through the crowd.

Meanwhile the crowd had gathered and completely blocked the street. Shea was intoxicated but reached the ground and gave himself up to Chief Grant. Wallace refused to get out. Cash ordered and threatened him, but in vain. The crowd looked on and laughed. Then Patrolman Saunders pushed his way through the crowd and ordered Wallace to get out. When he refused the long arms of the colored officer reached forward and lifted Wallace out of the buggy as if he had been a child. Then Wallace was started on his way to the lockup. At Park avenue and Second street he refused to walk. Saunders secured a good grip on his collar and the seat of his trousers and with the assistance of Patrolman Myers carried him along. The position was uncomfortable for the prisoner and he finally agreed to walk.

Doyle was arrested later in the evening by Patrolman Myers and locked up with the other two.

This morning the three men were arraigned before City Judge DeMeza on the charge of being drunk and disorderly and for reckless driving. They pleaded guilty and the Judge sentenced them to pay a fine of $100 and go to jail for 90 days

With a smile on his face Wallace heard his sentence and sarcastically thanked the Judge. He bowed a smiling farewell to the reporters and went back to his cell while his old gray-haired mother also ironically thanked the Judge in her shrill, penetrating voice. Then she went to say good bye to her boy. The other two prisoners looked worried.

Delegate to World's Convention.

Miss Mary E. Green, of Honolulu, who has been visiting Mrs. Penfield and Mrs. Struthers, left this city this morning, en route for Toronto, Canada as a delegate to the World's W. C. T. Union convention as a representative of the Hawaiian Islands W. C. T. Union. She is the daughter of a missionary native, and in full command of the language of the Islands.

A Successful Closing.

The fair at the German Reformed church closed Saturday night with an auction when everything was disposed of at good prices. The attendance was large and the receipts will no doubt be gratifying to the women of the church who arranged the event.

A New Firm.

Eli Odam, of North avenue, has disposed of his cigar business to Thomas Timbo and Irving Neighbor, who will conduct the same in a first-class manner.

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BIG DISASTER AT SEA

Ship Transporting Spanish Soldiers and Civilians Lost.

TWO HUNDRED DROWNED

Wrecked Off the Northern Coast of Cuba During a Violent Storm, and Torn to Pieces Eight Miles from Shore—Only Two Men Escape.

Havana, Oct. 18.—It is believed that nearly two hundred persons perished in the coasting steamer Triton, from Havana to Bahia Honda, Province of Pinar del Rio. The vessel went ashore Saturday morning during heavy weather, grounding about eight miles from the coast.

The purser and one of the passengers have arrived at Madrid. They say they have no knowledge regarding the fate of the captain, the passengers, composed of soldiers and civilians, and the thirty members of the crew of the Triton. The missing passengers include several well-known merchants.

The Spanish gunboat Maria Cristina and the tug Louise have left this port for the scene of the wreck.

It is stated upon inquiry that the Triton had on board two hundred passengers, and it is feared that they have all perished, in addition to the thirty composing the steamer's crew.

No details of the wreck, however, have yet been received here.

Owing to the heavy sea that was running, the gunboat Cristina found it impossible to reach the scene of the disaster until night. Among those who were lost were two navy and two army officers, a commissary official and seventy-seven privates. On board the Triton was $31,660 in silver, to be used for the payment of the Spanish military and naval forces. The Triton, it is stated, was overloaded. She carried a large quantity of groceries and ammunition, and had on board ninety-three rifles for the Government troops.

Madrid, Oct. 18.—A dispatch to the Imparcial from Havana gives some further details of the loss of the coasting steamer Triton, which was wrecked yesterday.

The Triton sailed from Havana on Friday night, having on board, in addition to 100 civilian passengers, several military officers and seventy soldiers. She carried as cargo a large quantity of arms and ammunition for the troops in Pinar del Rio, and she also had on board $30,000 in cash.

It is thought that the disaster was due to the steamer being overloaded, or to her cargo shifting, which caused her to capsize, for although the weather was stormy, it was not bad enough to wreck such a vessel as the Triton. Prior to starting on the voyage the weather was threatening, and the captain of the steamer visited the Jesuit observatory, where he was assured that he would run no risk in leaving port in face of the approaching storm.

Of all those on board the steamer, passengers and crew, only two are known to have escaped. These are Julian Alonso, the purser, and Daniel Martinez, a merchant, but it is hoped that the gunboat Maria Christina and the lifeboats which were sent to the vicinity of the wreck have found some survivors.

HANDLING OF THE MAILS.

Report of the Second Assistant Postmaster-General.

Washington, Oct. 18.—A mass of interesting information concerning the handling of matter is contained in the annual report of W. S. Shallenberger, the Second Assistant Postmaster-General, just submitted to Postmaster-General Wilson. It is shown by the report that the total annual inland mail service has increased to 420,850,479 miles traveled, at a cost of 11.84 cents a mile, or an annual expenditure of $49,862,074. The foreign mail service cost $1,791,170 additional. The 21,517 star routes have an aggregate length of 265,598 miles, mail messenger routes 173,475 miles, and railway Postoffice car routes 39,493 miles. These are the three principal services. There was considerable reduction in the cost of transmitting the mails during the year, but the star services was increased 5,330,749 miles.

Contracts have been made by the Postoffice Department for extending the pneumatic tube service, which was successfully tried in New York City this month, in Philadelphia, New York, Brooklyn and Boston. Each carrier tube will have a capacity of 600 letters, and when the service has been extended it will be possible to transmit through the tubes in all places 360,000 letters an hour.

$300,000 Fire in New York.

New York, Oct. 18.—The big seven-story warehouse at the northeast corner of Hudson and Spring streets, was destroyed by fire yesterday. As nearly as the damage can be estimated it will aggregate about three hundred thousand dollars, $150,000 by the destruction of the building, and the same amount by the loss of the stock.

The building has a frontage of sixty feet on Hudson street and 160 feet on Spring street. J. Fitzpatrick & Co., importers of French plate and colored glass, occupied the Hudson street front of the ground floor and the whole second floor. The remaining space was occupied by the Bradley & Currier Company, dealers in mantels, woodwork, etc., which owns the building.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

The Boston (Mass.) registration shows 95,324 qualified voters, or 882 less than that of the registration for 1896.

Little George Carr, only 7 years old, was found unconscious in the street in New York, suffering from the effect of intoxicants.

William J. Bryan has made a gift of money to Ewing College to establish a prize for the best essay on the science of government.

The combination of flour mills at the head of the Great Lakes has been revived, the intention being to operate them all with one manager.

Unknown assassins, supposed to be moonshiners, in Allegheny County, N. C., murdered John Kennedy in his house, afterwards setting it on fire.

Mrs. Langtry's husband died last Saturday in an insane asylum while she was celebrating with a convivial party her winning of $200,000 on a horse race.

POLITICS IN NEW YORK

Two Weeks of Fight Yet and It Is Anyone's Victory.

TAMMANY IN THE LEAD

However, the George Democrats May Yet Ruin Tammany's Chance of Victory—Independent Vote Likely to Resent McKinley's Interference.

New York, Oct. 18.—Only two weeks remain before election day, yet there is no certainty as to the result of the Greater New York election. The general opinion slightly favors Van Wyck because the Democrats have a normal majority in the city, and because the Tammany leaders, active under Croker's orders, have been insisting that there can be no doubt of Van Wyck's success.

The Tammany campaign has only just begun, and that of Henry George did not begin until Saturday night, when he made two speeches in the Harlem district. Tammany's chance of victory may yet be ruined for her by the George Democrats.

Tracy and Low are fighting desperately for the anti-Tammany vote. Mr. Low's campaign is now in McCook's competent hands, and he himself is working hard to win.

His managers estimate that he will get more than half the regular Republican vote in New York County, and more than half in Kings County. What with the Germans and the independents who are supporting him, they believe he can win should the Democratic vote be divided by George and Dayton in their campaign against Croker.

The Republicans, while claiming everything, are by no means so certain as they would like to be. This is shown by the appeals which they have made to Washington and to Albany for help, and also by the fact that within a few days they have sought to bring about union with Low as the candidate for Mayor and the rest of the ticket Platt-Republicans. The Citizens' Union would not consent.

Secretary of the Interior Bliss, who was in the city Saturday to register, called at Republican headquarters and talked with Chairman Quigg. He scoffed at the idea that there could be any reason to resent the interference of the Administration in the fight, saying that the contest was of national importance, and that the party leaders were deeply interested in it.

Secretary Bliss unquestionably voices the sentiments of President McKinley, and the Republicans are making the most of it.

"The question is," said Mr. Bliss: "Shall the verdict of last Fall be sustained, or shall the forces of repudiation and disorder triumph? There is but one thing for Republicans to do, and that is to vote for Tracy."

The independent vote, however, is likely to resent forcibly the interference of the Administration. Many Republicans are also angry with Gov. Black for promising to speak in New York, and threats are freely made to oppose his renomination next year.

There are indications of a party split which will extend through the State as soon as the election is over, if it shall appear that Tracy's candidacy defeated Low.

The surprisingly heavy registration of Saturday, greater than that of the third of last year, is regarded as favorable to Low and George. The machines always get their full vote registered, and all the votes over and above the normal machine strength this year are likely to be cast against the straight party candidates.

Women are taking an active interest in the campaign, and various organizations are working for Low, Tracy and George. Van Wyck and Tammany do not find favor with them, apparently, for they have no organized support among them.

Archbishop Corrigan has issued a letter to the Catholic clergy of this archdiocese, which was read in the churches yesterday. A recent circular was sent broadcast through New York, intimating that the Pope had instructed the hierarchy to support certain candidates in the struggle for the Mayoralty. The Archbishop says:

"Danger to the Republic can never come from Catholics while they remain faithful to their religion, which, in the language of St. Paul, teaches obedience to constituted authorities. The signs of the times show danger signals in the fast-rising flood of Socialism and Anarchy, and thinking men the world over find the greatest bulwark against these dangers in the conservative principles and doctrines of the Catholic Church."

E. B. Talcott seems to have an unlimited amount of capital on hand to place on the result of the election, and he is accepting everything that comes his way on Van Wyck. He has announced that he has $100,000 to wager for a customer at odds of 2 to 1 on Van Wyck. One of his bets was that of $3,000 to $1,000 that Low would not be elected.

Judging from the manner in which the wagers are going on the Stock Exchange floor, Tracy and George are regarded as being entirely out of the race. W. B. Oliver offered to bet $500 that Low would beat Tracy, but could find no takers. David Johnson wagered $100 against $60 with Thomas Thorne on Van Wyck's success. Mr. Thorne accepted $500 at these odds. M. C. Bouvier offered $100 to $500 against Tracy, but found no one to accept the proposition. J. Edgar Graff & Co. wagered $5,000 to $3,000 that Van Wyck would be elected Mayor. They have $30,000 to wager on Van Wyck at 10 to 7

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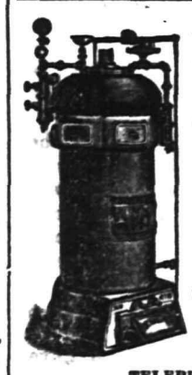

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The juniors of Leal's school entertained about twenty-five friends in a pleasant manner Friday afternoon in the school building.

Those who believe chronic diarrhœa to be incurable should read what Mr. P. E. Grisham, of Gaars Mills, La., has to say on the subject, viz.: "I have been a sufferer from chronic diarrhœa ever since the war and have tried all kinds of medicines for it. At last I found a remedy that effected a cure and that was Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy." This medicine can always be depended upon for colic, cholera morbus, dysentery and diarrhœa. It is pleasant to take and never fails to affect a cure. 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Priscilla Beatrice Emmons, of Prospect place, has gone to Long Branch to spend a few days with her aunt.

Croup Quickly Cured.

MOUNTAIN GLEN, Ark.—Our children were suffering with croup when we received a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It afforded almost instant relief.—F. A. Thornton. This celebrated remedy is for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Miss Emma Oakley, of Rutherford, is a guest of Miss Delphine Bowers, of Franklin place.

A pain in the chest is nature's warning that pneumonia is threatened. Dampen a piece of flannel with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bind over the seat of pain, and another on the back between the shoulders, and prompt relief will follow. Sold by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Miss Angie Kuhl and Miss Mary Poole, of Somerville, have been visiting Plainfield friends.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by L. W. Randolph.

Benjamin Strong and family, of Norwood avenue, have gone to New York to spend the winter.

The Grandest Remedy.

Mr. R. B. Greeve, merchant, of Chilhowie, Va., certifies that he had consumption, was given up to die, sought all medical treatment that money could procure, tried all cough remedies he could hear of, but got no relief; spent many nights sitting up in a chair; was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery, and was cured by use of two bottles. For past three years has been attending to business, and says Dr. King's New Discovery is the grandest remedy ever made, as it has done so much for him and also for others in his community. Dr. King's New Discovery is guaranteed for Coughs, Colds and Consumption. It don't fail. Trial bottles free at L. W. Randolph's drug store. Regular size 50 cents and $1.00.

—Mrs. Henry VanMiddlesworth, of 515 West Front street, has been elected president of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Christian church, Grove street.

Something to Know.

It may be worth something to know that the very best medicine for restoring the tired out nervous system to a healthy vigor is Electric Bitters. This medicine is purely vegetable, acts by giving tone to the nerve centres in the stomach, gently stimulates the Liver and Kidneys, and aids these organs in throwing off impurities in the blood. Electric Bitters improves the appetite, aids digestion, and is pronounced by those who have tried it as the very best blood purifier and nerve tonic. Try it. Sold for 50c or $1.00 per bottle at L. W. Randolph's Drug Store.

CHARLES A. DANA DEAD.

Editor of the Sun Dies in His Long Island Home.

New York, Oct. 18.—Charles A. Dana, editor of the Sun, died at 1.20 o'clock yesterday afternoon at his home near Glen Cove, L. I. His death had been expected from last Thursday, when heart failure added itself to the ailments which had kept him from his office and from all work since June 9. His family had spent the Summer in the island home, Dosoris, largely that they might be near him in his illness.

Mr. Dana, from the June day when he bade farewell to some of his associates on the Sun, never had hope that he would return to the office. He severed that day all connection he had with any duty and prepared himself for the end. His complaint was a wasting away, and there was to him an acute realization that he had entered the twilight and that beyond the narrowing horizon was the night.

Only his family and the dearest of friends were admitted to see him. He had cut himself off from the world, and apparently cared little, if at all, for it. He saw no newspapers and asked for none. He was waiting, and he suffered while he waited.

On Thursday night he had an attack of heart failure, and his family was summoned to his bedside. He rallied a little, but on Friday still was weak. On Saturday he continued to sink, and about noon he asked to be carried through his house that he might look again upon the rooms, every one of which, in design or adornment, recalled something he had learned or purchased in his travels through many lands.

Yesterday morning his death was expected momentarily. Mrs. Dana, his son Paul and his daughters, Mrs. Draper, Mrs. Underhill and Mrs. Branpan, were with him. He awakened from a stupor about 1 o'clock, seemd to recognize his family, though he did not speak, and then closed his eyes forever. At 1.20 he died.

Mr. Dana was born in Hinsdale, New Hampshire, and was 76 years of age. The funeral will be held in Glen Cove next Wednesday.

With the life that has gone out there has passed away the last of that quartet of American editors who builded into their papers their own personality: The elder Bennett, the thunderous Greeley, the polished Raymond and now, the greatest of them all—Dana. Almost ten years more than the three score and ten allotted to men did this man live, and the last ten years were the fullest and most active of them all. He had been editor of the Sun since 1868.

WINDSOR, N. S., WIPED OUT.

Four Hundred Houses Burned and 2,500 Persons Made Homeless.

Halifax, Oct. 18.—The town of Windsor, the birthplace of Haliburton (Sam Slick), was wiped out by fire yesterday. Four hundred houses were burned and 2,500 people rendered homeless. The day was bitterly cold and a high wind was raging. Some drunken roughs are said to have caused the fire, which originated in a barn in the northern part of the town and swept over an area one mile long by a half mile wide. The flames spread with intense rapidity, so that many were glad to abandon everything to the devouring element and escape to the fields with their lives.

On the first news of the great loss Mayor Stephen, of Halifax, communicated with the general commanding the forces at Halifax, and by their joint cooperation a heavy provision train was made up and 150 soldiers went to Windsor.

At this time the destitute have been housed and provided for. The loss is about $1,500,000.

INDIANA MINERS WANT MORE PAY.

Business Is So Brisk They Are Asking for Four Cents More a Ton.

Terre Haute, Ind., Oct. 18.—The Indiana miners want some of the advance in the selling price of coal. The block coal men, 4,000 strong, have asked for four cents more a ton than they accepted at the end of the strike. The operators are to give an answer tomorrow, and if the block men receive the advance the 6,000 bituminous miners will ask for a like advance. The Indiana operators refused at the time the recent strike came to a close to sign a contract to run until Jan. 1, and now the men say the law of supply and demand should prevail.

Indiana operators cannot meet all their orders, and are trying to get more men at work. One operator has announced that although he did not want to be considered as raising the price for mining, hereafter on each pay day he would give his men four cents extra on a ton as their share in the profits of the business.

DYING OF STARVATION

Conditions in Havana City Are Almost Past Belief.

DISEASE RUNS RAMPANT

Havana Is a Constant Menace to the Health of the United States—Fourteen Persons Expire Through Lack of Food in the City.

Washington, Oct. 18.—The horrors of starvation in Cuba are shown in a report just received by the Surgeon-General of Marine Hospital Service from United States Sanitary Inspector Brunner at Havana. In addition to the hundreds dying from intestinal diseases caused by poor food, he notes fourteen deaths directly attributable to starvation in that city. If such things can happen in the chief city of the island the condition in the desolated interior can be imagined.

Dr. Brunner says that just opposite his office "A wholesale grocery firm gives a small pittance of rice to all who apply for it twice a week. Hundreds of thin, emaciated people drag themselves there to partake of the bounty, and it is a gruesome sight to observe the condition, or rather lack of physical condition of the crowd."

The cause of the yellow fever outbreak in the Southern States is clearly shown by Dr. Brunner. He says: "In spite of the heavy rains which deluge the streets, running over the sidewalks in many places, the city appears to contain more filth than ever. It is impossible to properly describe the absolute want of sanitary measures, the absolute disregard of health laws.

"The waters of the bay are reeking with the filth poured into it from the city, and every vessel leaving here for the United States should be regarded with suspicion when said vessel has remained over twenty-four hours in this harbor.

"I am more convinced than ever that this city is a constant menace to the health of the United States, and will remain so until modern science shall be employed to remedy the evils that have existed here for nearly two centuries."

Dr. Brunner declares there is more than twice as much yellow fever in Havana than reported by the authorities, most of it being in the hospitals across the bay from the city. Smallpox is on the increase, principally among the country people, who have been driven into town by Weyler's orders.

BIGGEST GUN IN THE WORLD.

It Will Protect New York and Shoot Sixteen Miles.

Bethlehem, Pa., Oct. 18.—The largest gun ever built in the world is now being constructed at the Bethlehem Iron Works for the defense of New York Harbor. This enormous piece of ordnance will weigh, when completed, 126 tons. It will exceed by six tons weight the monster gun which Krupp, of Germany, exhibited at the World's Fair in Chicago, and in length it will be nearly five feet longer than the German gun.

The intention of the War Department, it is announced, is to mount the great piece on a specially built foundation on Romer Shoals. From its position it will have a full sweep of the channels leading into New York Harbor. There is not, it is declared, a vessel afloat to-day with armor of sufficient strength to resist its shot.

The calibre of the new gun will be sixteen inches. The length, from breech to muzzle, will be forty-nine feet two inches. The powder charge will weigh nearly one thousand pounds. Provided extreme elevation for range could be obtained, a shot from the New York Harbor gun would be able to travel more than sixteen miles.

The building of the new 16-inch gun is an expensive undertaking. The gun itself will cost about one hundred and twenty thousand dollars. The cost of the gun carriage and turret will bring the cost up to as much again as the weapon, while the cost for foundation will, it is estimated, round out a grand total of at least three hundred thousand dollars. The foundation for the gun will require a depth, it is said, of fifty feet, if earth be the basis. This foundation must be constructed of concrete.

Presidential Appointments.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 18.—The appointment of Mr. Frank M. Brundage as Consul of the United States to Aix-la-Chapelle is pleasing to Pennsylvania Republicans. He was strongly indorsed by Senator Penrose and other Pennsylvania Republicans. He is said to be a Quay man.

Other Presidential appointments announced Saturday were as follows:

Consuls of the United States—James Franklin Darnall, Indiana, at Nogales, Mexico; John E. Kehl, Ohio, at Stettin, Germany; Julian Phelps, Iowa, Crefield, Germany; Charles P. Snyder, West Virginia, Ciudad Porfirio Diaz, Mexico; Henry S. Culver, Ohio, London, Ontario. David H. Budlong, of Idaho, to be register of the Land Office at Coeur d'Alene, Idaho; John M. Hill, of Washington, to be register of the Land Office at Walla Walla, Washington.

Georgia's Big Cotton Crop.

Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 18.—Owing to the increased acreage it is estimated that the cotton crop in Georgia this year will exceed that of 1896 by 10 per cent. The crop is full and the only complaints are of the low prices. Nearly all of the yield has been picked and warehoused. Plans are under consideration all over the State to curtail the crop next year, and others include a farmers' trust for holding of cotton and a species of boycott against planters and business men who will not joint the movement to hoard the crop for better prices.

X-Rays in the Navy.

Washington, Oct. 18.—The X-rays are to be used in the navy to examine sailors to determine their condition in health and disease. This will secure strong and physically perfect men for the service.

According to the annual report of Acting Surgeon Gen. Boyd, it is proposed to establish a hospital corps in the navy similar to that in the army, and Congress is asked to authorize the construction of ambulance ships to attend squadrons in action.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Fair Tonight; Tuesday Fair But With Increasing Cloudiness; Slightly Warmer At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 62 Degrees.

COMING EVENTS.

October 18—Union Bible class in Y. M. C. A. Hall, 7:45 p. m., taught by Rev Geo. C. Needham.
October 18—Mechanical drawing and shorthand classes at Y. M. C. A. Evening.
October 18—Republican primaries in various wards.
October 18—Opening of Independent Fife and Drum Corps fair.
October 18—Tableaux at Crescent Avenue church.
October 19—Opening session of Synod of Presbyterian churches in Crescent Avenue church, 3 p. m.
October 19—Presbyterian Synod continued.
October 19—First and second year's classes in mathematics at Y. M. C. A.
October 20—Presbyterian Synod continued.
October 20—Bookkeeping and commercial course at Y. M. C. A.
October 25—William Blaikie at the Y. M. C. A. "How to Get Strong."
October 26—Entertainment Plainfield Mandolin and Guitar Club at Monroe Avenue church.

There are some people who think a newspaper should never publish news about such a crime as murder. Here is something for those people to consider. Camden has just been the scene of a murder reeking with horrible details. The Camden Courier has published the details as fully as possible. The Courier's regular circulation, as quoted in a newspaper directory, is about 5,000. On one of the days when the Courier published several columns of murder news its circulation jumped to 15,000. 'Nough said.

Indian summer may be pleasant for some people at this time of the year, but the kind that we like is the good old genuine fall weather. Seasonable weather is always good for business.

A New Brunswick girl is reported to be an heiress to $25,000,000. The next consideration is how much the girl will get after the lawyers have had a hand in the settlement.

The personal fitness of the Republican and Tammany Mayoralty candidates in New York are not considered as much as the unfitness of the bosses.

The slaughter of political candidates and turkeys makes November a gory month, indeed. And such innocents, too!

The official commission will canvass the vote of the recent Constitutional election at Trenton tomorrow.

There is more fun in a political campaign to those who are on the inside than there is in a circus.

The Republican primaries will be held in the various wards this evening.

The Democratic county convention will be held at Elizabeth tomorrow.

REPUBLICAN PRIMARIES.

To be Held This Evening to Elect Delegates to County Convention.

The Republican primaries for the election of delegates to the Union County convention will be held in the various wards tonight at 8 o'clock as follows:

First ward—Republican Association rooms, 130 East Front street, and is entitled to 10 delegates.

Second ward—At the Bryant school building, on East Sixth street, and is entitled to 11 delegates.

Third ward—At the Casino, on West Seventh street, and is entitled to 10 delegates.

Fourth ward—At Reform Hall reading room, Central avenue, and is entitled to 15 delegates.

A Home Gathering.

A home gathering was held at the home of John Wendell, at South Stirling, yesterday, in honor of his fifty-seventh birthday. A number of relatives and friends were present. Those present from this city and the borough were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Blatz, Miss Etta Blatz, Frank J. Blatz, Mr. and Mrs. Clarkson Mundy, A. A. Cannon and John Wendell, Jr.

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CHURCHMEN TO MEET.

MINISTERS AND LAY DELEGATES TO GATHER IN THE SYNOD.

The Session to be Opened in the Crescent Avenue Church Tomorrow Afternoon—Programme for the Three Days' Session.

The Synod of the Presbyterian churches of New Jersey will hold its seventy-fifth annual meeting in the Crescent Avenue church of this city, tomorrow, Wednesday and Thursday. The ministers and lay delegates will meet tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock and listen to the moderator's sermon. The ceremony of the Lord's Supper will then be celebrated and a moderator will be elected for the coming year, to succeed Rev. Benjamin S. Everitt, D. D., the present moderator. Officers will also be elected to succeed Rev. Sylvester W. Beach, vice moderator; Rev. Walter A. Brooks, D. D., stated clerk; Rev. Benjamin S. Everitt, D. D., permanent clerk; Rev. John T. Kerr, recording clerk; Rev. Eben B. Cobb, D. D., treasurer; Hon. Wm. M. Lanning, treasurer of synodical home missions. At 7:45 o'clock there will be a popular meeting in the interests of missions, with addresses by Rev. A. J. Brown, D. D., secretary of the board of foreign missions, and Rev. C. L. Thompson, pastor of the Madison Avenue church, of New York city.

The contributions of the synod last year for the various missionary and benevolent agencies were as follows: Home missions, $114,327; foreign missions, $85,586; education, $13 878; Sunday-school work, $10,839; church erection, $13,428; ministerial relief, $10,360; freedmen, $9,942; synodical home missions, $15,461; aid for colleges, $7,979. The total benevolent offerings last year were $280,600 as against $275,527 for the previous year.

The synod's business will commence at 9 a. m. on Wednesday morning and will continue through the morning and the afternoon. An interesting feature of the Wednesday morning meeting will be the annual report of the committee on synodical home missions. In the evening there will be a popular meeting at which the committee on systematic beneficence will make a report, and addresses upon that subject will be delivered by Rev. Dr. G. T. Purvis, of Princeton, and others. It is of interest to note in this connection that as to the total benevolent contributions, in 1896, the Synod of New Jersey stood third in the United States, with New York first and Pennsylvania second. As to per capita gifts in the same year this State stood second, with a gift of $410 per member.

On Thursday morning the business session will be resumed at 9 o'clock, and will continue until all the business before the synod is finished. It is thought that it will not be found necessary to continue the sessions later than Thursday evening, as there is no special business, such as questions of discipline, to come up for consideration.

The delegates will consist of the pastors of all the Presbyterian churches in the State, and each church can also send one lay delegate. The fall synod consists of over 800 delegates, but the attendance will probably not exceed 300 at any session.

FRIENDS OPPOSED TO LICENSE.

Resolutions Adopted Urging People to Vote No on the New Proposition.

The following resolution has been adopted by the Plainfield Monthly of the religious Society of Friends:

Whereas, It is proposed by the Common Council of the city of Plainfield to submit at the next municipal election the question of the continuance, or otherwise, of the licensing of the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors in this city, the monthly meeting of the religious Society of Friends hereby expresses its approval of this action of the Council, and urges all Friends who are qualified voters to vote for the discontinuance of all licenses for the sale of alcoholic beverages. It also earnestly appeals to all good citizens of Plainfield, members of churches and others, to effectively improve the present opportunity to indicate their preference that the legalized traffic in alcoholic beverages shall hereafter be abolished within its borders

The following were appointed a committee empowered to take action on the subject and to co-operate with similar committees which may be appointed by other churches: Aaron M. Powell, Edward P. Williams, Cornelia A. Gavett, Marietta V. Adams, Jos. M. Harper, Clara S. Rushmore, Anna R. Powell.

A few weeks ago the editor was taken with a very severe cold that caused him to be in a most miserable condition. It was undoubtedly a bad case of la grippe and recognizing it as dangerous he took immediate steps to bring about a speedy cure. From the advertisement of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the many good recommendations included therein, we concluded to make a first trial of the medicine. To say that it was satisfactory in its results, is putting it very mildly, indeed. It acted like magic and the result was a speedy and permanent cure. We have no hesitancy in recommending this excellent Cough Remedy to anyone afflicted with a cough or cold in any form.—The Banner of Liberty, Libertytown, Maryland. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

—The third grand fair of the Independent Fife and Drum Corps will open tonight in Washington Hall.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Trinity Commandery, No. 17, K. T., will meet this evening.

—The Republican primaries will be held in this city tonight at 8 o'clock.

—The Protective Conclave of Heptosophs will meet in their rooms tomorrow evening,

—Jerusalem Lodge, F. and A. M., will hold a regular communication, tomorrow evening.

—Cypress Commandery, Knights Templar, will meet in their lodge rooms this evening.

—Jerusalem Lodge, No. 26, F. and A. M., will hold a regular communication tomorrow evening.

—The Plainfield Sanitary Company plant will be completed tomorrow and the crematory will then be started full force.

—The Sunday evening services at the First Baptist church now commence at 7:30 instead of 7:45, as heretofore.

—Oh! Such lovely goods as they have got at Peck's! Have you seen them? Well, you should, for they are just lovely!

—Stone curbing is being laid along the Watchung avenue side of the property of J. Wesley Johnson, of La-Grande avenue.

—A meeting of the Young Ladies' Mission Society of the First Baptist church will be held Friday afternoon next from 2 until 5 o'clock.

—Miss Ward and Miss Blair, and George Smith, of the First Baptist church choir, rendered pleasing solos at the morning service yesterday.

—An illustrated lecture on "Ancient Constantinople" will be given in the Y. M. C. A. Hall by Rev. Mr. Samuelson, a graduate of Auburn Theological Seminary, on next Friday.

—The marriage of Miss Annie Higgins, of 220 Plainfield avenue, and Thomas Roddy will take place in St. Mary's church, Tuesday afternoon, November 23d, at 5 o'clock.

—A meeting of the Saturday Night Euchre Club was held Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Terhune, of Sandford avenue, when arrangements were about completed for the winter meetings.

—John Hand Camp, No. 28, Sons of Veterans, will meet tomorrow evening and complete arrangements for the coming fair which will be held in Washington Hall, West Second street, during the first week in November.

—It is earnestly hoped that every member of Queen City Lodge, No. 226, I. O. O. F., will be present at the meeting this evening, as the invitations for the anniversary exercises next Monday evening will be given out.

—A conference for those interested in physical training work will be held at the railroad branch of the Y. M. C. A. in New York, on Tuesday, beginning at 12 m. It is held at the call of the international committee on Christian physical work, and a number of young men from this city will probably be in attendance.

—The tickets for the concert to be given in the Monroe Avenue church Oct. 26th, under the auspices of the Plainfield Mandolin and Guitar Club, are selling very fast. They are limited to 500 and those desiring to attend should secure tickets at once. As additional features, Fred VanEps will play on the banjo and Clarence Hillman will render xylophone solos.

Talked About Lynching.

Rev. Mr. Wilmot, of Lynchburg, Va., preached a most forcible sermon at Grace P. E. church yesterday morning. He spoke of the manner in vogue in the south for killing people where they were accused of crime. All present were intensely interested in the discourse, which will be published at an early date.

To Attend Laying of a Corner Stone.

A special meeting of all the Catholic societies in this city was held yesterday afternoon and it was decided that all should attend in a body the laying of the corner stone for the new Catholic church at Roselle, next Sunday afternoon.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O, contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by druggists, price 75c per bottle.

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GAME WITHOUT A GOAL

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and Long Branch's twenty five-yard line, seldom going into Plainfield's territory. There were no long runs in either side, but both depended on line-bucking for their gains. At last Plainfield had the ball on their opponent's twenty-five-yard line and lost it. Then the visitors braced up and began to make gains on every down. They tried the ends for small gains and were within five yards of the middle of the field when the referee's whistle blew and the game was over.

Had the Plainfield team played faster than they did they might have scored a touchdown in the first half, but the game was a hard one and the players were not in condition for a fast game under those conditions. Phillips made a careful quarter and showed good judgment in giving signals. He made a number of fine tackles.

Elizabeth, N. J., Oct. 19, 1896

ELY BROS., Dear Sirs;—Please accept my thanks for your favor in the gift of a bottle of Cream Balm. Let me say I have used it for years and can thoroughly recommend it for what it claims, if directions are followed. Yours truly, (Rev.) H. W. HATHAWAY.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Miss Holmes, of North Plainfield, has been visiting friends in town.

Mrs. H. L. Swackhamer was the guest of New York friends over Sunday.

Miss Minnie VanMiddlesworth has returned from a visit with Plainfield relatives.

Mrs. H. L. Terry and Mrs. Sherman Cooley visited friends in New York on Saturday.

Miss Kittie Ransom, of Plainfield, who has been visiting relatives in New Market, has returned home.

Miss Imogene Smith and Miss Minnie Hunt rode their wheels to Stelton Saturday and called on friends.

Tomorrow evening the members of Wm. G. Holton Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., will hold an important meeting.

The Building and Loan Association will meet this evening. Another meeting will be held on Thursday evening.

Mrs. A. C. Dickson and family are expected home this week from the country where they have been visiting relatives.

Mrs. F. W. Barker, of Nyach-on-the-Hudson, has returned home after a pleasant visit with Miss Jessie Haines, of New Market.

A neat and attractive money order window has been placed in the post-office and the office now looks very much up to-date.

Messrs. Bogardus, W. H. Terry and W. L. Terry, trustees of the Presbyterian church, spent Saturday painting a portion of the church. Each man furnished his own brushes and they performed a creditable job.

Two young women from Bound Brook in a carriage on their way home Saturday afternoon met with an accident while crossing the trolley tracks on Front street. One wheel was dished and the fall was sudden and exciting. One of Capt. Hand's trucks from Plainfield was passing and the driver very kindly assisted the woman by taking their wagon to Stites' blacksmith shop where the wheel was repaired. The women went home by train and secured the wagon later.

SCOTCH PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

The Republican primary will be held in Excelsior Hall this evening.

Miss Amy Cook is entertaining her cousin, Miss Wagoner, of Chatham.

W. S. Emery entertained a tally-ho party from New Brunswick yesterday.

William Terry, of Plainfield, was the guest of friends in town yesterday.

Front street last evening was very dark; not an electric light was burning.

Excelsior Hook and Ladder Company meets in the company's rooms this evening.

It is expected that the Baptist Sunday-school will send a large delegation to the State Sunday-school convention to be held at New Market tomorrow. George Hall, the superintendent of this Sunday-school is the State president. It is expected that arrangements will be made for the church stage to meet the evening trains after the convention is over, to carry those attending from the station over to the village.

Mrs. Hinchman, of Fanwood, had a narrow escape from serious injury while carriage riding in Westfield, Saturday afternoon. The horse took fright and ran away, breaking the shafts of the carriage. Mrs. Hinchman clung pluckily to the reins, and guided the plunging animal into North avenue. At the railway station a number of the hackmen caught the horse and brought it to a standstill. The rig was left at a livery stable and Mrs. Hinchman returned home by train, none the worse except for a severe fright.

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WESTFIELD

VARIOUS BITS OF NEWS.

WESTFIELD HAPPENINGS SERVED UP TERSELY FOR THE PRESS.

Many People Go and Come in the Pretty Suburban Town—Items Interesting Because of Their Brevity

Miss Mary A. Luckey, of Plainfield, spent Sunday with friends in town.

John R. Green conducted the services in St. Paul's church yesterday.

The collection in the Presbyterian church yesterday was for the church fund.

Miss Anna Louise Harrison, of Mobile, Ala., is visiting her uncle, Dr. J. B. Harrison.

John Davis, of Downer street, has been entertaing his mother and sister from Brooklyn.

Miss F. A. Crosby led the Epworth League meeting in the Methodist church last evening.

Miss Florance, of Elizabeth, will reopen her dancing class at the Westfield Clubhouse tomorrow.

The Epworth League will hold a business meeting in the Methodist church parlors this evening.

Miss Mair Williams led the Christian Endeavor meeting in the Congregational church last evening.

The board of deacons of the Baptist church will hold a meeting in the church parlors this evening.

John W. Singer has rented the farm of Dennis Crane, near Scotch Plains, and will shortly take possession.

Archibald Crooks, of Newark, was the guest yesterday of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Crooks, of Central avenue.

A new furnace has been placed in St. Paul's church, and the heating facilities of the structure are now all that can be desired.

Miss Anna D. Cooper will open a studio in the Schmitt building this week, where she will conduct classes in elocution and expression.

William Bastable, of St. Paul's School, Garden City, L. I., spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bastable, of North Broad street.

At a recent meeting of the Westfield Exempt Firemen's Association David J. Burke was elected to membership and five new applications for membership were received.

The Westfield Chess Club has reorganized for the season, and will hold a tournament of games this winter, the winner of which will be presented with a prize furnished by Rev. Rufus S. Green, D. D.

A district meeting of the I. O. O. F. will be held in the rooms of Westfield Lodge, No. 169, in this place, on Wednesday evening, for the purpose of electing a new district deputy to succeed William M. Stamets, whose term expires.

Justice of the Peace E. R. Collins has been appointed administrator of the estate of Mrs. Mary LaVerent, the Italian woman who died in Westfield last Sunday leaving three young children, one an infant, who must be provided for. The estate consists of a house and its contents on Spring street, Westfield.

The Westfield High School football team was defeated by the Dunellen Juniors on the North Broad street grounds Saturday afternoon by the score 22 to 6. A number of members of the Alis team, of Plainfield, played upon the Dunellen team, whose average weight was greater than that of Westfield's players.

A. H. Barnett on Saturday sold the Orient bicycle which he held under a judgment secured against the American Waltham Watch Company. The wheel was disposed of at auction, and was secured by A. C. Fitch for $11. The bicycle has become famous for the amout of litigation which it has caused between Barnett and the Waltham Company.

A meeting of the Westfield Junior football team was held at the residence of Charles Foster on Saturday night. The resignation of Harry A. Knight from the captaincy was accepted and Charles Foster was elected to the office. William Galton was made manager and Edward Vought coach. The team will wear blue and white colors.

The entertainment which will be given by Miss Anna D. Cooper in the Presbyterian lecture room tonight, under the auspices of the Young Ladies' Mission Band of the church, will include the living pictures illustrating Tennyson's Guenivere and Mrs. Browning's "Romance of the Ganges." The programme will also include a humorous pantomime, entitled "Looking Backward."

A Quiet Marriage.

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Clara E. Redcliffe, of Westervelt avenue, and Harvey I. Dayton, of Watchung avenue, which occurred last Saturday at the home of the bride. Rev. J. B. Cleaver, of Bound Brook, was the officiating clergyman. Both are well-known young people, and their many friends wish them happiness and success.

—Additional locals on page 3.

Two Kinds of Stores.

There probably always will be two kinds of stores One kind is conducted in the belief that the way to win trade is to make the store the best one for people to come to. In the other kind of store all attention is given to specious methods of drawing trade and little concern given to the interests of customers when they come.

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WRIT OF ATTACHMENT VACATED.

R. F. M. Chase's Horse and Wagon Must be Returned to Him.

The horse and carriage that were taken from the barn of R. F. M. Chase, of North Plainfield, two weeks ago on a writ of attachment issued by Justice Huntington S. Thomas, will have to be returned. Such is the decision of that Justice. The writ was served at the request of John Cronin, who claimed that Chase owed him $98 for services rendered. The writ was served by Constable Van Horn, who was accompanied by Lawyers William Newcorn and Harry C. Runyon.

City Judge DeMeza was the legal representative for Chase. He made a motion in Thomas' court that the writ be quashed, claiming that suit should have been started by the serving of summons and conducted in the regular way. Today the Judge has decided that DeMeza is right and that the horse and carriage will have to be returned, while Cronin and his lawyers will have to stand the costs and pay for the keep of the horse.

REALTY CHANGES.

Property Transfers Recorded in County Clerk's Office During the Past Week.

The following property transfers have been recorded at County Clerk Howard's office, Oct. 9th to 15th, inclusive, as reported in the New Jersey Contractor and Gazette:

John H. French et ux., to Phineas M. French, North Plainfield, lot Monroe avenue, $400; the Plainfield Building and Loan Association to Mary O'Rourke, lot Sixth street, Plainfield, $1 300; W. E. VanWorden et ux., to C. H. Hand, Plainfield, lot Lyman place, $400; W. R. H. Hardingham et ux., to Agnes H. VanWorden, lots 15, 16, block E, Runyon map, Plainfield, mortgage $1,200, $1,650; C. H. Hand et ux., to Agnes H. VanWorden, lots 17, 18, block E, Plainfield, $400; D. P. Brown et ux., to Euphemia S. Frazee Gulberg and C. F. Gulberg, Plainfield, exchange of property old road Dunellen to New Market, $1,100; Margaret L. Morris, Dunellen, to E. F. Vail, Plainfield, lot northeast side East Third street, Plainfield, $1; George L. Hughes et ux., to Hattie E. Hepburn, Plainfield, lot 6, Westervelt map, Plainfield, Second street, $2,800; Charles H. Hand et ux., to John D. Runyon, Plainfield, lot easterly side of Astor place, $1; John D. Runyon et ux., to Minnie Stryker, Plainfield, lot east side Lyman place, Plainfield, lots 19 and 20, block E, $400; John D. Runyon et ux., to Minnie Stryker, lot Astor place, $400.

LINCOLN.

Carloads of machinery arrive every few days for the Lincoln Steel Works.

Mayor S. D. Drake is perfecting arrangements to build a large schoolhouse on or before December 1st. A teacher has been provided for.

The Central Railroad of New Jersey has designated Lincoln to receive freight. Tickets will be on sale at the depot for all stations in a few days.

The regular monthly meeting of the Common Council was held on Wednesday, all members being present. Considerable business was transacted.

The Lincoln Steel Works have closed their plant in New York and will now move all machinery to Lincoln next week. The works will open before November 1st.

ARMENIAN HARDSHIPS.

A Speaker From Asia Minor Called for Enlistment of American Sympathy.

Last evening at the First Baptist church, Rev. Samuel Yahn, of Asia Minor, delivered a most interesting and instructive discourse concerning the Armenians and Turks. He told of the intense hardships through which the Armenians are called to pass and how it has been so during the past twenty years. He called for an enlistment of sympathy and help on the part of the American people. Mr. Yahn is a young man and is the son of an official in one of the Turkish courts. He speaks intelligently and describes vividly the general condition of the people from this country.

—Danish services will be held tonight in German Lutheran church.

—The amount collected by Mrs. Fred Conde for the German Reformed church fair was $18.40 instead of $8.40.

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Wheel Dished in Car Track.

Two strange young women in a carriage met with an accident Saturday afternoon about 5:30 at the corner of Madison avenue and Fourth street. They were crossing the trolley tracks when one of the wheels on the wagon was dished. One of the women fell out and sprained herself severely. The other one escaped uninjured. The injured woman was taken to a nearby house and properly treated, and later she and her companion were able to go home. The wagon was taken to a repair shop.

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LADIES

In closing out our line of Ladies' Sweaters, Leggins and Overgaiters, we offer attractive bargains.
Leggin Hose, were 60c, now 29c
Sweaters, were $5, $4 and $3, now ....$4, 3, and $2.
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Others reduced from $1 35 $1, 85c and 75c to.....89c, 55c and 35c

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MARRIED.

Married October 16th, '97, Clara E. Redcliffe to Harvey I. Dayton, by Rev. J. B. Cleaver.

DIED.

FABER—In North Plainfield, on Saturday, October 16, 1897, Isabella, wife of Alexander E. Faber, in the 49th year of her age. Funeral from her late residence, 38 Rockview avenue, on Tuesday, October 19, at 2:30 p. m.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

FOR SALE—1896 Cleveland tandem with 1897 wheels, perfect order; $65. Mellor, Hillside Ave. 10 16 2

BOARD and rooms, home comforts; suite small family or couple. Mrs. Childs, near depot, Netherwood, N. J. 10 16 3

WANTED—For half of every day; a man (white) with experience in horses, and willing to be generally useful. Address J. D. M., care Press. 10 16 2

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STRAWBERRY plants by 100 75c. or 1,000 $3; Lovett, Greenville and Brandywine. For sale by W. H. Rogers. Washingtonville, N. J. 10 11 tf

DESIRABLE house, low rental, improved. 235 East Sixth street. Call, 231. 9 10 tf

LOST—A tan cloth cape. Reward if returned to this office. 10 18 3

WANTED—Nurse for young baby. 97 Mercer avenue.

CHOICE rooms with excellent board; terms moderate. 417 East Fifth street. 10 18 6

LOST—Silver watch with initials H. A. W. Reward if returned to 109 West Seventh street.

YOUNG bull for sale. Inquire blacksmith shop, Martinville, N. J.

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. 334 East Fifth street.

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Millinery.

Type or word cannot do justice to this department—to appreciate the worthiness of our millinery we ask you to see others, then see ours—there will be no question about who gets the order.

Dress Goods

news, and good news it is to prudent buyers. You can hardly afford to pass this handsome stock of ours without an inspection. If you cannot come drop postal for samples and prices.

36 in fancy wool Mixtures 25c
38 in fancy silk and wool Mixtures 48c
38-in Scotch Plaids 39c
54 in Ladies' Cloth 49c
50 in Granite Cloth 48c
36 in Lining Silk 39c
18 in Waist Silk 69c
Silk Velvet, all shades 75c

Lace Curtain Selling

A sale of fine lace curtains for this week. We give pole and fixtures free with every pair.
Cream or white curtains 54-in wide 1 19 pair.
Extra heavy fish net curtains, cream or white, 1.49 pair.
Very fine point de spie lace curtains, cream or white, 1.79 pair.

Carpet and Oil Cloth Dep't.

Heavy all-wool Ingrain 53c
Brussels, a beautiful line 73c
Heavy Oilcloth ..... 20c yd
18x36 chenille Rugs 49c
36x72 chenille Rugs 1.49
Cocoa door mats 39c

Wrappers.

Cambric Wrappers 69c
All our wrappers are full size and made as you would make them yourself.
For this flannelette wrapper, 98c.

TOILET ARTICLES,

Fine toilet soap, 5c. Colgate's extracts, 25c. Hot water bags, 49c. Cosmo buttermilk soap, 19c box. Colgate's Florida water, 25c.

Hosiery and Underwear.

Just the opening items. Goods and prices talk stronger than columns of chat. 'Twill be our busy week in hosiery and underwear.

Children's fleeced lined vests and pants, ... 5c up
Children's natural wool vests and pants, ... 10c up
Ladies' ribbed vests and pants, fleeced 25c
Ladies' natural wool vests and pants, 50c
Children's heavy school hose, all sizes 10c
Ladies' fine seamless hose, fast black 12c
Ladies' extra fine hose, 25c kind, 18c pair

Men's Furnishings.

Men's heavy wool shirts 29c
natural wool shirts 38c
outing shirts 32c
white linen shirts 33c
suspenders, 25c kind 13c
half hose ..... 10c pair
silk neckwear, 50c kind... 25c
cambric handkerchiefs 5c each
linen handkerchiefs...15c each

Store Specials.

All fresh arrivals are made very interesting by the price pinched argument which is attached to them.

Heavy brown cotton flannel 5c
Heavy brown dormet flannel 5c
Heavy cotton towels 5c
Heavy twilled crash ..... 3c yd
Heavy Turkish toweling ..... 7c yd
All-linen dinner napkins ..... 1.15 doz
60-in linen damask 25c
72-in linen damask 45c
Extra large damask towels 15c
All-linen glass toweling 8c
54-in feather boas 49c
Fancy silk ribbon, 6-in width 19c
25c Nazareth waists for children 13c
25c silk ties for children 15c
1.25 P. L. kid gloves 59c
75c corsets—black, white and drab 50c
Infant's silk caps 25c
All wool eider down flannel 29c
Fine gloria silk umbrellas 69c

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Oak Dining Tables, $4.50 up.
Oak Sideboards, $9 up.
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TO SPITE THE MAJOR.

BY GWENDOLEN OVERTON.

Army wives generally have unmarried sisters. These sisters always come out to visit them, and the rest goes by itself.

Mrs. Lorrilard had an unmarried sister. She was very attractive. She was far more attractive than Mrs Lorrilard ever could have been. The girl's name was Spencer—May Spencer She was eighteen years old, if you took her word for it; and she was blonde and pink and white and plump. She came from some place in Ohio, and she visited the Lorrilards at Stanton—which is in New Mexico, one hundred miles from the railroad across Dead Man's valley (there is always a Dead Man's valley) and some steep hills and a lava bed a mile wide. If you have never seen a lava bed, you cannot appreciate that. You might try to imagine the ocean lashed into fury by a simoon, then fancy its great waves and billows and swells changed suddenly to dark gray-brown stone at the height of the storm, and you may form a vague idea of what the lava bed between Fort Stanton and the railroad is like.

It frightened Miss Spencer badly. The ambulance went slipping and sliding and coasting and thumping and bounding over the one passable part, in a way that only an ambulance conducted by a driver who has spent his life on Arizona and New Mexico roads could possibly stand.

Miss Spencer was not accustomed to that sort of thing. She stood it as long as she could, and then she told Major Roche—in whose charge she was travelling—that she meant to get out and walk. She had bothered the major a good deal already, and he was getting tired, so he did not say anything, but simply told the driver to "slow up" and let Miss Spencer get out by herself.

She, fell behind after a moment and the ambulance went relentlessly on, creaking, flapping its canvas, clanking its chains, its brake screeching shrilly. And as it disappeared, sometimes lost to sight in a great hollow, sometimes toiling up a smooth face of lava. Miss Spencer felt herself abandoned, indeed in a New Mexico desert, under that terrible midsummer sun. The heat was fiery, scorching, parching. The sky was like hot blueglass. She wondered why, when the lava was hot enough to burn her feet through the soles of her shoes, it did not melt or grow soft. She kept on walking because she was afraid to stop.

She reached the end of the huge rock river at last and found the ambulance waiting. The driver was asleep and the major was drinking water. He offered her some, and when she had drunk it she held out her broad little foot.

"My shoes are all cut to pieces, and they were new and awfully heavy."

"You should have kept still," he answered.

Now Miss Spencer wanted sympathy, and when she didn't get it she took a dislike to the major; and because she disliked him she eventually made him sorry.

For the first fortnight of her visit she was not pretty. She was sun burned from her passage of the lava sea. Her face was red and swollen, then blotchy and lastly peely. After that she returned to the normal pink and white. She was the only girl at the post, and there was a bachelor, a brevet-bachelor, a young contract surgeon, and Major Roche's son. The bachelor officer was studious

He had no time for young women. He paid his one call and retired. The brevet-bachelor is peculiar to the service. His wife is back East, visiting her family. He differs from the real article only in that he is inelligible. He was devoted to Miss Spencer, but he did not count. There was also the contract surgeon. Of course he was only a contract surgeon. Still he was tall and blonde and had a beguiling drawl. He fell in love with Miss Spencer.

But the exciting part of the story hinges on Major Roche's son. He was twenty, and he was no use on earth. He was just a boy and never would be anything more. He had failed in everything he had ever undertaken, He couldn't even dance, and he was afraid of a three-foot acequia when he rode. He depended upon his papa for everything, and he thought he knew women through and through. Probably Providence sent Miss Spencer to show him that he didn't—but the ways of Providence are inscrutable, and I can't be sure.

Well, the contract surgeon fell in love with Miss Spencer, but, like Viola, he never told his love. His name was Randolph—Curtis Randolph, to match his nice blue eyes and his charming drawl. His courtship was of the eternally-on-hand sort. The life of a garrison offers even greater advantages for this than that of a southern town. He was with Miss Spencer from guard-mounting until long after taps. But Miss Spencer pined to see more of him.

"Mr. Randolph, I believe you're lazy."

"Oh! now—Miss May—why? That isn't kind." He gazed at the flag on the flag-staff tenderly and dwelt musically on each word.

"Because."

"It is the privilege of a lady to give that reason." His eyes sought the tennis court in tender, blue abstractedness.

"Well, I know you are."

"Won't you have pity on me and tell me why?"

"Because you never are up until almost guard-mount."

"Oh, dear! yes I am. I go over to the hospital at sick-call, you know."

"Why don't I ever see you, then?"

"Perhaps you haven't risen yourself."

"I'm always up at reveille."

"No! Goodness; why on earth do you do that?"

"I believe you go over to the hospital the back way and aren't half awake and don't even have a collar on."

"Now, Miss May—how unkind."

"Isn't it true?"

"I always have my collar on." He told a future truth. After this he would wear a collar.

"I hate lazy people."

"Oh! Miss May—how unkind. You don't hate me, I hope." His eyes were on the pink ribbon that fluttered from her belt; he took hold of it and wound it around his finger, getting graudually nearer to her.

"I do, if you are lazy."

"How can I prove to you that I am not?"

"That's easy enough."

"Do tell me how?"

"Just prove it."

"By rising early and letting you see me?"

"Well—yes."

"I shall do so to-morrow."

"But I always go for a ride before breakfast."

"May I not join you?"

"If you like. I don't care." Which is feminine for caring very much indeed.

So Dr. Randolph rode with Miss Spencer the next morning, and he breakfasted at the Lorrilard's, and he sat on the Lorrilard's porch to watch guard-mounting, and then he played tennis with Miss Spencer, and when it was too hot to do that any longer, they sat together on the porch again, shaded by the crowsfoot and morning-glory vines and read aloud by turns. They parted for luncheon, but immediately afterward they met again in the Lorrilard's sitting-room to practice the mandolin and guitar. Randolph dined with the Lorrilards, and then he and Miss Spencer walked up and down the line until taps, and after taps they sat on the porch once more and talked in undertones.

Occasionally the Roche boy made a third, and though he was far from welcome, he never guessed it.

Now it may seem incredible, but it is true, that though this went on without a pause for ten solid months, Randolph still modestly doubted if he were loved and dared not voice his passion. Mrs. Lorrilard began to think that she had done quite all that the family could expect of her, and she grew hopeless and weary, moreover, of boarding two hungry young people. She told Miss Spencer as gently as possible that she might go the next time the ambulance went over to Carthage, which was the railroad station. Miss Spencer told Randolph she was going—and wept. And Randolph consoled her from afar, and actually thought she was weeping at leaving her little nephew and niece and her sister. There are men like that.

The ambulance went a week later to carry Major Roche and Teddy Roche to the railroad. Teddy was offered a position at Tucson and was going to take it; the major had government business at Carthage. The Carthage road is a branch; it joins the main line of the A. T. and S. F. at a station called San Antonio. The major would chaperon the young woman to Carthage; thence she would go to the main line and East and Teddy to the main line and West. Only Teddy and May compromised. They both went to Socorro, which is on the main line, a very little northeast of San Antonio.

The contract doctor and Miss Spencer had a harrowing parting. The latter lost her temper over his procrastination and burst into tears. It nearly broke his heart and entirely silenced his tongue.

After she was gone, hopelessly gone, he determined to reveal the secret of his heart by letter. But he put off doing it. Instead, he swung in his hammock all day and thought of her blue eyes and pretty face and guileless smile and regretted his erstwhile constant companion. The ambulance would return, empty of its lovely load, in five days. He knew that. He would write when it returned.

So, on the afternoon of the fifth day, he sat, still swinging in the hammock and smoking a pipe, the ashes whereof besprinkled his coat, when the four mules and the ambulance rattled into the post. They stopped at the major's quarters in a cloud of dust, and two men and a woman alighted. There was no doubt about who the woman was. In his delight Randolph lost his head. He strode down the broad walk to the Roches'.

Miss Spencer was still standing by the ambulance, hunting—with the driver's help—for something under one of the seats. The major and Teddy had gone indoors.

"Why, Miss May!" said Randolph, and this time there was no drawl—"how delightful! What brings you back?"

"Oh, my husband. Teddy and I got married in Socorro and joined the dear old major again in Carthage the same day.

"How delightful," Randolph repeated, weakly.

"Well, Teddy seems to think so, but the dear, sweet old major didn't. Any way you know, he was so horrid about my shoes on the bad-lands that day."

She smiled demurely.

And that was all any one ever knew about it.—The Argonaut.

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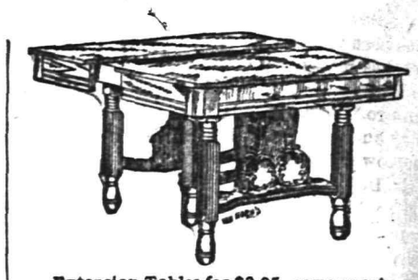
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Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 8 00, 7 58, 8 00, 8 33, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 9 15, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday, 3 14, 3 37, 5 59, 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 10, 11 16 a. m.; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 22 p. m.

Leave New York, foot Liberty street, at 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00 a. m; 12 00 m., 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45 p. m.; 12 15, 1 00 night. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00, 9 00, 9 15 a. m.; 12 m.; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00 p. m.; 12 15 night; 1 00 a. m.

Leave New York from Whitehall street at 7 00, 7 55, 8 25, 8 55, 9 55, 11 55 a. m., 1 00, 1 25, 2 25, 3 25, 3 55, 4 25, 4 55, 5 25, 5 55, 6 25, 6 55, 7 50, 8 25, 9 10, 9 55, 11 30 p. m., 12 10 night. Sundays—At 7 00, 8 55 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 2 30, 3 55, 5 25, 6 55, 7 25, 8 25, 9 50 p. m., 12 10 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 50, 8 00, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 01, 52, 10 08, 11 16 a. m.; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 18, 7 55, 8 38, 9 03, 10 05 a. m.; 12 10, 1 15, 1 35, 2 35, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 28, 5 42, 6 19, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 05 p. m. Sunday, 7 15, 9 05, 9 30, 10 35 a. m.; 1 10, 1 35, 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 20, 10 20 p. m.

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PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a.m 1 02, 2 11, 2 32, 3 35, 4 36, 5 03, 5 15, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 16, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p. m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 06, 9 55, a. m; 2 03, 3 39, 6 35, 8 20, 10 15, 11 14 p. m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35 45, 8 19, 9 02, 9 48, 11 45, a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05 3 25, 4 25, 5 28, 6 08, 6 40, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05 p. m Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a. m; 12 05, 1 20, 5 15, 6 35, 7 53, 8 05, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a. m., 1 01, 2 11, 4 55, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 8 06 a. m; 2 03 6 35 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a. m; 12 32, 4 04, 7 00, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 52 a. m; 6 30 p. m.

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5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For staticns to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

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1 01 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for station on D., L. & W. R. R.

2 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, MauchChunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

4 55 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Scranton, Wilkesbarre, Tamaqua, Shamokin, (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

5 03 and 5 15 p. m., way or Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 38 p. m.—For Flemington.

8 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg.

9 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 06 a. m. Sundays for Easton.

7 06 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 00 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

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For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10 27 a. m.; 1 15 3 51, 5 22 p. m.

For Lakewood, Toms River and Barnegat 3 37, 8 13 a. m.; 1 15, 3 51 p. m. Sundays 8 52 a.m

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SHAW'S TRYING ORDEAL.

Kneels by His Murdered Mother's Coffin and Protests His Innocence.

Camden, N. J., Oct. 18.—Standing over the lifeless forms of his mother and grandmother, as they lay side by side in their coffins, Eli Shaw again protested his innocence of the dual murder which startled Camden last Tuesday, and called upon God to attest that he is blameless. It has not been the fate of many to witness a more harrowing or dramatic scene than that which preceded the funerals of the two women last Friday afternoon, when young Shaw was taken from his cell to bid a last adieu to the forms of the two helpless women, for shedding whose blood he has been held to answer. Distressing as was the scene, it had no effect in wringing a confession from the prisoner, as was expected, but although it materially contributed to the wreck of his nervous system, it only strengthened his declarations that the blood of his mother and grandmother was not upon his hands.

The young man held out against every attempt to force an admission from him, but this has not shaken the conviction of the police and the county prosecutor that he alone is responsible for the crime. Their ground for this belief apparently rests in the discrepancy between the prisoner's account of the details of the tragedy and the finding of the revolver in the chimney, and the tracks of blood on the third floor.

Shaw said his mother was shot on the second floor, but the tracks of blood on the carpet indicate that some part of the tragedy was enacted on the third floor. Whoever last had the revolver that was found with two empty shells and three loaded ones, disposed of it by throwing it into the chimney from the stovepipe flue on the third floor. Of that there is indisputable evidence. Yet Shaw stoutly persists that he had no knowledge of the pistol at the bottom of the chimney.

A dramatic sequel of the crime occurred at the funeral of the victims. Both mother and daughter were laid at rest in a little cemetery on the outskirts of Camden. Services were held in the parlor of the little dwelling on Line street.

At the head of the coffin was a pillow of immortelles, with the inscription, "Mother and Grandmother," the last tribute of the son and grandson now accused of the double murder. In the company of mourners at the house was Eli Shaw, in charge of two officers of the law. He gazed upon the upturned faces in the coffin and called aloud upon God to witness his innocence. Finally, falling upon his knees beside his mother's casket, he said in a broken and almost stifled voice:

"Mother! mother! Tell them that I am innocent!"

While the police are still hunting for further incidents of the crime that may fasten the guilt upon him, his relatives believe that he is innocent.

JUSTICE FIELD'S SUCCESSOR.

Opposition to the Appointment of Attorney-General McKenna.

Washington, Oct. 18.—The retirement of Justice Field and the prospective appointment of Attorney-General McKenna to the Supreme Court, is being discussed in Administration circles. There is a movement in opposition to the appointment of the Attorney-General to the Supreme Court, and while it may not be strong enough to prevent his nomination next Winter by the President, it may prevent his confirmation by the United States Senate. It is apparent that there is a widespread opposition to his appointment coming from the Pacific coast, based upon his course with reference to the sale of the Union Pacific Railroad. How far this feeling of opposition will extend remains to be seen.

In the event of the failure of the Senate to confirm Mr. McKenna in the event of his nomination by the President, it is the belief of many friends of the Administration that the President may go outside of the circuit for the selection of Justice Field's successor. If the President should decide to go outside of the circuit to find a Supreme Court Justice he would have a wide field to select from, and there will doubtless be many candidates for the appointment.

Much interest is felt in the matter of the change in the Cabinet which will take place upon the retirement of Justice Field and the appointment of the Attorney-General to the Supreme Court bench. There is no difference of opinion in regard to the fact that Judge Goff, of West Virginia, could go into the Cabinet if he desired, but the unanimous belief is that he will decline the honor. In this event it is likely that the people of the Pacific coast will make a big fight for the appointment. Judge McKenna is the first representative to sit in the Cabinet from the Pacific coast, and the present political feeling in the West would seem to demand that his successor should be chosen from California.

Republicans from the Pacific coast say that the only way in which the State of California can be kept in the Republican column in the next Congressional elections is by retaining for the Pacific coast representation in the Cabinet.

SALISBURY WANTS TO RESIGN.

He Is in Poor Health—A Reconstruction of the Cabinet Probable.

(Cable Dispatch to the New York Sun.)

London, Oct. 18.—The Chronicle says that Lord Salisbury's health is not equal to the strain imposed on it by his work as Prime Minister and Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and that he desires to resign.

The paper adds that an early reconstruction of the Cabinet is probable. The Queen is unwilling to make any changes, but in view of Lord Salisbury's ill health his resignation is likely to be accepted.

Durant Is Weakening

San Francisco, Oct. 18.—The nerve of Theodore Durant, the convicted murderer of Minnie Williams and Blanche Dement, is leaving him. He is in San Quentin Prison, and has been in a solitary cell since the appeal in his case was taken to the United States Supreme Court. He is let out for an hour each day for exercise, an event which Durant has always heretofore been eager for.

The guards believe that if the decision of the Supreme Court be against him Durant will collapse completely.

MISS CISNEROS HONORED.

Continued Cheers at the Cuban Heroine's Reception.

New York, Oct. 18.—The popular reception to Miss Evangelina Cisneros in Madison Square Saturday night was an unqualified success. Fully fifty thousand people, probably one-third of them well-dressed women, crowded the upper half of the square and filled Broadway and Firth avenue, and waited patiently for the speeches to be finished and the appearnace of the heroine of the daring Spanish prison delivery.

J. Lincoln De Zayas was speaking when the carriage containing Miss Cisneros and Karl Decker, her rescuer, appeared at the stand. The little woman, attired in white satin and enveloped in a huge fur-caped cloak, mounted the steep, narrow steps to the platform, bowing and smiling to the people. Once on the platform Mr. Decker led his charge down the aisle between the musicians to the front of the platform.

Miss Cisneros' appearance was the signal for a tremendous demonstration by the great crowd, which stretched out for one hundred yards before her. The men yelled and waved their hats, the women waved their handkerchiefs, and the band played a Cuban battle song.

With a huge bouquet in her right hand and a pleased but diffident expression on her face, Miss Cisneros bowed to her audience, for hers it was, then turned to Mr. Decker, indicating that she wanted him to understand that the applause was as much for him as for her.

For several moments the two stood forth while the cheering continued, then Miss Cisneros was led back to the rear of the platform, where she bowed and smiled to the crowd on that side of the platform.

The crowds pressed closely around her when the fair Cuban was led to her carriage. They were all eager to shake hands with her and with Decker, and the police were compelled to do some lively work to keep them from overturning the carriage. The carriage was driven around the square and back to Delmonico's, where the reception there was continued.

JOHN BULL FOR GOLD.

Cabinet Decides Against the Maintenance of Silver Reserve.

London, Oct. 18.—The Cabinet meeting which was held at the Foreign Office on Saturday lasted two hours. After the meeting it was unofficially announced that the Cabinet had decided in favor of the Bank of England maintaining its full gold standard.

It is understood that the Cabinet decided to refuse to reopen the Indian mints to the free coinage of silver. A full reply to the proposals made by Senator Wolcott will be sent to him next week.

The decision has been expected for some time. When the bank intimated its willingness to hold one-fifth of its reserve in silver such a storm of protest was raised by business men all over Great Britain that the scheme was quickly abandoned.

PRESIDENT DIAZ'S THANKS.

Mexico's Chief Executive Congratulates This Country.

Lexington, Ky., Oct. 18.—When the National Mexican Veteran Association closed its annual reunion at Nashville last month the secretary, Col. William R. Smith, of this city, wrote, on behalf of the veterans, a letter to President Diaz, of Mexico, congratulating him upon his escape from the assassin. Col. Smith has just received this reply in the handwriting of the Mexican President:

"I accept as a proof of your consideration for me the generous congratulations which you have sent me, and return to you this testimony of my sincere acknowledgment. Your obedient servant, PORFERIO DIAZ."

Seven Klondikers Perish.

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 18.—A party of seven Klondike prospectors, including A. C. Wright, of Seattle, and Harry T. Newman and William J. Schwartz, of San Francisco, have perished on the Taku River.

William J. Schwartz was about 37 years old. He came from Philadelphia originally, and has no relatives on the Coast. Harry T. Newman is about 42 years old, and has a wife and child. The party was either massacred by Indians or drowned in the river.

Weyler Hangs On.

Havana, via Key West, Oct. 18.—Gen. Weyler refuses to give up the Captain-Generalcy of Cuba until his successor arrives. He has ordered Gen. Jimenez Castellanos, to whom the Government instructed Weyler to resign his powers, to remain in Puerto Principe province.

According to dispatches from Madrid the prominent Cuban Autonomist, Don Jose Bruzon, has refused to accept the office of Secretary of the Government in Cuba, offered to him by the Minister of the Colonies.

England's Great Strike.

London, Oct. 18.—Seventy-eight thousand engineers this week received strike pay to the amount of £40,0 0. The appeal that was issued by the engineers' unions to the public for funds to aid the strikers having proved a failure, several of the important trades have decided to let the engineers fight out their battles by themselves, despite the fact that the leaders of the strike assert that the present contest is the greatest fight of the century in behalf of labor.

Gold Ore Worth $10 a Barrel.

Pottstown, Pa., Oct. 18.—Gold ore worth $10.26 a barrel has been found on the farm, near Sassamansville, owned by B. M. Yost, of Boyertown. The discovery was made by John W. Bauman, who was digging a well on the property. Dashler Brothers, of Belvidere, N. J., have secured a twenty-five years' lease on the property and are erecting buildings and machinery.

A Royal Marriage.

Paris, Oct. 18.—According to a dispatch to the Rappel from Berlin it is rumored in German Court circles that the ex-Empress Frederick, mother of Emperor William, intends to marry Count von Sickendorf, the Court Marshal.

The Rappel is a Boulevard paper and no credence is given to the report.

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GOLF.

Last Saturday afternoon the golf team from the Morristown Field Club came to Plainfield to play a return match with the team from the Hillside Golf Club. The first game at Morristown was won by the team from that place, and Saturday's contest was a lively one for second honors. The Plainfield team won by a good score, 32 to 11. Below will be found the scores:

Plainfield.		Morristown.	
Wadsworth, W.	3	Grannis	0
Wharton, J. H. P.	9	Duyckinck	0
Richards	2	Coghill	0
Walz, F. W.	3	Brinley	0
Beebe	0	Griffith	5
Kaufman	8	Woodward	0
Walz, C. F.	5	Ford	0
Fisk, A.	0	Ewing	6
Baker	2	Schermerhorn	0
	32		11

Among some of the good scores made were: Wadsworth, 86; Wharton, 87; Richards, 91, and C. F. Walz, 92. At the clubhouse there was a good attendance of the fair sex. Miss Daisy Shepard received, assisted by her sister, Mrs. J. Doul Miller, and her mother, Mrs. A. D. Shepard. Next Saturday afternoon the Plainfield team will play the Suburban Club team at Elizabeth.

AMONG THE STEPPERS.

The following is the summaries of the racing events held on the Woodbridge track last Safurday. The same horses will contest on the Plainfield Driving Park Association track next Saturday:

2:35 CLASS.

Belle Carpenter, Woodbridge, Joe Boy	3	1	1
E. A. Ames, Woodbridge, Gen. Benham	1	2	2
J. B. Brown, Rahway, Roy B.	2	3	3
H. D. Crowell, Rahway, Richard Wilkes	4	4	dr

Time—2:34½; 2:31½; 2:32½; 2:29½.

2:25 CLASS.

T. Brantingham, South Plainfield, Myrtie Twig	1	1	1
Wm. Waters, Perth Amboy, Breastplate	2	2	3
Woodbrook Stock Farm, Plainfield, Barney Williams	3	3	2
W. E. Brock, Plainfield, Active	4	4	4

Time—2:26½; 2:29; 2:27½.

2:40 CLASS.

N. Smalley, North Plainfield, Bolette	3	1	1
Woodbrook Stock Farm, Plainfield, Rocksey	1	2	3
John Taylor, Rahway, Little Dick	2	3	2

Time—2:46½; 2:42½; 2:41; 2:48½.

2:30 CLASS.

Sam Hall, Perth Amboy, Alda H.	2	1	1	1
Dug. Darby, Plainfield, Sunday	1	3	2	2
Judge Coddington, Plainfield, Belle	2	2	3	4
C. A. Campbell, Woodbridge, Lady C.	4	4	4	3

Time—2:29½; 2:28½; 2:29½ 1:32½.

CYCLING COMMENT.

There has been considerable interest among the wheeling fraternity regarding the location of the Columbia agency in Plainfield next year. As has already been exclusively stated in The Press, the Columbia will be exhibited in the window of the grocery store of George W. Rockfellow, on Park avenue, this winter. Mr. Rockfellow will continue to represent the Columbia until spring and will then probably continue as the Columbia agent.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Lawyer Charles McNabb entertained relatives from out of town over Sunday.

Douglass Drake, of Duer street, has entered the New Jersey Military Academy.

Miss Frances Lister, of Philadelphia, is visiting Plainfield relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Waters, of Mariners avenue, entertained company from out of town over Sunday.

William Rockwell and family, of East Front street, leave soon to spend the winter in New York.

Miss Edith Horton and Miss Luella Crowther, of Sandford avenue, spent Sunday with friends in Bound Brook.

Annie Fenner, of New York city, will reside with her uncle, H. Van-Middlesworth, of 515 West Front street, after today.

The marriage of Miss Maggie Flanagan, of West Fifth street, and Michael Whelan, will take place Wednesday at St. Mary's R. C. church.

Dr. McKane and wife, of the Christian church, Grove street, will be tendered a reception after their return from the National convention now in session at Indianapolis.

Mrs. C. P. Leggett and daughter, Margaret, of Madison avenue, are visiting Mrs. Leggett's sister, Mrs. Edward O. Chickering, at Albany. Mrs. Chickering's husband has a temporary charge at the above place, where he is preaching for a time.

BRYANISM ENDORSED.

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minority report.

Leaving matters in this shape the committee adjourned to await the reopening of the convention, when the battle will be decisively fought.

The convention reconvened at 2 o'clock and the temporary officers were made permanent.

The committee on credentials reported a contest in the fourth district of Bridgewater (Somerville) between James J. Bergen and Autin Moore, Palmer and Buckner delegates, and Edgar W. Farley and George Norton, Bryan delegates. At the first session the first two had taken seats. The committee recommended that they be unseated. Their action was approved by the convention.

[A report of the trouble in the fourth district is given in another column.—EDITOR.]

After a speech by William Pangborn in favor of the minority report, the two reports were submitted to a viva voice vote. The one endorsing the Chicago platform was endorsed by a three-fourths vote. Mr. Pangborn wanted it decided by ballot but he was over ruled.

The convention is now proceeding to nominate.

FIGHT IN A PRIMARY.

Gold and Silver Men Violently Clash in Somerville.

The Democratic primary in Somerville for the election of delegates to the Somerset county convention, was the scene of an exciting contest between discordant elements. The New York Journal published the following account of it this morning:

In the Somerville district harsh words and blows were the result of an attempted fraud on the part of the gold men. Alvah A. Clark, the one-time Democratic boss of the county, selected as his delegates to the convention ex Speaker James J. Bergen and Austin Moore, who holds a position under Mr. Clark in the postoffice. The silver leader, James J. Meehan, slated for delegates George P. Morton and Edward Farley, both Bryan men.

When Austin Moore passed by the tellers and cast his ballot Counselor John Frech grabbed him by the arm and shouted:

"Hold on there, Austin, you threw four ballots into the box."

"You're a liar," retorted Moore, angrily.

"No, he is not a liar; I saw you throw four ballots into the box," furiously exclaimed Michael W. Scully.

The chairman, to settle the controversy, ordered a count of the ballots already cast, to compare them with the number of names registered, it being the custom to register each vote cast. The count showed three more votes in the box than there were names on the registry list.

When this result was announced, Scully leaned over the table toward Moore, and hotly exclaimed: "Now, am I a liar?"

Moore replied by striking Scully a terrific blow in the face, which caused him to stagger.

At this violent attack there were cries of indignation and much confusion ensued, but Moore was restrained and Scully was led away.

The chairman of the caucus declared Bergen and Moore elected.

—George Egel, of Somerset street, proprietor of the Grandview Meat Market, is at his place of business again, after an attack of the grip.

Mrs. Dunham, of Central avenue, is detained at home with a severe illness.

—Jaquett's great slaughter sale is still going on. The price as well as the quality of the goods is what attracts.

HOME, SWEET HOME FIRST SUNG.

Over the Grave of an Indian Who Died to Join Wife and Child.

When the boundary line between Tennessee and Georgia was established, it passed half a mile south of the spring Tuck-a-lee-chee-chee, among the foothills of the Unakas, and as it crossed one of the principal Indian trails, it became a place of much importance. There had already grown up a strong rivalry between the Tennessee tribes, headed by Chief Ross, and the Georgia tribes, headed by Major Ridge, both half-breeds and men of extraordinary ability as leaders. The establishment of a new boundary line, fixed the limits of their respective territories, and to try and harmonize as far as possible the contending factions the government established a trading post there. John Howard Payne appeared upon the scene, and was accused of inciting the Indians to insubordination. He was placed under arrest as an incendiary and carried to the council house.

While Payne was held there one of the first bands arrived, and among the Indians was the chief, Oo-chee, or Rattling Gourd, a broken-hearted man. He was moody and abstracted, and refused all invitations to the council house and would partake of no festive enjoyments whatever, but spent the most of his time at the graves of his wife and child farther up the valley. One morning he was missed. Weltering in his own blood, his body was found between the little mounds that covered his squaw and papoose. In some way, he had secreted a bayonet, fell upon the point of it and died on the spot where he had often expressed a desire to be laid for his last long sleep. A grave was dug on the spot where he lay, and the chief was buried by the soldiers, one of the Moravian missionaries officiating. After the services were over, John Howard Payne, who had been a silent witness of the pathetic scene, began singing softly to himself the song which has since been echoed through every land on the earth. Gen. Bishop, who had kept a close scrutiny on his actions, heard the song and called Payne to him.

"Young man," said the stern old Indian fighter, "where did you learn that song?"

"I wrote that song myself," replied Payne.

"And where did you get the tune?"

"I composed that also."

"Would you let me have a copy of it?"

"Certainly I will.

"Well, a man who can sing and write like that is no incendiary. Appearances may be against you, but I am going to set you free. I shall write out your discharge immediately, and pass you anywhere you choose through the nation."

Payne had been housed at the home of a family living nearby, and on his return there he exhibited his pass and related the circumstances. That was the first time that "Home, Sweet Home," had ever been sung in public. —Atlanta Constitution.

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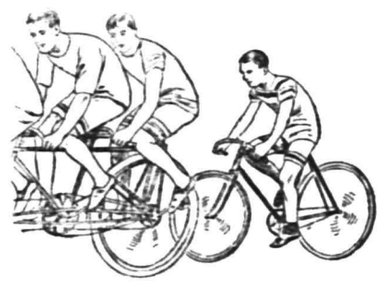

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SOMERSET DEMOCRATS NAME CANDIDATES AFTER ENDORSING THE BRYAN PLATFORM.

GEORGE VOSSELLER, OF SOMERVILLE, FOR SURROGATE.

Several Candidates for Surrogate, But Vosseller Was the Final Choice—John A. Layton to Contest With VanDoren for the Assembly.

The action of Somerset county Democratic convention in unhesitatingly endorsing the Chicago platform and the ideas of its standard bearers, in face of the protests of an element of the party who were drawn into the enemies camp a year ago by reason of the promulgation of such tenets, is regarded by some as bad politics. However the sentiment may result remains to be seen. The projection of such an issue into the convention, at least, made it lively where otherwise it might have been merely perfunctory.

After the question of the currency platform of the Chicago convention had been satisfactorily settled at the Democratic convention of Somerset county, held at Somerset Hall, Somerville, yesterday, the delegates had a little contest over the choice of candidates who are to stand for them in the race for the surrogateship and Assemblymanship.

There was considerable feeling shown in the contest about the financial plank in the resolutions. It has been the custom for the county conventions to adopt a resolution indorsing the platform of the last National convention. This year, to take such action meant to support the silver plank of the platform. There were Democrats in the convention who thought that the question of gold or silver was not one that should trouble the county convention but rather should be ignored and that the State issues should take the prominent place in the campaign that is to be inaugurated in the county.

Now it happened that Charles H. Lyman, the delegate by proxy for A. E. Kenney, from North Plainfield, was one of the believers in that theory. He was appointed on the committee on resolutions with ten other men from other parts of the county. The chairman of the committee was George S. Corle, of Hillsboro, who afterwards unsuccessfully ran for the nomination of surrogate. Lyman was the only objector in the committee against placing the doctrines of Bryan in the county platform. Corle was to present the set of resolutions of which he was the father, indorsing the Chicago platform and it was generally understood that the minority of one would also make its report. Mr. Lyman was called to Plainfield, however, and William H. Pangborn took his place.

It was in the afternoon session that the reports of the committees came up. Mr. Corle read his resolutions and the one referring to the Chicago platform was received with applause. He had just sat down when Mr. Pangborn jumped up and offered the minority report. In it he expressed a belief in the Democratic doctrines and principles and condemned the action of the Republican Legislature and the Republicans who were in charge of local affairs. As he sat down, a delegate jumped up and moved that the minority report be adopted. The motion was seconded.

The report and a few remarks following it were received with applause and it is probable that the chairman did not hear the motion, at any rate he ignored it, and Mr. Corle moved that his report be adopted. Fatal indecision on the part of the chairman then brought on the war of words that showed the gap between the clans of gold and silver had not closed. Mr. Pangborn and Mr. Corle took the leading part in the argument, while several others joined in on both sides. The chairman did not seem to know what to do, but at last put the motion of Mr. Corle when considerable pressure was brought to bear. The vote was clearly in favor of the majority report, but Mr. Pangborn demanded a vote by ballot. Then arose another verbal storm which the chairman did not quell or even attempt to.

Most of the delegates, now that the question had been put to vote, demanded that it be laid one side and tried to drown the remarks of the speakers with handclapping. At last, someone moved that they proceed with the nominations and on the motion being carried by an overwhelming majority, both sides retired to glare at each other.

There was a feeling among a number of the delegates that the endorsing of the Chicago platform will injure the cause of Democracy in the county. Mr. Pangborn said that it would cost the Democratic ticket many votes in North Plainfield. He was a Democrat, he said, but he wanted to see them win and not injure their cause by an action that was by no means necessary and very injurious to the welfare of the party under the present conditions.

The candidates for the nomination for Surrogate were Dr. Fred Sutphen, of Bernards; George S. Corle, of Hillsboro; George S. Vosseller, of Somerville, and George Anderson, of Somerville. Vosseller finally received the nomination on the fourth ballot. The result of the ballots were as follows:

	1st.	2d.	3d.	4th.
Vosseller	17	23	28	34
Anderson	16	18	18	28
Corle	18	15	16	—
Sutphen	10	6	—	—

The contest for the nomination for Assemblyman came next and J. L. M. DuFour, of South Bound Brook, and John A. Layton, of Bernards, were named. Layton received the nomination on the first ballot receiving 34 votes to DuFour's 28.

After appointing the county executive committee the convention adjourned. North Plainfield's representatives on it were: First district, John Emmons; Second district, Elston M. French; township, Francis Bartles.

YEAR TO THEIR TEENS.

TWELFTH ANNIVERSARY OF TRINITY CHURCH ENDEAVORERS.

No Special Exercises Marked the Occasion, But the Meeting Was Spirtually Helpful—The Standing Committees Announced.

The twelfth anniversary of the Christian Endeavor Society of Trinity Reformed church was held last evening in the small hall at the Y. M. C. A. building. It was a little unfortunate that the date came just at a time when the affair could not be held in the church, but when improvements are completed at the church there will be another proper recognition of the notable event.

There was a goodly number of the members of the society in attendance last evening and the event was marked with all the pleasantries one could desire. The newly-elected president, H. J. Martin, presided and conducted the interesting exercises which were opened with the singing of "The Light of the World is Jesus." This was particularly appropriate as the lights in the hall went out just at the time. Following this the twenty-third Psalm was repeated in unison, after which F. E. Smith offered prayer. The report of retiring secretary, Miss G. Berg, showed that two members had died during the year, and the membership is about the same as one year ago. The society is, however, in a good healthy spiritual condition and the prospects for the coming year are bright. Fred Ross, retiring treasurer, reported $23 77 in the general fund and $24.63 in the missionary fund. It was reported that the Junior Society now has a membership of sixty and is still growing.

At this point President Martin announced the standing committees as follows: Lookout, Miss Lillie Remson, Miss Ella Fenner, Miss Helen Bogert, William Oliver, J. J. Hewitt; prayer meeting, Mrs. Josie M. Tier, Miss Olive Wikoff, Miss Nettie Kreitling, Miss Mary Berkaw, Howard Wikoff; Sunday-school. Miss Mabelle Wilson, Alfred K. Willett, Miss Nellie Backer, Fred VanHorn, Miss Lizzie Mobus; social, Mrs. H. J. Martin, Mrs. J. E. Townsend, Mrs. Bertha Richards, Miss Corinna Young, Miss Jennie Ross; missionary, Miss Jennie Wyman, Miss Viola Huff, Miss Laura Holder, Miss Bessie Martin, Julius Williams; temperance and good citizenship, Henry Seader, Harry Crawford, Miss L. Bolsterli, Miss Anna Searing. Miss Louise Williams; flower, Miss Maude VanDyke, Miss Martha Anthony, Miss Minnie Berg, Miss Nettie Young, Fred Ross; reception, Samuel Fenner, J. E. Townsend, A. L Force, Miss Grace Berg, Miss May Sheppard; music, Mrs. L. Rosensteihl, Miss Jennie Quick, Miss Cora Dunlap, Miss Cora Laire, Miss Martha Cook. The first one named on each of the above committees, serves as the chairman of the committee. The new officers are: President, H. J. Martin; first vice-president, H W. Marshall; second vice-president, Mrs. F. C. Adams; secretary, Miss Emma Gillem; corresponding secretary, Miss Mabelle Woodruff; treasurer, Charles Dolliver.

A pleasing feature was the charge given to the new officers and committees by the pastor, Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph.D., who spoke words of encouragement and wisdom to those who will guide the affairs of the society during the coming months. His words were listened to attentively. Following the talk given by the pastor, E. E. Anthony, president of the local union, was called upon and he gave a short and interesting address. After the singing of a hymn, the social committee took charge and served all with seasonable refreshments, while sociability reigned supreme among all present. The celebration certainly marks the beginning of a bright and prosperous new year for this society.

Operation On An Eye.

Sometime ago David J. Sisk, engineer at the Walter Scott Printing Machine Works, caught a cinder in his eye, and as time passed on he suffered intensely. Finally a cataract formed on the eye and Mr. Sisk was fearful lest he lose the sight in the eye. He called on Dr. Ard yesterday, and the latter performed an operation, removing the foreign substances. The eye is still very sore and it is necessary to keep it bandaged for the present. Mr. Sisk hopes to go to work in a short time. At present he and his wife are visiting relatives in Brooklyn.

Got a Black Eye While Nutting.

Vincent Meaney, a lad of ten years, and a Daily Press carrier, went after chestnuts yesterday at the Netherwood Farms, and he is now carrying a black eye, the result of a large club falling from the tree and striking him in the face. The injured member is very sore and necessarily has to be bandaged.

BID ADIEU AS A MISS.

RECEPTION TO MISS BARLOW IN HONOR OF APPROACHING MARRIAGE.

Delightful Event in Washington Park Social Circles Given by Mr. and Mrs. William Barlow—Names of Guests Present

A delightful event in the social circles of Washington Park was held last evening at the residence of William Barlow, of Prospect place, when Mr. and Mrs. Barlow gave a reception to their daughter, Miss Grace D. Barlow, in honor of her approaching marriage to Charles Stillman. Mr. Stillman was also welcomed back by his friends after his long absence in the south.

The house was beautifully decorated throughout. The prevailing color of the decorations in the parlor was pink. Pink ribbons decorated with flowers were festooned from the chandelier to the sides of the room and to the windows, forming an enormous fan The library was in scarlet. The fireplace was banked with scarlet sage tied up with scarlet ribbon while an arch of scarlet leaves was arranged over the door. The dining room was decorated in green, which color was also prominent in the handsome table decorations.

Mrs. William Barlow, Miss Grace D. Barlow and Miss Alice A. Barlow received the guests. Mrs. J. O. Osgood and Mrs. Charles Matthews presided over the table in the dining room and were assisted in serving the guests by a number of the friends of the Misses Barlow, among whom were the Misses Alice Thompson, Marion Henderson, Edith Clapp, Adelaide Ball, Mabel VanDeventer, Halla VanDeventer, Elsie Horne, Katheryn Overton, Laura Long, Sarah Long, Elizabeth Hull, Mary Hull, May Wilson, Alice Rushmore and Helen Phillips.

The music for the occasion was furnished by Rogers.

Among those present were: Frank Thompson, Miss Marion Henderson, Miss Ida Cook, Charles Cook, Raymond Cook, of Trenton; Howard Turrill, Percy Long, the Misses Phillips, Albert Sprowl, Henry C. Wells, Miss Edith Clapp, Miss Blanch Miller, the Misses Hull, the Misses Hattie and May Shreve, John Brower, the Misses Ball, Mr. and Mrs. Fred O. Ball, Miss Elsie Horne, Harry L. McGee, Robert Suffren, A. Willis West, Elston M. French, William L. McClure, the Misses Helen and Anna Hasbrouck, Fred P. Taylor, the Misses Warman, Arthur Murphy, Miss Maud Middledith, George Worth, Miss Clara Woltmann, Albert O. Woltmann, Frank E. Richards, the Misses Osgood, Miss Agnes Smith, Allan B. Laing, the Messrs. Fish, John W. Kirkner, Dr. Marc Clawson, B. Williamson Miller, of Newark; Alfred E. Holmes, Paul Tewisoux, of Fanwood; Edward Wilson, William J. R. Thiers, Miss Marie Dryden, Miss Ida Randolph, Mrs. A C. N. Randolph, Miss Clawson, Miss Kate Overton, Allan Wilson, Mrs. E. A. Stillman, of Alfred, N. Y., and Mrs. L. M. Groves, of Brockwoyouth, Pa

A YOUNG MAN MISSING.

His Relatives Are Much Exercised Over His Unaccounted for Absence.

The relatives and friends of Charles Jennings are much exercised over the mysterious disappearance of the young man, who has not been seen or heard from since yesterday morning about nine o'clock. Jennings, who is seventeen years of age, lives with his mother, brother and sister at 323 Watchung avenue. He has always been a well-behaved young man and has helped his mother, taking whatever employment he could secure During the summer he was employed at William Tier's ice cream parlors, on Park avenue, but was dismissed about four weeks ago, when the business became slack.

Since that time Jennings has spent his time looking for work, but has failed to secure any. Yesterday morning, after eating breakfast as usual, he left the house saying that he was going to look for work. He seemed in good spirits. When night came he failed to return, and Mrs. Jennings became anxious at his absence. Nothing has since been heard from him. There had been no disagreement between him and his mother, and she is at a loss to account for his disappearance except upon the theory that he met with foul play, or has become mentally deranged and has wandered away, not knowing where he is.

Delegates to Confer.

This evening at the Republican Association rooms on East Front street there will be a meeting of all the delegates to the county convention which were elected last evening in the various wards.

D.O.Tiffany, of Crescent avenue, has entirely recovered from an attack of typhoid fever and is able to attend to business again.

REPUBLICAN HOSTS MET TO MAKE COUNTY DELEGATES WITHOUT A CLASH.

ALL WARDS PLEDGE SUPPORT TO ROGER F. MURRAY.

George T. Parrot the Choice for the Surrogateship—Bytalk in Some Wards Indicated That in the Future There May be a Conflict.

The Republican primaries in the various wards last night to elect delegates to the county convention to be held in Elizabeth next Friday were marked by a unanimity quite remarkable. Not a clash of conflicting forces was noticed in any of the meetings, though among the attendants in some of the bailiwicks there was bytalk of what might in the future make trouble. The delegates elected are all enthusiastically for Roger F. Murray, of the Third ward, for an Assembly candidate, and for George T. Parrot, of Elizabeth, for Surrogate.

FIRST WARD.

Those who attended the First ward primary were not as speedy as the other wards in transacting the business before them, and it was after 8:30 when the business was concluded. Assemblyman W. R. Codington was chosen chairman of the meeting, while J. B. Coward was the secretary. William Addis was judge and Dr. O. L. Jenkins was the inspector. The following Roger Murray ticket was selected for delegates to the county convention: D. S. Dunavan, J. F. Buckle, R. I. Tolles, C. H. Herring, J. E. Flannery, William Douglas, Fred. Stack, Joseph Neil, H. C. VanEmburgh and Fred Beekman. For members of the county committee Charles J. Newman and L. M. Dunavan were elected J. Fred. MacDonald was nominated for a position on the latter committee but failed to receive a sufficient number of votes. There was very little opposition to the regular ticket, which went through easy. The delegates were empowered to fill vacancies, after which the meeting adjourned.

SECOND WARD.

The Second ward primary was held in the Bryant School building and was called to order by Councilman Wm. N. Runyon, as a member of the county executive committee. Henry B. Newhall was made chairman and Edwin B. Frost secretary. The other officers were: Judge of election, Andrew Vanderbeek; tellers, N. Runyon and S. Cahoone.

The following delegates were elected without opposition: M. S. Ackerman, John B. Dumont, J. Hervey Doane, Charles Smith, Robt. Guttridge, Wm. H Drayton, John E. Keeley, Lewis Croom, Edwin B. Frost, William N. Runyon, Joseph. H. Robinson.

After the delegates had been chosen two members of the county executive committee were called for. Wm. N. Runyon, Geo. D. Patton and Vincent W. Nash were nominated. The vote showed that Runyon received 38; Patton, 36, and Nash, 5. The first two were declared elected. After empowering the delegates to fill vacancies the primary adjourned. The delegates favor Roger F. Murray for Assembly and George T. Parrot for Surrogate.

THIRD WARD.

A solid delegation to support the candidacy of Roger F. Murray for the position of Republican Assembly nominee was chosen without opposition at the Third ward primary, last evening, held in the Casino. The meeting was called to order by Roger F. Murray, of the county committee. Mayor Charles J. Fisk was chosen chairman of the meeting and Joseph Sandford secretary. Andrew Gavett was appointed Judge of election, J. W. Murray inspector and Rev. C. L. Goodrich clerk. The selection of delegates to the county convention came next and the following ten men were chosen without opposition: W. T. Kaufman, Ernest R. Ackerman, A. I Littell, J. W. Murray, Jr., Spencer Conway, F. E. Marsh, B. Frank Coriell, G. J. Tobin, J. Frank Hubbard and W. A. Pinto. The delegation was empowered to fill vacancies in its ranks. Roger F. Murray and William T. Kirk were elected members of the county executive committee.

FOURTH WARD.

At the Fourth Ward Primary the largest attendance was recorded and the basement of Reform Hall was packed to suffocation. It was a quiet and orderly crowd and there was no opposition shown to the pre-arranged plan of the leaders. The meeting was called by Councilman W. A. Westphal, after which he was made chairman, and Lawyer W. S. Angleman was selected as secretary. William Claassen made a motion that the members of the county committee and the delegates to the convention be chosen together and the motion prevailed. The following ticket was then nominated and elected by the secretary casting the ballot:

For county committee—James Stewart, Alonzo Ayers; delegates to county convention—George W. DeMeza, Harry C. Runyon, Albert W. Demarest, James H. Stewart, Willam A. Westphal, Albert H. Leivers, Daniel J. Galbraith, Joseph Chapot, William Newcorn, Edward McCray, Robert Lee, Alonzo T. Ayers, John Kavanaugh, Arthur Venable and Frank Nelson.

The delegates were given the power to fill any vacancies on the committee The committee throughout is solid for Roger Murray for the Assembly nomination. F. C. Lounsbury was judge of election, and James Huntington was the inspector.

FANWOOD.

The Republican voters of Fanwood township held their primary in the Knights of Pythias Hall last evening. John Robison was made chairman and E. L. Hand secretary; and Geo. Ball, Wm. Turton, John Robison and Frank Allen were chosen as delegates to the county convention. E. L. Hand and L. W. Miller were named for members of the county executive committee. Thirty-eight votes were cast in the primary.

TOO CANDID FOR OWN GOOD.

CHARGED WITH HIGHWAY ROBBERY.

Theodore Trendle Mistook Strangers for Friends and Playfully Grabbed Their Horse in the Road.

The following introductory paragraph to a story written early this morning shows that things are not always what they seem:

The mystery of the Netherwood holdup of Sunday evening has been solved and happily, too.

Then followed this sentence:

It was a case of mistaken identity.

The rest of the story follows, the last paragraph, added at noon, being a contradiction to the introductory paragraph originally prepared:

The supposed highwayman was no other than Theodore Trendle, of East Front street, a respectable young man with no inclinations toward highway robbery. He was expecting several friends who were coming from the direction of Fanwood in a carriage and so he took the trolley down to Netherwood and decided to wait there in the terrace until his friends showed up and then ride to Plainfield with them.

The reception he received was a genuine surprise. When the driver brought the whip down on the horse's back, he saw the occupants of the carriage were not those that he had been waiting for and so releas d his hold on the bridle and departed from the neighborhood at once.

When he saw the article in The Press last evening, he went to Chief Grant and explained the whole matter and the two had a hearty laugh over Nelson's fright.

Although the city officials are satisfied that Trendle was not a highway man, a complaint was made against him by Sergeant Kiely and the matter will be investigated thoroughly. He was brought before the City Judge and released on $200 bail.

TO AID THE SPEIEKARTENFEST.

St. Joseph's Holy Name Society Pledge Their Aid to the Event

The Holy Name Society, of North Plainfield, held its regular monthly meeting in the society's meeting rooms in the basement of St. Joseph's church on Sunday last. Resolutions were adopted stating that the members would give all the aid in their power to promote the interests of the entertainment to be given in aid of Muhlenberg Hospital, and that the members would attend the performances of the Speiekartenfest during its progress.

A very interesting account was given by J. L. Anderson of his travels through Japan and China Five new members were admitted.

Has Ridden 6,400 Miles.

Peter B. Matthews has returned from a wheeling trip to Philadelphia. He spent several days there with relatives and rode over the famous roads in that vicinity. His trip home was a delightful one and he found the roads in excellent condition. His mileage is now 6,400 miles, which still keeps him in the lead in the mileage contest of the New York Athletic Club. The next highest man is three hundred miles behind.

Chose a New Delegate.

The executive committee of the Woman's Parliamentary Club met Monday afternoon and elected Mrs. Carmon Parse as delegate to the annual meeting of the State Federation of Woman's Clubs, in place of Mrs. Krom, who had been previously elected as delegate by the Town Improvement Association.

SUED FOR $5,000; GOT $62.50.

Street Car Motorman Wanted Heavy Damages for Being Hurt in a Collision.

John J. Foreman, the motorman in the employ of the Plainfield Street Railway who was injured by a collision with one of William O. Baldwin's hay wagons last March, brought suit against Baldwin for damages amounting to $5,000 and yesterday the case came up for trial in the Circuit Court at Elizabeth before Judge Van Sickle and a jury of twelve men.

Foreman is now living in New Brunswick and was represented by Howard McSherry, of that city. Codington & Swackhamer were the counsel for the defence. Foreman tried to prove that his car came to a standstill before the accident and that Baldwin's man ran the heavy pole of the wagon into the headlight of the car, smashing it and striking Foreman on the side confining him to his bed for several weeks and permanently injuring him. The defence tried to show that the car must have been moving to show the horse and mule attached to the places were they were found. They also presented evidence to show that Foreman had been to a dance not long after the accident and was not so badly injured but that he could dance until 2 o'clock in the morning. After being out three hours the jury brought in a verdict of $62 50 for the plaintiff.

Bridge Iron Arrives

The iron for the Sycamore avenue bridge arrived today and will be placed in position at once. On the Watchung avenue bridge the iron work is almost completed.

REV. P. S. GIBSON ARRESTED

CHARGED WITH A SERIOUS OFFENSE.

Complaint Made By the Overseer of the Poor and He is Held Under Bonds For Trial Saturday.

The trouble that has been brewing about Rev. P. S. Gibson, the colored minister of the Mt. Olive Baptist church, has reached a crisis. This morning, Rev. Mr. Gibson was placed under arrest by Chief Grant on the complaint of the overseer of the poor, charged with a serious crime against Lucy Swalm, a young colored woman of this city.

This morning Rev. Mr. Gibson was brought before City Judge DeMeza and held under $200 bonds for trial on Saturday morning. It is understood that the trial will be adjourned until a later day, however.

One of her strongest bits of evidence, Miss Swalm claims, was a package of five letters that she had received from the defendant in which he is alleged to have incriminated himself. Now, however, she cannot produce them, and tells the strange story that they were taken from her by false pretences. Several days ago, she claims, a man dressed in blue like a policeman came and demanded the letters saying that he was a policeman and that the City Judge wanted them. She claims to have given the letters to him.

Codington & Swackhamer are the counsel for Rev. Mr. Gibson. Corporation Counsel will represent the city in the trial.

Wm. L. Smalley, Jr., of Somerset street, is in Somerville on business.

HOLDS LUETGERT'S FATE

The Case of the Chicago Sausage Man in the Jury's Hands.

UPROAR IN THE STREETS

Police Clubs Stop It—The Court House Besieged—An Immense Crowd Eager to Learn the Verdict in the Famous Case.

Chicago, Oct. 19. — The Luetgert wife-murder case is in the hands of the jury, with a good prospect of a disagreement. Up to 11.30 o'clock last night there had been nothing heard from the jury to indicate whether there was a possibility of a verdict before morning. As the jury has been out nearly seven hours, it appears that an agreement is not likely. In betting a disagreement is favored at odds of 2 to 1.

Thousands of persons blocked the streets around the Criminal Court room to-night waiting for the verdict. Men, women and children lined the pavements and street in front of the Madison street entrance until late, and the crowd extended to Dearborn avenue on the east and North Clark on the west.

Deputy sheriffs guarded the entrance to the court, and denied admission except to a few. Sheriff Pease late in the evening issued an order to keep the crowd out of the building, as a demonstration was feared when the verdict was reached. Enough persons got in, however, completely to fill the court room. Only three women were present.

About 9.30 o'clock the crowds in Michigan street were augmented by a score of men from the neighborhood of Luetgert's sausage factory. They were unruly and demanded admission to the court building. This was refused them, but they were so persistent that word was sent upstairs. The deputies at the door, fearing a rush for admission, telephoned to the East Chicago Avenue Police Station for more officers. The struggle drew a crowd which the police on duty were entirely incapable of handling. Capt. Hoffman sent a patrol wagon filled with officers to the scene, and they drew their clubs, and, aided by a score of deputy sheriffs, drove the crowd back.

The friends of Luetgert had by this time been reinforced by about two hundred other persons, but they retreated after a few vigorous applications of the clubs. The mob took up a stand near the middle of the street and jeered the police, while small boys with tin horns added to the discord which swelled from the would-be rioters, who loudly proclaimed their right to enter the courtroom.

BRYAN SPEAKS FOR GEORGE.

Says He Has a Splendid Chance of Being Elected Mayor.

New York, Oct. 19.—An interview with William J. Bryan, printed in the Evansville (Ind.) Courier, was given out at the George headquarters yesterday. It was dated Oct. 8. The interview was as follows:

"Do you think Henry George will be elected Mayor of Greater New York?"

"I think he has a splendid chance of being the next Mayor of New York. He is well known to the people of New York city. The masses believe in him and will support him at the polls. I do not think national issues will cut much figure in the New York election. The fight is on local issues. Personally Mr. George is a magnetic man and has fine executive ability. He will make an excellent Mayor and will inaugurate many reforms in New York city."

SEIZED A SCHOONER..

Treasury Department Holds Her at Norfolk on Suspicion.

Norfolk, Va., Oct. 19.—The three-masted schooner Donna T. Briggs, Capt. Gurney, arrived here yesterday morning from the Delaware Breakwater and was boarded by an officer from the Custom House, who, acting under orders from Secretary Gage, of the Treasury Department, took possession of the vessel. She is tied up here now with a customs official aboard awaiting further action on the part of the Washington authorities.

The schooner is suspected of carrying a cargo of ammunition to the Cuban insurgents from Punta Gorda, Fla., some time ago. She was searched at Lewes, Del., and again here, but nothing was found to convict her of filibustering. She is here ostensibly to load with oyster shells for Buzzard's Bay. Capt. Gurney is indignant over the detention of his vessel, and threatens to proceed against the Government for damages. He and his crew are at liberty.

Presidential Appointments.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 19.—Appointments made by the President yesterday were as follows: Frank C. Partridge, of Vermont, Consul at Tangier, Morocco; Chester W. Martin, of Michigan, Consul at Amherstburg, Ontario, and Joseph I. Brittain, of Ohio, Consul at Nantes, France.

Mr. Partridge, who was appointed as Consul at Tangier, Morocco, is well known in diplomatic circles, having represented this country during the Harrison Administration as Minister to Venezuela. He is said to be suffering considerably from ill health, which accounts for his going to Tangier, as he hopes the change may be of benefit to him.

Attorney to Prosecute Reeder.

Easton, Pa., Oct. 19.—The request of District-Attorney James W. Fox that he be allowed to have a Deputy District-Attorney in the conspiracy case against Gen. Reeder, Assemblyman Weiss and M. C. Luckenbach has been granted by Judge Scott. Mr. Fox has named W. E. Doster, of Bethlehem, one of the most conspicuous lawyers at the bar and a man of wide experience. The selection has been approved by the court.

Palmer the Victor.

London, Oct. 19.—The fight between "Peddler" Palmer, bantam-weight champion of England, and "Dave" Sullivan, of Boston, for a purse of $3,500, a side bet of $1,000 and the championship took place last night at the National Sporting Club. Palmer won in twenty rounds.

REAR ADMIRAL WORDEN DEAD.

Celebrated Commander of the Monitor Passes Away in Washington.

Washington, Oct. 19.—Rear-Admiral John Lorimer Worden, retired, U. S. N., died in this city yesterday. He was retired in 1886 with the thanks of Congress.

John Lorimer Worden was born in Westchester County, New York, on March 12, 1818. He entered the navy as a midshipman on Jan. 12, 1835. He served on various vessels until the war broke out. In April, 1861, he carried the orders of the Secretary of the Navy which saved Fort Pickens, and while returning to the North overland was captured and held a prisoner by the Confederates for seven months. On his exchange he was ordered to New York to superintend the completion of Ericsson's Monitor and to take command of her. He took the vessel to Hampton Roads, where the ironclad Merrimac had been wreaking havoc with the Federal fleet. Early in the morning of March 9, 1862, the two vessels met. It was the first battle of ironclads the world had ever seen.

Worden was wounded by the explosion of a shell in the pilot house at 11 o'clock, and Lieut. Greene took his place. The battle was drawn, but the United States fleet was rescued, and the plans of the Confederates to wreak further havoc with the Merrimac were destroyed. Congress gave Worden a vote of thanks for his gallant services. He was commissioned commander and subsequently became a captain. During the remainder of the war he was in active service in the blockading squadrons.

In 1866-67 he commanded the Pensacola on the Pacific station. He was promoted to commodore on May 27, 1868, and rear-admiral on Nov. 20, 1872.

VICTIM OF THE KLONDIKE.

Henry B. Tucker, of Troy, Dies on His Way to the Gold Fields.

Troy, Oct. 19.—Henry B. Tucker, son of Henry O'Reilly Tucker, proprietor of the Troy Press, is a victim of the Klondike fever. Word was received in this city yesterday of Mr Tucker's death on Sept. 11 at Minooc Creek, Alaska. While following the trail near Rampart City with several companions Mr. Tucker was taken ill. The little party spent two nights and days in the woods, and then turned back towards Rampart City. They had not gone far before Mr. Tucker fell from exhaustion. When picked up by his companions a few moments later he was dead. Tucker was only 25 years old, and was one of the best-known and most popular young men in Troy. He was graduated from Yale College in the class of '94, and soon afterward became assistant to his father in the conduct of the Troy Press. When the news of the Klondike gold discoveries reached Troy he was fired with an ambition to try his fortune in that region, and on July 27 left for the West. On Aug. 5 he sailed for Alaska, and on Aug. 18 he sailed up the Yukon on the steamer St. Michael, purchased by him and sixty others.

It is believed by his many friends here that Mr. Tucker was murdered for his money. He carried a large sum with him, and it is supposed that he excited the cupidity of the desperately hard-up miners, who attacked and killed him for gain. The remains will be brought here for burial.

THE LOSS OF THE TRITON.

Estimated that Not Less Than 150 Were Drowned.

Havana, Cuba, Oct. 19.—With the return of the gunboat Maria Cristina and a tug, bringing forty-two survivors of the wreck of the coasting steamer Triton, which sank on Saturday morning between Dominica and Mariel, the following details of the disaster are made known:

The Triton struck the rock during a heavy rainstorm. Her cargo shifted, and fifteen minutes later she sank in 120 fathoms of water. The first boat that was lowered was overturned immediately, and all its occupants were drowned. The next was struck by a wave and turned over, drowning twenty; but the craft righted again, and eight, who had been thrown out, regained it.

It is impossible to give the exact number of those who were lost, but it is estimated that they were not less than 150. No passenger list has been found.

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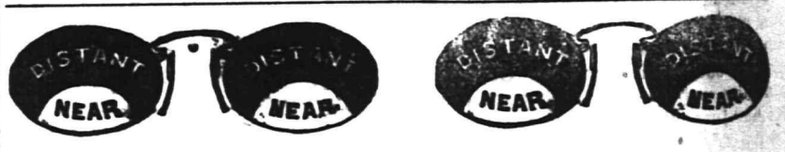

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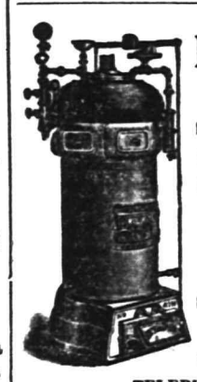

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NOTICE is hereby given to the tax-payers of the City of Plainfield that the taxes assessed in said City for the year eighteen hundred and ninety-seven are now due and payable, and that if said taxes be not paid before the
20th Day of December
next, the names of the defaulters with their respective taxes, will be returned to the City Judge for prosecution. The Commissioners of Appeal in cases of taxation in and for the said City will meet at the Council Chamber, No. 109 Park avenue, Plainfield, N. J., on the
4th Tuesday of November
next, (November 23rd, 1897,) at two o'clock p. m., to hear complaints relating to assessments.
E. H. BIRD,
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Gents' natural wool underwear, shirts and drawers, all sizes up to 48 and the ridiculous price of 39c., regularly 75c.
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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The Woman's Home Mission Society of Grace M. E. church will meet at the home of Mrs. Stevens, on Grandview avenue, Thursday afternoon, for the purpose of quilting.

—Miss Marion Short, reciter and impersonator, who is to appear at the entertainment of the Plainfield Banjo, Mandolin and Guitar Club in the Monroe Avenue Baptist church, is very highly spoken of wherever she has appeared as an artist of rare ability.

Those who believe chronic diarrhœa to be incurable should read what Mr. P. E. Crisham, of Gaars Mills, La., has to say on the subject, viz.: "I have been a sufferer from chronic diarrhœa ever since the war and have tried all kinds of medicines for it. At last I found a remedy that effected a cure and that was Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy." This medicine can always be depended upon for colic, cholera morbus, dysentery and diarrhœa. It is pleasant to take and never fails to affect a cure. 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Edward F. Randolph, of West Front street, is severely ill at his home.

Miss Lissa Livezey, of Prospect avenue, is visiting friends at Pottsville, Pa.

Samuel Hull, of Madison avenue, has returned from a short visit with out-of-town friends.

Croup Quickly Cured.

MOUNTAIN GLEN, Ark.—Our children were suffering with croup when we received a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It afforded almost instant relief.—F. A. Thornton. This celebrated remedy is for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Fred Bettman, of Washington Park, has accepted a position in New York city.

A pain in the chest is nature's warning that pneumonia is threatened. Dampen a piece of flannel with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bind over the seat of pain, and another on the back between the shoulders, and prompt relief will follow. Sold by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Miss Jessie Saxton, of East Fourth street, is enjoying a visit with friends at Yonkers, N. Y.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

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Richard Randolph, of West Eighth street, spent Sunday with relatives at Stelton.

The Grandest Remedy.

Mr. R. B. Greeve, merchant, of Chilhowie, Va., certifies that he had consumption, was given up to die, sought all medical treatment that money could procure, tried all cough remedies he could hear of, but got no relief; spent many nights sitting up in a chair; was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery, and was cured by use of two bottles. For past three years has been attending to business, and says Dr. King's New Discovery is the grandest remedy ever made, as it has done so much for him and also for others in his community. Dr. King's New Discovery is guaranteed for Coughs, Colds and Consumption. It don't fail. Trial bottles free at L. W. Randolph's drug store. Regular size 50 cents and $1.00.

Councilman William A. Westphal was in Trenton yesterday on business.

Something to Know.

It may be worth something to know that the very best medicine for restoring the tired out nervous system to a healthy vigor is Electric Bitters. This medicine is purely vegetable, acts by giving tone to the nerve centres in the stomach, gently stimulates the Liver and Kidneys, and aids these organs in throwing off impurities in the blood. Electric Bitters improves the appetite, aids digestion, and is pronounced by those who have tried it as the very best blood purifier and nerve tonic. Try it. Sold for 50c or $1.00 per bottle at L. W. Randolph's Drug Store.

SUPREME COURT DECISION.

The Government Recovers 700,000 Acres of Land.

Washington, Oct. 19.—The long-pending controversy between the United States and the Southern Pacific Railway Company over 700,000 acres in land in Southern California was decided yesterday in the Supreme Court in favor of the United States, Mr. Justice Harlan announcing the opinion. The land was embraced in the grant made to the Atlantic & Pacific Railway Company and identified by its map of definite location, filed and accepted by the Interior Department in 1872. The land was also included within the limits of the grant made to the Southern Pacific Company, the two roads overlapping at that point. The Southern Pacific Company claimed that the maps filed by the Atlantic & Pacific Company, were maps of general route, not of definite location; therefore that the forfeiture act of 1886 did not reach, and that they became embraced within the Southern Pacific grant by the failure of the Atlantic & Pacific to perfect its title by building the road. All these contentions, Justice Harlan said, had been adjudicated and settled in favor of the government by previous litigation between the parties, and the title of the government to the land was broadly sustained. As to the lands of the 280 individual defendants who had purchased in good faith from the railway company of lands already patented by the Interior Department, the Supreme Court gave the United States the right to go into the court below and prosecute its claims to a final decree.

REFUSED TO EXTRADITE GUERRA.

Secretary Sherman Says Offences He Is Accused of Are Political.

Washington, Oct. 19.—The attempt of Galixio Garza to overthrow the Diaz Government in 1892 was recalled yesterday by the refusal of Secretary Sherman to grant the request of the Mexican authorities for the extradition of Jesus Guerra, one of Garza's men. Guerra was arrested in this country in the year of the insurrectionary movement and confined in San Antonio. He was accused of crimes other than political, and held to await the action of the Federal authorities. A United States District Court released him on a writ of habeas corpus, whereupon the Mexican Government took the case to the United States Supreme Court and secured a reversal of the proceedings on the ground that they were irregular. The case then went back to the original jurisdiction, and Guerra was again held on the action of the State Department. Secretary Sherman's refusal was based on the ground that the offences of which Guerra were alleged to be guilty were political, and that there was not sufficient evidence to support the non-political charges.

KILLED BY AN APPLE.

Was in a Cyclist's Pocket When He Was Thrown.

Bridgeport, Ct., Oct. 19.—George Hall, one of the best-known cyclists in the city, is lying dead at his home here today. His death is a terrible warning against the danger of carrying any hard substance in one's pocket when wheeling or taking any other violent exercise.

Hall was killed by an apple which he carried in his breast pocket. He fell from his wheel. The apple struck his heart and he died almost instantly.

His death is the strangest ever known here. Every one is talking about it and wondering at it, except the doctors. They are fully aware of the dangers of carrying hard objects about the body in close proximity to a vital part. Medical works record many cases of death through such objects, the majority, as in Hall's case, being the result of falls.

The danger is especially great in the case of wheelmen, who are apt to tumble heavily to the ground at any moment. A lead pencil in the vest pocket is one of the most dangerous things that can be carried. If one falls on it at a certain angle it is almost sure to pierce the heart or lungs, inflicting a fatal wound. It is as dangerous when carried in the trousers pocket.

Hall's family are in great grief over the accident. Hall was only 18 years old.

AMERICAN INSOLENCE.

Bismarck Reported as Saying that the Monroe Doctrine Is an Outrage.

(Cable Dispatch to the New York Sun.)

Leipzig, Oct. 19.—The Neuesten Nachrichten, in an article which purports to have been written by Prince Bismarck, incidentally attacks the Monroe doctrine as a piece of exceptional insolence to the remainder of the world and an outrage on the other American nations and European nations with interests on the American continent. It adds:

"It would be analogous to this instance of American presumption if Russia asserted in Europe or Great Britain in Asia similar pretensions on those continents."

Big Increase in Wages.

Providence, R. I., Oct. 19.—The managers of the Riverside, Weybosset Manton and Lymansville mills announced yesterday that they would increase the wages of their operatives on Dec. 1 to the basis of the schedule of 1893. This step was taken without any demand from the operatives, but was expected after it was known that the big National mills had decided to go back to the 1893 schedule. The other big woolen mills also are expected to fall into line. In some instances the advance will be between 20 and 30 per cent.

ANNEXATION PROPOSED

Desire of the Conservative Business Men of Cuba.

TO PETITION WASHINGTON

Think Life and Property Will Be More Secure Under the Stars and Stripes than in an Island Republic—Sagasta's Plan.

Matanzas, Cuba, via Key West, Fla., Oct. 19.—The business element here, in Havana and elsewhere seem to have concluded that the Madrid Government *cannot end the war by granting* autonomy to Cuba, as among the autonomists who are loyalists there are not sufficient persons to hold public office. At least, that is the claim the conservative Spaniards make. In addition, the latter say that the autonomists, even if they were placed in power, would not be able to preserve peace and protect life and property from the lawless elements.

In view of this state of affairs, a number of important merchants and sugar planters of Spanish origin, in conjunction with several Cubans of prominence, have been holding secret meetings, and have been corresponding with *people in various parts of the island* with the object of ascertaining the views of the commercial and planting community in Pinar del Rio, Havana, Matanzas and Santa Clara as to the future for Cuba, most likely to further their interests and those of the island in general. It is expected that the majority of the replies received will be favorable to annexation to the United States, as the Washington Government alone apparently is able to guarantee peace and the protection of life and property. As soon as it is ascertained that the sentiment of the persons appealed to is in favor of annexation a committee will be sent to the United States with instructions to lay the case of Cuba before business men of prominence and ask the latter to unite with *the business men of Cuba in a petition* to the Washington Government for annexation. The failure of the conservatives to suppress the insurrection by force of arms, and the impossibility of the liberals ending the war by establishing an autonomous form of government will be pointed out.

The plan of Premier Sagasta to give autonomy to Cuba, far from giving satisfaction here, has greatly increased the feeling of discontent. The autonomist party, it is pointed out, exists only in name, the actual majority of the autonomists being in the insurgent ranks, and, with the exception possibly of Senor Montoro and a few others, the *masses of that party are in sympathy* with the insurgents. Consequently the Spanish Government, which has consulted Senor Montoro on the subject, is finding great difficulty in obtaining even the suggestion of names of autonomists to fill offices. It would be imprudent, it is added, to give such offices to the party known as reformists, as the more influential Spaniards hate them, and the adoption of such a policy would mean rioting and even worse; besides, the masses of the resident Spaniards are strongly anti-autonomists, and there is little or no prospect of making them change their minds.

Recognizing the difficulty of the task before Senor Sagasta, it is not regarded as astonishing that the business community in Cuba is exchanging views on *the subject of annexation to the United* States, especially as a general uprising of the Spanish elements is feared if the Spanish Government persists in pushing its autonomist policy, business men believing that autonomy is only the first step towards independence, and the feeling of the commercial classes being that annexation and the consequent safeguards to life and property is far preferable to the establishment of a new republic in Cuba.

SURGEON-GENERAL DEAD.

President's Family Physician Just Appointed to Succeed Tryon.

Washington, Oct. 19.—Medical Director Newton L. Bates, who was the private physician of the President and who was two weeks ago appointed Surgeon-General of the Navy, died at 9.15 o'clock yesterday morning. He had been ill for some time and took the oath of office while in his bed.

A fatal termination of his illness was not expected. His indisposition was such, however, as to prevent him from entering on the exercise of official duties. Dr. Bates attended Mr McKinley when he was in the House of Representatives, and when he entered the White House the physician was assigned to duty there. When the President and Mrs. McKinley heard of the sudden death of Dr. Bates they sent a large bunch of roses to the house and *the President sent a note of sympathy* to Mrs. Bates.

It is practically assured that the vacancy caused by the death of Dr. Bates will be filled by the appointment of Medical Director Rufus Tryon. Dr. Tryon was Surgeon-General for four years prior to the appointment of Dr. Bates.

KILLED IN A PRIZE FIGHT.

Frank Kozewski Knocked Out Near Buffalo by Edward Voll.

Buffalo, Oct. 19.—A blow over the heart, delivered by Edward Voll in a prize fight, has resulted in the death of Frank Kozewski. The fight between the men took place Saturday night at Homestead Park, Depew, just beyond the Buffalo city line.

Kozewski was knocked out in the twelfth round. He was carried unconscious to his dressing room and died at 8 o'clock Sunday morning. Voll was arrested.

His death makes another in the growing list of those killed in prize fights. The most prominent case was that of "Con" Riordan, whom the retired champion, Fitzsimmons, killed at Syracuse. Another fatality was that which followed a bout at the Broadway Athletic Club.

Lord Salisbury Will Stay.

London, Oct. 19.—Lord Salisbury telegraphs from Hatfield House denying the report that he desires to resign the offices of Prime Minister and Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs. He declares that there is no truth whatever in the statement.

It was rumored that Lord Salisbury was tired of the exactions of the work and its effect upon his health.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Increasing Cloudiness and Warmer Tonight; Wednesday Increasing Cloudiness and Showers.

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 62 Degrees.

COMING EVENTS.

October 19—Opening session of Synod of Presbyterian churches in Crescent Avenue church, 3 p.m.
October 19—Presbyterian Synod continued.
October 19—First and second year's classes in mathematics at Y. M. C. A.
October 20—Presbyterian Synod continued.
October 20—Bookkeeping and commercial course at Y. M. C. A.
October 25 William Blaikie at the Y. M. C. A. "How to Get Strong."
October 26—Entertainment Plainfield Mandolin and Guitar Club at Monroe Avenue church.

IS GOLF A SPORT OR NOT?

The question whether golf is a private amusement in the same category with cards and checkers, or a sport, as cycling and baseball are understood to be, is discussed by members of the Essex Country Club, and pending the final decision the golf committee of the club has issued orders that the scores of all players who participate in the monthly club tournaments at Hutton Park links are to be protected from publicity, and that the custodians of the links are to watch for reporters with the same vigilance that they would for a mole burrowing in one of the new putting greens. The Essex Club ought not to be so foolish.

The Middlesex Democratic county convention will be held in New Brunswick on Thurrday. There is some talk that D. C. Chase, of South Amboy, will be the nominee for State Senator. In that event it is thought that William C. Jaques, the President of the Board of Aldermen, of New Brunswick, will be the candidate for Surrogate. The present incumbent, Andrew H. Furman, it is understood, will not run again in the event of the nomination of Mr. Chase for State Senator, as they both are from the same town.

AUTUMNAL NUPTIAL EVENT.

Marriage of Lawyer Williams and Miss Lottie E. Coriell.

A happy autumnal nuptial event was celebrated at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius B. Coriell, 63 Somerset street, when their daughter, Miss Lottie E., was joined in wedlock to W. Gordon Williams, Esq. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. C. O'Donnell in the presence of only the immediate relatives of the contracting parties.

The house was prettily decorated for the occasion, the marriage taking place in a corner of the parlor. The bride was attired in a handsome green traveling dress. She carried a bouquet of roses. After congratulations had been extended the guests sat down to a wedding dinner.

The couple will leave this afternoon to spend two weeks in Maine. On their return they will reside with the bride's parents.

Mr. Williams is one of the rising young lawyers of the city, and though he has been established a comparatively short time, his practice is already quite large.

The bride is a popular young woman in the social circles in which she moves.

Larger Letter Boxes.

Seven large and improved letter boxes have arrived at the postoffice and will be placed between Grove street and Watchung avenue, on Front street, to take the place of the smaller boxes which will be erected in the outlying districts. The only thing that causes the delay in putting the boxes up is the failure in having the posts for them erected. One box will be stationed on the corner by the City National Bank, another one at the corner of Front and Somerset streets, and another at the corner of Watchung avenue and Front street. The others will be changed so that they will be convenient.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The fac simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Borough Clerk Arnold entertained his cousin from New Haven Sunday

Mrs. A. D. Pope, of Lincoln place, spent Monday with friends in New York.

Lawyer Frank Bergen, of Elizabeth, was in this city on business yesterday.

Miss VanBoskerck, of North avenue, spent Sunday with relatives at Rahway.

E Stanley Peck, of Second place, has been spending a few days at Danbury, Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Belyeu, of Richmond street, are happy over the arrival of a son.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Pelletier, of La Grande avenue, spent Sunday with friends in Orange.

Miss Etta Raybert, of North avenue, has returned from a visit with New Brunswick friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Drayton, of Franklin place, have returned from a trip to Long Branch.

Assemblyman J. B. V. Van Doren of Hillsboro, called on Plainfield and borough friends yesterday.

Aaron Staats and Henry Bargus, of Franklin Park, were the guests Sunday of Mrs. Mary A. Kline.

Henry W. Brower, of East Sixth street, spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in New York.

Miss Rundell, of Hunter, is the guest of her friend, Miss Eda Beekman, of West Eighth street.

Miss Graff, of Newark, Del., is stopping at the home of Charles W. McCutchen, of Rockview avenue.

Miss Bennett, of J. A. Smith & Bro's. grocery, has returned from a vacation of one week spent in Rahway.

Mrs. John J. Ludlum, of East Front street, left today for Chicago, where she will stop at the Auditorium.

Miss Annie Wooley, of Newark, is visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs Robert Clark, of Washingtonville.

Mrs. Alterhein, of Jersey City Heights, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. George Hauser, of 87 Duer street.

George Sanders, of Howell's grocery, is improving after a long and severe illness, and is expected soon to return to work.

County Superintendent of Schools J. A. Mets, of Somerset county, was in North Plainfield yesterday calling on friends.

The receptions of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Whiton, of 821 Central avenue, are announced for Fridays, Nov. 19th and 26th.

Mrs. Fred Mantz and daughter, May, of Somerville, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Crouse, of East Fourth street.

William Jessup, formerly of this city, and now general secretary of the Summit Y. M. C. A., visited friends here Sunday.

Miss Mabelle Force, of Watchung avenue, spent Sunday with her friend, Mrs. Drummond, at the home of Mrs Hastings, Bound Brook.

M. S. Buckley, of this city, has returned home after spending several months in various parts of the country on pleasure and business.

Edward A. Overton and daughter, Miss Catheryn Overton, of Rockview avenue, attended the wedding of a neice of Mr. Overton's, at Brooklyn, Saturday night.

Grand Recorder Lippincott and Grand Receiver Test, of Camden, grand officers of the A. O. U. W., visited Plainfield on Sunday and were escorted about the city by Vincent W. Nash in behalf of Columbia Lodge, and George Clark in behalf of Central Lodge.

Miss Winton, daughter of Senator Winton, of Paterson, will be a guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Anthony, of West Front street, on Wednesday of this week, and her many friends in Plainfield will try to induce her to stay a week at least. Miss Winton is an active worker in the Christian Endeavor Society of the State.

A few weeks ago the editor was taken with a very severe cold that caused him to be in a most miserable condition. It was undoubtedly a bad case of la grippe and recognizing it as dangerous he took immediate steps to bring about a speedy cure. From the advertisement of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the many good recommendations included therein, we concluded to make a first trial of the medicine. To say that it was satisfactory in its results, is putting it very mildly, indeed. It acted like magic and the result was a speedy and permanent cure. We have no hesitancy in recommending this excellent Cough Remedy to anyone afflicted with a cough or cold in any form.—The Banner of Liberty, Libertytown, Maryland. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

—Additional locals on page 3.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Several noted improvements have been made about the interior of the postoffice.

—F. H. Martin led the Salvation Army meeting at Bound Brook Sunday evening.

—Oscar Runyon, of Dunellen, has resigned his position at Woodhull & Martin's dry goods store.

—Just received a line of men's felt waterproof lace boots for motormen or policemen, at W. Schloss'.

—Employes of the Central Railroad are busy at present making the necessary repairs about the bridges in this city.

—All of the catch basins about the city were cleaned out yesterday under the direction of Street Commissioner Gavett.

—Unity Lodge, No. 102, Knights of Pythias, will work the third rank upon one candidate at the meeting tomorrow night.

—William Schloss' Palace shoe store has just received a full line of ladies' calfskin shoes, which are sold at very low prices.

—Miss Charlotte Messersmith, of Washington street, sang an alto solo at the First Presbyterian church last Sunday evening.

—The Town Improvement Association will hold a meeting in the small hall at the Y. M. C. A. building next Friday afternoon.

—Miss Meserole, formerly of Woodhull & Martin's dry goods store, has resigned, and accepted a position at White's dry goods store

—On Friday afternoon the regular sewing meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary Society of the Crescent Avenue church will be held.

—Employes of the city are busily engaged at present preparing West Front street to be macadamized from Grant avenue to Compton avenue.

—J. J. Dolliver, of South Branch, a brother of G. Q. Dolliver, of Manning avenue, has received the contract to build Borough Clerk Arnold's barn.

—A barn dance will be given in the Lawton barn at South Plainfield on the evening of October 23d. A number from this city will attend the affair.

—Wm. McKillop and Miss Charlotte Cave rendered a violin duet at the Sunday-school session at the Presbyterian church last Sunday afternoon. Bert Harold was the accompanist.

—Morning rehearsals for the approaching Spielkartenfest will hereafter be held in the Casino. The afternoon rehearsals will take place in the Pierce Cycle Academy, as usual.

—Arrangements are about completed for the celebration of Founders' day at Princeton University next Friday. Lord Aberdeen, Governor General of Canada, and Former President Cleveland will make addresses.

FIRE IN A LETTER BOX.

Discovered by Carrier Bauersachs—Probably the Work of Boys.

It is a serious thing to fool with letter boxes and when offenders are caught the penalty is usually severe. The first case of this kind was reported by Carrier Bauersachs yesterday afternoon after he had made a collection from the box at the corner of Grandview avenue and Somerset street. Mr. Bauersachs found the box full of ashes and paper mixed with the regular mail matter. An examination proved that the mail in the box was not damaged. The work was evidently that of boys who were playing about the place burning leaves and paper.

The matter was reported to Superintendent of Carriers J. B. Whitenack, and an investigation will be made. If the offenders are caught they will no doubt be severely punished by the postal authorities.

Smalley Sells to Smalley.

The meat business on Somerset street conducted by N. B. Smalley, has been purchased by Jedediah M. Smalley. The latter will give up his market on Park avenue and devote his entire time to the Somerset street market.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they do is tenfold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by druggists, price 75c per bottle.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

No matter how low the price, baking powders of varying strength are expensive.

They raise pretty well once or twice, and then, losing their strength, fail, and so waste good butter, flour, eggs, sugar, time and temper.

Cleveland's baking powder never varies.

Guarantee.

Grocers are authorized to give back your money if you do not find Cleveland's the best baking powder you have ever used.

Cleveland Baking Powder Co., N.Y.

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DRUM CORPS HOLD A FAIR

THE ATTRACTIONS ARE NUMEROUS.

Young Lady Friends are Able Assistants at the Various Tables—Those That Are Actively in Charge.

The attraction at Washington Hall this week is the fair being held under the auspices of the Independent Fife and Drum Corps for their benefit. It opened last evening under favorable circumstances. The boys have worked hard to arrange the hall in an attractive manner and they have succeeded admirably. The committee in charge consists of J. V. Beekman, chairman; H G. Adams, secretary; Isaac Squiers, treasurer; Frank Manchester, J. H. Adams, Lambert Bodine, Daniel Force, W. C. Force, Frank Blatz and David Bodine, while the whole corps acts as a committee of one in assisting. One side of the hall is well taken up with a long table artistically arranged with fancy articles of every description, which is in charge of Miss Maggie Sheppard, Miss Carrie Weaver, Miss Amy Hyer, Miss Bolsterli. The candy table is presided over by Mrs. Frank Manchester and Miss Hoffman.

On the other side of the room is an attraction in the form of throwing the rings to capture the canes. This is in charge of W. Force, while Frank Manchester looks after the collection of babies, at which the merry crowd throw baseballs. The shooting gallery is well taken care of by Jas. Stryker. John Rolsterli, Lambert Bodine and Samuel Terry, Jr., make a good committee behind the soft drink counter. During the evening there is dancing, music for which is furnished by O'Reilly. The committee in charge of the floor for dancing consists of Daniel Force and Isaac Squiers.

The attendance last evening was excellent, considering it was the first night. Other attractions will be offered during the rest of the week, and all who attend will find no trouble in passing a very pleasant time.

—Tickets for the coming entertainment of the Plainfield Banjo, Mandolin and Guitar Club, which will be given in the Monroe Avenue church, can be obtained from members of the Young Men's Association of the church, or from Adam Neuman.

Open till nine Saturday evening.

"Have You a Piano?"

Ask the question of any home owner, and if the answer is "No" it will almost surely be followed by "But we're thinking of getting one."

Scarcely anybody who doesn't mean to get a Piano some time. At least half a dozen of our buyers during the last ten days have been 'thinking of geting one" for some years past. Been to our warerooms lots of times, but this great October Piano Sale did it.

"Save $50" means a lot to most people It has meant a PIANO to many so far this month; it will yet mean that to many more.

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to see the great sheriff sale stock of CLOTHING we bought and are now selling at 40c, on the dollar. Sale will only last a few days more. Our store is crowded and thousands of people are buying the GREAT BARGAINS.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Eugene Runyon spent yesterday in Finderne on business.

Miss Caroline Hurd, of Syracuse, is visiting Mrs. H. Ten Eyck.

William Doty, of Peapack, visited friends in the borough yesterday.

Walter Runyon and friends visited New Brunswick yesterday on business.

Rev. Mr. Mead has been entertaining his son and family, of Rutherford, for a few days.

Mrs. Harry Swackhamer, who has been visiting friends in New York, has returned home.

Miss Virgie Tunison, who has been visiting her parents at Glen Gardner, has returned to Dunellen.

A. W. Giddis, of Port Richmond, S. I., spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Giddis.

Postmaster Charles Coriell is in New Brunswick today attending the Republican county convention.

Mrs. Dickerson and family have returned from Flanders, where they have been visiting relatives.

Wilson Fredericks, of Dunellen avenue, has been confined to his house for several days on account of illness.

Mrs. A. M. Randolph has returned from Jersey City, where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. B. Sproul.

The work of painting the Presbyterian church has been stopped temporarily. The work will probably be completed this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Pierce have returned from their wedding trip and have taken up their residence in the Jackson building, Plainfield. They were the guests of friends in town yesterday.

The chances are that the main road between Dunellen and Bound Brook will be macadamized before a great while. The estimated cost is about $22,000. The freeholders of Middlesex county have the matter under advisement at present.

SCOTCH PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Irving L. Quereau, of New York, was the guest of George W. Randolph yesterday.

The Misses Hayfield, of Hoosac Falls, N. Y., are spending a few days with Mrs. W. S. Emery.

Mrs. Richard Connors and Mrs. Lawrence Powers, of Westfield, were the guests yesterday of Mrs. William Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Stewart Hess, of New York, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Hess's sister, Mrs. Jas. S. Braker.

Wm. R. Stanbery is the delegate from Fanwood borough to the Democratic county convention which met at Elizabeth today.

Thomas Emery and Theo. Bruckman are attending the Democratic county convention at Elizabeth today, as delegates from Fanwood township.

Dierck's Concert and Comedy Company gave an entertainment in Excelsior Hall last evening to a moderate-sized audience. The programme will be repeated again tonight.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Baptist church will hold a sociable in the church parlors on Wednesday evening, for which an interesting programme has been arranged. Refreshments will be served by the young ladies of the society. No admission will be charged, but a silver offering will be taken.

Twentieth Series Opened.

The twentieth series of the Home Building and Loan Association was opened last evening. There were forty-one subscribers who took 355 shares while money was sold to the amount of $4,000.

It is better to take Hood's Sarsaparilla then to experiment with unknown and untried preparations. We know Hood's Sarsaparilla actually and permanently cures.

Hood's pills act easily and promptly on the liver and bowels. Cure sick headache.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

—The contractors have now commenced work on the small bridge over the race at Watchung avenue.

WESTFIELD

VICTORY FOR MACHINE.

REGULAR TICKET WINS EASILY AT G. O. P. PRIMARY.

L. M. Whitaker Elected to County Committee—Presbyterian Mission Band's Entertainment—Other Items of Interest.

The Republican primary was held in Etta Hall last night, and the result was a victory for the machine ticket, which was elected by a majority of fifty-three votes. The attendance was large, as the leaders of both factions made an extra effort to get out the votes. The primary was called to order by Charles B. Peddie, chairman of the township executive committee. The call for the primary was read by Clerk Morehouse. The two tickets were read and the polls were opened. The vote resulted in 187 ballots for the regular ticket and 124 for the opposition. Howard Manning, George W. Peek and Charles Denman acted as tellers. The following were elected: For members of the county executive committee, Charles N. Codding and Luther M. Whitaker; for delegates to the county convention, Wellington Morehouse, Dr. R R. Sinclair, J. A. Simpson, A. K. Gale, Appleton Morgan, F. C. Decker, Hiram L. Fink, J. J. Coger, Ezra Bloodgood, Arthur S. Flagg, Wallace and A. Kaylor; and for members of township executive committee, Charles B. Peddie, Isaac Seeley, J. T. Pierson, W. J. Bogert, C. C. Dilts, Martin Welles, G. E. Gilmore, T. M. K. Mills, C. H. Denman, H. C. Cook, Freeman Bloodgood, C. A. Smith, C. G. Endicott, C. P. Wilcox and R. P. Grant.

A large audience gathered in the lecture rooms of the Presbyterian church last night to witness the entertainment given by Miss Anna D. Cooper under the auspices of the Young Ladies' Mission Band. Tennyson's story of "Guinevere" was given in tableaux with readings from the poem by Miss Anna D. Cooper. The little song, "Late, Too Late!" by Miss Carrie L. Dawes, was well received. Miss Anna Louise Harrison next gave a recitation, "The Romance of the Ganges," a poem by Elizabeth Barrett Browning, was illustrated by tableaux, while Miss Cooper gave readings of selected parts of the poem. A male quartette sang, "Way Down Yenda in de Cornfield." A laughable piece, entitled "Looking Backward," was sung by Miss Minnie Reger and Roland Randolph. Those who took part in the tableaux were the Misses Minnie Lynde, Sophie Condit, Belle Morrow, Susie Titus, Emma Reed, Bessie French, Jane Goodwin and Carrie Dawes.

The I. O. S. has postponed its card party, which was to have been held on Friday evening, until the 29th inst. The party will be held at the home of R. V. Hoffman, on Mountain avenue

The regular meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary Society of the Methodist church will be held in the church parlor tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Herbert Buchanan, who has been the guest of his sister, Mrs. Andrew A. Smith, of Elm street, returned yesterday to his home in Philadelphia.

Thomas England, of Mountainside, has returned from a visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. England, of Mountain avenue.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist church will meet in the church parlors tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Fred P. Condit and William J. Bogert, Jr., leave Thursday for a few days' visit with William Bastable, at Garden City, L. I.

Harold Francis, of Perth Amboy, has returned from a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Francis, of Central avenue.

The Westfield Building and Loan Association will hold its monthly meeting in the Public Library rooms tonight.

The case of Griffen against Jimmerson, on contract, will be tried in Justice Collins' court tomorrow afternoon.

A. Willis Lightbourn, of Dudley avenue, has returned from a two days' business trip in Washington, D. C.

William D. Bussing, of Park street, has recovered from his recent illness and is now able to be out again.

Miss Bessie Elliott, of Westfield avenue, has returned from a week's outing at Rutherford.

Miss Mabel Holcomb, of Westfield avenue, has returned from a visit with friends in Brooklyn.

Mrs. George Condit, of Elm street, will spend the month of November in New York State.

A class meeting will be held in the Methodist church parlors this evening at 8 o'clock.

Miss Jennie Fowler, of New York city, has returned from a visit in Branch Mills.

Mrs. S. S. Mapes, of Prospect street, is recovering from an attack of the grip.

Westfield Lodge, No. 169, I O. O. F., meets tomorrow night.

The T. O. S. will hold a meeting Thursday evening.

Two Kinds of Stores.

There probably always will be two kinds of stores. One kind is conducted in the belief that the way to win trade is to make the store the best one for people to come to. In the other kind of store all attention is given to specious methods of drawing trade and little concern given to the interests of customers when they come.

The First Kind is Our Kind.

We do not believe that any drug store can offer any worthy inducements other than excellence of service and fairness of prices. Such an inducement has built our trade and will continue to build it.

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DRUGGIST,
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TALE OF LOVE IN TABLEAUX.

CHARMING EXPLOITATION OF "EMMA"

Miss Luckey Read the Story as the Tableaux Were Presented by Appropriately Costumed Young Women.

A quaint, old fashioned love story was the foundation of a delightful entertainment that was given in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue church last evening by the Young Ladies' Mission Band of the Presbyterian church. It consisted of readings and tableaux from Jane Austen's story, "Emma."

The story, somewhat shortened to suit the evening, was read by Miss Mary A. Luckey, while a series of twenty-four tableaux were given to illustrate the different situations. Miss Luckey read the story in an intelligent and pleasing manner. The characters in the narrative were represented in the tableaux by the following:

Emma Woodhouse	Miss Harriet Gardner
Jane Fairfax	Miss Gertrude Hazeltine
Miss Bates	Miss Harriet Goddard
Mrs. Bates	Miss Matie Stiles
Mrs. Goddard	Miss Laura Lovell
Mrs. Elton	Miss Constance Patton
Harriet Smith	Miss Ellen Vanderwort
Mr. Woodhouse	John F. Harman
Mr. Knightley	W. T. Kaufman
Frank Churchill	Frank Frost
Mr. Elton	D. M. VanVliet

The story went back a century in the life of England. The action was quiet, but sufficient to hold the interest of the audience. The story was that of a fair would-be match-maker, "Emma," who after the usual mistakes, suddenly found herself in love with Mr. Knightley, when her protege, Harriet Smith, had confided to her that she, (Harriet), was in love with him and was sure he would return the affection. That only came toward the last, but the audience could see what was coming for some time previous. Of course, it all came out right in the end, and the story closed with a charming tableau in the Woodhouse's garden.

Miss Emily Tracy was chairman of the committee in charge of the entertainment, while Mrs. I. W. Travell was in charge of the stage.

A sale of candy and cake followed, the committee in charge of which consisted of the Misses Lillian Oakley, chairman; Bessie Blair, Ethel Holmes, Josephine Petrie, Lulu Patton, Mabel Bonnell, Helen Boice and Mary Brunson.

GOT IN THROUGH THE CELLAR.

Daring Robbery Committed in Park Avenue Last Night.

Burglars last night entered the bicycle store of Mrs. Rosa Frucht, at 152 Park avenue, corner of Second street, and carried off a quantity of stock. The invaders gained an entrance to the store by opening the iron cellar doors in front of the store of A. B. Contrelli, next door on Park avenue. They then descended into the cellar and by means of a connecting door, which was open, they reached the cellar of the Frucht establishment. The door leading from the cellar to the store was nailed, and the burglars were obliged to force it open, which they easily did.

Once inside the store, they made for the money drawer, and, finding it locked, they broke it open with a jimmy. No cash had been left in the drawer, however, and the intruders were compelled to look over the stock and select something which they could make use of. A hasty examination of the store, which Mr. Frucht made on discovering the burglary, revealed the fact that a number of revolvers and some bicycle sundries had been taken. The stock in the store is very large, so that it is difficult to ascertain exactly what goods are missing. A lighted lantern was found in the cellar by Mr. Frucht, which the burglars had evidently been using in their operations.

—Additional locals on page 3.

—Martha Washington Council, No. 23, D. of A., meets this evening.

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50 in Granite Cloth	48c
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Cream or white curtains 54-in wide 1 19 pair.
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Children's fleeced lined vests and pants,	5c up
Children's natural wool vests and pants,	10c up
Ladies' ribbed vests and pants, fleeced	25c
Ladies' natural wool vests and pants,	50c
Children's heavy school hose, all sizes	10c
Ladies' fine seamless hose, fast black	12c
Ladies' extra fine hose, 25c kind,	18c pair

Men's Furnishings.

Men's heavy wool shirts	29c
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outing shirts	32c
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suspenders, 25c kind	13c
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60-in linen damask	25c
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The men interested in the beet sugar industry believe that the new tariff will boom that industry, and that ultimately all the raw sugar refined in this country will be produced here. This means great profits for the farmers and the upbuilding of a great industry.

Experience has shown that by far the most favorable localities in the United States for the industry are in the arid regions where the weather s not too cold, where the land is suitable, where there is a long period of sunshine each year, and where there is water for irrigation. There is no doubt that the ideal place for carrying on this industry successfully is in the irrigated valleys of the arid region. There is always water to give the plants when they need it, and the ripening and harvesting seasons in the fall are dry and the winter is mild, so that the beets can be worked up n the factories without the great expense of protecting them in pits. For these reasons the factories in New Mexico, for instance, can run from 140 to 150 days in the year with more safety than the factories in France and Germany and in other parts of Europe or the northern parts of the United States can run 90 days. The average length of the campaign, as it is called in Europe and Nebraska, is about eighty-five to ninety days. In California, owing to climatic condtions, the length of the campaign is about 120 days.

In that part of the arid region most suitable for the cultivation of sugar beets there are at least 300 clear days in the year. Even two or three days of fog will take much sugar out of the beets. Sugar is principally carbon and oxygen. The leaves of the beets absorb these things and store them up in the beet.

Beet sugar factories are at present established in Nebraska, and have been fairly successful. One has been established by the Mormons in Utah. This has been running six years, and has been very successful. There are two in California, not very far from San Francisco, which have been running several years, and have done well. The largest of these is owned by Mr. Spreckels and his friends, and it has been very profitable. It produces raw or unrefined sugar which it sells to the American Sugar Refining Company in San Francisco. At Clino, Cal., there is a very large plant capable of working 1,000 tons of beets daily. There is a factory in Pecos Valley, N. M., which was completed in November, 1896, and has been very successful for a first year.

Sugar beets cannot be raised by careless farming. The proper seed must be provided. The land must be of the proper quality and all the work must be done with the greatest care. It usually requires two or three years for the intelligent cultivator to produce a maximum crop, but after the farmer gets used to it there is no trouble in producing the right kind of beets under proper natural conditions. It will be only a short time before our farmers are as well able to do it properly as they are able in France and Germany.

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TIME TABLE IN EFFECT OCT. 16th, 1897.

PLAINFIELD AND NEW YORK.

Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 8 00, 7 58, 8 00, 8 30, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 6 04, 6 09, 6 54, 7 03, 8 30, 9 18, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday, 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 10, 11 16 a. m.; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 22 p. m.

Leave New York, foot Liberty street, at 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00 a. m.; 12 00 m., 1 10, 2 20, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 50, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45 p. m.; 12 15, 1 00 night. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00, 9 00, 9 15 a. m.; 12 m.; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00p. m.; 12 15 night; 1 00 a. m.

Leave New York from Whitehall street at 7 00, 7 55, 8 25, 8 55, 9 55, 11 55 a. m., 1 00, 1 25, 2 25, 3 25, 3 55, 4 25, 4 55, 5 25, 5 55, 6 25, 6 55, 7 50, 8 25, 9 10, 9 55, 11 30 p. m., 12 10 night. Sundays—At 7 00, 8 55 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 2 30, 3 55, 5 25, 6 55, 7 25, 8 25, 9 50 p. m., 12 10 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 50, 8 00, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 01, 52, 10 08, 11 16 a. m.; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 18, 7 55, 8 38, 9 03, 10 05 a. m.; 12 10, 1 15, 1 35, 2 35, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 28, 5 42, 6 19, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 05 p. m. Sunday, 7 15, 9 05, 9 30, 10 35 a. m.; 1 10, 1 35, 3 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 20, 10 20 p. m.

Passengers for Newark please change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a.m 1 01, 2 11, 2 32, 3 35, 4 36, 5 03, 5 15, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 16, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p. m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 06, 9 55, a. m; 2 03, 3 39, 6 35, 8 30, 10 15, 11 14 p. m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35 7 45, 8 19, 9 02, 9 48, 11 45, a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05 2 25, 4 25, 5 29, 6 08, 6 40, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05 p. m Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a. m; 12 05, 1 20, 5 15, 6 35, 7 53, 8 05, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a. m., 1 01, 2 11, 4 55, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 8 06 a. m; 3 03 6 35 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a. m; 12 32, 4 08, 7 00, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 52 a. m; 6 30 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 9 54 a. m; 5 03, 5 15 p. m

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

6 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For staticns to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, & c. with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

1 01 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for station on D., L. & W. R. R.

2 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, MauchChunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

4 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Scranton, Wilkesbarre, Tamaqua, Shamokin, (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

5 03 and 5 15 p. m., way or Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 39 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 06 a. m. Sundays for Easton.

2 30 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 09 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, etc., and at Junction for D., L. & W. R. R.

FOR LONG BRANCH, OCEAN GROVE, ETC.

Leave Plainfield at 3 37, 8 13, 10 27 a. m.; 1 15, 2 51 3 22, 5 54 p. m. Sundays, (except Ocean Grove,) 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 37, 8 13, 9 28, 10 27 a. m.; 1 15, 2 51, 3 22, 5 54, 7 03 p. m. Sundays, 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10 27 a. m.; 1 15 3 51, 5 22 p. m.

For Lakewood, Toms River and Barnegat 3 37, 8 13 a. m.; 1 15, 3 51 p. m. Sundays 8 52 a.m

ROYAL BLUE LINE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 17, 8 44, 9 46, 10 44 a. m.; 2 17, 5 34*, 6 45, 8 21, 9 37*, 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 5 45 9 55, 10 44 a. m.; 2 25, 4 55, 5 09*, 6 45 p m.; 1 17 night.

For Trenton, 5 17, 8 44, 9 46 a. m.; 1 01, 2 17, 4 25, 5 34*, 6 38* 8 21, 9 37* p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a. m.; 2 25, 4 55, 5 09, 6 38* p. m.; 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 8 44, 10 44 a. m.; 2 17, 5 34*, 6 45 p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 10 44 a. m.; 5 09*, 6 45 p. m.; 1 17 night.

For Buffalo, Chicago and all points West, week-days at 9 54 a. m.; 8 21 p m. Sundays, 6 38 p m.

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10 07 a. m. 3 34, 5 22, 7 32 p. m. daily except Sunday. (Sundays 11 39 a. m.) Local for Bound Brook 11 54 a m daily, except Sunday, local for Mauch Chunk.

1 22 p m. Daily except Sunday, "BLACK DIAMOND EXPRESS" for Rochester and Buffalo.

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6 25 p. m. daily Local for Easton.

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For Perth Amboy and intermediate stations 6 48, 7 50, 10 05 a. m. 12 13, 2 33, 5 20, 7 10 p. m. Sunday 8 00, 9 00 local a. m. 2 20 and 7 10 p. m.

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OUT OF HER TRANCE.

For Four Days a Connecticut Girl Was Unconscious.

Waterbury, Ct., Oct. 19.—After remaining in a state of suspended animation for four and a half days, Elizabeth Callahan was awakened at midnight on Sunday night.

The young woman is the daughter of James F. Callahan. When 10 years old she was stricken with typhoid fever, and since then she has shown a very pronounced nervousness, which has increased.

The girl, who is 22 years old and very pretty, was employed under her uncle, superintendent of the Welch Hosiery Mills, at Waterville. She is a member of Ivy Temple, the woman's branch of the local Knights of Pythias. She was placed in charge of the "degree team."

She drilled the "team" on Wednesday night, and arrived home at 11.30 completely exhausted. When her mother went to awaken her the next morning she got no response. A second time she went to the room, and found her daughter unconscious, and summoned Dr. H. G. Anderson.

He pronounced the case nervous hysteria. Although the patient was insensible to any sound, the slightest touch of a finger even on the back of her hand caused a convulsive movement of all the muscles of the body. A touch on the foot or on any sensitive portion of the body produced more pronounced convulsions.

During the coma the girl's appearance was that of a dead person. The skin was shrunken and absolutely colorless. The limbs were rigid, the only sign of life being a convulsive catching of the breath at long intervals.

A PHYSICAL WRECK.

An Actress and Former Society Belle in a New York Hospital.

New York, Oct. 19.—Bettina Gerard, the actress, is in Bellevue Hospital. She is registered on the books as Betty Schuyler. She is a physical wreck, and the attending physicians have grave doubts as to her recovery.

Betty Gerard's father, Gen. Albert Ordway, of Washington, is connected with the Ordnance Department. Miss Ordway made her social debut in Washington. Since then her career has been marked with several marriages and divorces. She became a member of the Conreid Opera Company, and later appeared as a jockey in the play entitled "In Old Kentucky."

Lehmann Will Coach Harvard.

Cambridge, Oct. 19.—Two new athletic announcements of importance are just now interesting the student body. The first is that Coach Lehmann is expected here on Nov. 3. He will be accompanied by Henry Willis, a well-known oarsman, who rowed in the Eton eight when at school and has rowed No. 3 in the Leander crew for two years.

The other item of news is the fact that it has been definitely decided to send the baseball nine on a Southern trip during the Spring vacation next April. This is done in order to give the men experience and training at a time when the weather does not permit advantageous out-door practice here.

Hanna Confident of Success.

Cleveland, Oct. 19.—Two weeks from to-day the Ohio campaign will be over. Republican managers here are confident of the election of the State ticket and the control of the General Assembly, thus insuring the election of Chairman M. A. Hanna to a seat in the United States Senate. A number of big gatherings have been planned before the day of election. Senator Hanna is back from his four-weeks tour of the State, and is cheerful and confident. He will be busy making speeches until November.

Put Out the Fire with Milk.

New Haven, Ct., Oct. 19.—Farmer George I. Platt of Milford held back a fire in the cellar of his colonial house early yesterday morning by pouring several big cans of milk on it. If the milk had not been handy the farmhouse would have burned down. The well rope had been broken, and no water could be got. About one hundred and fifty quarts of milk put out the flames.

Soldiers Growing Saving.

Washington, Oct. 19.—The report of the Paymaster-General of the Army shows that the enlisted men are growing more disposed to save money, their deposits for the last year having increased 27 per cent., and the number of depositors having doubled. Nearly eighteen thousand soldiers have now over half a million dollars to divide.

It cost about thirteen million dollars last year to pay the army.

Three Thousand Ragpickers Strike.

New York, Oct. 19.—Three thousand ragpickers in this city are on strike. Two thousand of them are men and 1,000 are women.

They do not call themselves ragpickers, but that is what they are. They style themselves officially as "clip sorters," and have formed an organization known as Clip Sorters' Union No. 1.

A Klondike Millionaire.

Youngstown, Ohio, Oct. 19.—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lippy, who went to the Klondike in the Spring of 1896, locating in the Eldorado, have returned with $65,000 in gold, and have located claims valued at $1,000,000, which they will develop on their return next March.

Lippy says that no one who has not made the trip can form any estimate of the hardships in getting in and away from the gold fields. He erected a cabin, and says that the day he moved in the mercury was 70 degrees below zero.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Little Grace Clark, a New Brunswick, N. J., school girl, has become heiress to the greater part of a fortune estimated at $25,000,000, through the death of a granduncle in California.

The Supreme Court decided against the Southern Pacific in the suit involving the title to 700,000 acres of land in Southern California.

Col. Peter C. Hains has been appointed engineer commissioner of the Nicaragua Canal Commission.

Investigation of the express office robbery last Friday night at Quincy, Cal., when a box containing $2,500 was taken, showed that the robber entered by breaking a transom.

The Versailles (Ind.) lynching has been investigated, and it is said that the Governor will proceed against the leaders of the mob.

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Notice of Meetings

OF THE

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OF THE

City of Plainfield

In accordance with an Act entitled "An Act to Regulate Elections," approved April 18, 1876, with amendments and supplements, including the "Ballot Reform Law," and other general election acts in force July 4th, 1897

Notice is hereby given that the several Boards of Registry and Election of the City of Plainfield will meet at the various polling places in the said City on

Tuesday, the 12th Day of October,

1897, at 10 o'clock in the morning and continue in session, (recess from 1 to 2 o'clock,) until 9 o'clock in the evening, for the purpose of making such registration of voters and that the said Boards of Registry and Election shall also meet on

Tuesday, the 26th Day of October,

1897, at the place of the former meeting, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon and remain in session until 9 o'clock in the evening, for the purpose of revising and correcting the original registers. The places of meeting to be as follows:

First Ward, first district, at 120 E. Front St.
First Ward, second district, at 521 E. Second St.
Second Ward, first district, at 347 Watchung av.
Second Ward, second district, at 699 South av
Third Ward, - - - at 114 W Sixth St.
Fourth Ward, first district, at 114 W Second St.
Fourth Ward, 2d district, at 648 S. Second St

JAMES T. MacMURRAY, City Clerk.
Dated, City Clerk's office, Oct. 8, 1897.
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AWAITING THE DECISION

Monetary Commissioners Convinced It is Against Them.

NO OFFICIAL INFORMATION

Private Advices, However, Are That the British Cabinet Will Do Nothing for Silver—The Bank of England's Position.

London, Eng., Oct. 19.—The United States Monetary Commissioners have received no official information regarding the action by the British Cabinet on Saturday last. Private advices, however, convince them that the Cabinet has dealt the deathblow to their mission. It is expected the Commissioners will shortly be informed that Her Majesty's Government regrets being unable to accede to their proposals, but is willing to listen to any other plan they may suggest. But both parties to the conference know that no other practical scheme can be advanced.

In the event of the expected reply being received the United States Commissioners will return to the United States.

It is learned that the only thing the Cabinet officially discussed in connection with the currency question on Saturday was Sir James Westland's report. Sir James is head of the Financial Department of India, and his voluminous report took the strongest grounds against reopening the mints.

The afternoon papers yesterday echo the opinions of the morning newspapers in congratulating the Government upon "finally disposing of the bimetallic scare" and expressing regret that it should "ever even have seemed to receive support in high quarters."

Mr. Hugh C. Smith, governor of the Bank of England, said yesterday:

"The bank is a private company, without any Government control, and is not responsible to the Government except in the terms of its charter. The Government cannot issue any orders relative to the bank's reserves. At the same time, the Government is the bank's best customer, and the Court of Governors, being composed of law-abiding citizens, whenever the Government makes a request we do our best to comply. The Government must be presumed to know what is best for the country.

"The press has been filled with misstatements. The Government wrote asking if the bank was willing to renew its offer, made at the Paris monetary conference in 1881, regarding its reserve. I replied in the same tenor as the memorandum which the bank sent to that conference, though more guardedly. That is all that happened. The statement that the bank has been coquetting with the American commissioners is pure rubbish. Excepting what I have read in the papers, I have never heard of those gentlemen."

The United States Commissioners believe their failure means that no further effort in behalf of bimetallism will be made for many years to come. They attribute the failure to the opposition of the bankers and of the London Times. Until these forces were aroused all signs pointed to the co-operation of the British Government.

FIANCEE WILL DEFEND HIM.

Ready to Spend $10,000 to Prove Eli Shaw Innocent.

Camden, N. J., Oct. 19.—Whether young Eli Shaw is guilty or innocent of the murder of his mother and grandmother, at all events his fiancee's money will defend him from the awful charge. Assemblyman Henry S. Scovel has stepped into the case as Shaw's counsel. From a friend of his fiancee's family comes this information:

"The Neilsons are ready to spend $10,000 to prove Shaw's innocence."

The young woman whom Shaw had expected to marry next month was Miss Maibelle Neilson, of Woodbury, worth $8,000 or more in her own right. Her mother, too, was left in comfortable circumstances.

Mr. Scovel is a son of Col. Scovel, who has cleared no less than three men accused of murder in the first degree.

The police have declared that Eli wanted to get his mother's share of his grandmother's estate, with which to begin housekeeping. From the Neilsons it was learned that Miss Neilson's mother had given the young people a pretty house in Carteret street and was furnishing it completely. Eli got $18 a week.

Popular sentiment is drifting Eli's way. Shaw refused to-day to talk to any one. He did not ask the policeman who is watching him yesterday: "Did mother make any statement at all before she died?" This is reparded as significant.

Dr. Handley is Shaw's spiritual adviser, and to him Shaw has positively declared himself guiltless.

WAR SHIP TO GUATEMALA.

The Detroit, Now in Florida Waters, Ordered to Livingstone.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 19.—The State Department has received a cablegram from the United States Charge d'Affaires at Guatemala City, stating that owing to the extension of the present revolutionary movement into the eastern portion of Guatemala, American interests in that section and American citizens are endangered, and the presence of a warship is desirable.

Accordingly, the Secretary of the Navy has sent orders to the U. S. S. Detroit, now in Florida, to proceed at once to Livingstone, on the gulf coast of Guatemala, to protect American interests.

The Montgomery, now at Staten Island, has been ordered to relieve the Detroit of the work of looking after filibusters, in which she has been engaged.

Fourth-Class Postmasters.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 19.—Fourth-class postmasters were appointed yesterday in New York, Pennsylvania and Delaware as follows:

New York—Sparrow Bush, Orange County, Conrad Happ.

Pennsylvania — Degolia, McKean, Mrs. Jessie Gillespie; Mammoth, Westmoreland, Elmer C. Hubbs; Mount Alton, McKean, George E. Beaumont; New Bedford, Lawrence, Elmer E. Shields; Pittsfield, Warren, B. J. Ayers; Point Pleasant, Bucks, John D. Walter; Wilmore, Cambria, Wallace Sherbine.

BAPTIST WORKERS MEET

CONFERENCE OF EAST NEW JERSEY SUNDAY-SCHOOL ASSOCIATION.

It Opened at New Market This Morning and Will Continue This Afternoon and Evening—The Proceedings.

The forty-seventh annual conference of the East New Jersey Baptist Sunday-school Association is today in session in the Baptist church, of New Market. The opening session began at 10 o'clock this morning, and the conference will continue through the afternoon and evening.

The Baptist church presented a very pleasant and homelike appearance at the opening of the morning session. The platform was a mass of cut flowers and potted plants, and the delegates soon crowded the pews. Devotional exercises, led by Rev. J. C. Allen, of Jersey City, opened the session, after which the pastor of the New Market church, Rev. Frank Fletcher, welcomed the visitors in a few bright words of greeting. The response was made by G. E. Hall, of Fanwood, president of the association. After the singing of "Blest be the tie that binds," the roll of schools in the association was called by the secretary, S. D. Turton, of Newark, the delegates from each school rising.

"Fifty minutes for general discussion of practical topics," was next announced by the programme, the following questions were offered for discussion:

1. Is a vacation a benefit or damage to a Sunday-school?
2. Should the superintendent supplement the teachers by remarks on the day's lesson?
3. How often should teachers' meetings be held?
4. What should be done with quarterly reviews?
5. Should any part of the weekly collection be used for the expenses of the school?

6 Describe some of the methods used in your school for its advancement.

With regard to the first question, the opinion seemed to be that a summer vacation was a damage to a school, causing a serious falling off in the attendance after reopening.

The second question was answered in various ways, some speakers saying that the superintendent should emphasize the practical lessons others that he should teach Scripture geography; others that the question depended entirely upon the superintendent. As to teachers' meetings it was urged that a meeting for the study of the lesson be held each week. All the speakers agreed that the children themselves should have as large a part as possible in the review service. It was also urged that the lesson of each Sunday be reviewed the week following. Opinion with regard to the fifth question was divided. The time for discussion being already exceeded, the last question was necessarily omitted.

The names of those on the various committees, nominations, resolutions, etc., were read, then the president introduced Rev. L. D. Stultz, State Home Department Secretary. His short but pithy address contained many practical thoughts.

The morning session was closed with the benediction by Rev. A. I. Martine, of Dunellen.

The music at the conference is under the direction of A. Baylis, precentor, and Benjamin J. Allen, cornetist; the committee of arrangements consists of G. E. Hall, of Fanwood; S. D. Turton, of Newark; Rev. Frank Fletcher, of New Market, and E. M. Albray, of Newark.

A. E. LaPorte, mail clerk at the post office, started on his fifteen days' vacation today.

SPORTS

Sun Rises: 6:15 a. m.
Sun Sets: 5:14 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be lighted at 6:14 p. m.

GOSSIP FROM GRIDIRON.

HAPPENINGS AMONG THE LOCAL FOOTBALL PLAYERS.

Games That are to be Played and Points About Teams and Individual Players That May Prove Interesting to Cranks.

William Lawrence, of Sherman avenue, who was injured some time ago while playing football, expects to be able to go out this week with the aid of crutches.

The Crescent football eleven of this city played its third game in the Journal League, Saturday afternoon, and met with another defeat. The game was played on the Giraud avenue grounds, North Plainfield. The visiting team was from the Cranford Atheletic Club. The score at the close of the game was 10 to 4 in favor of the Cranfords.

FLAG PRESENTATION.

Saengerbund Society Receive a Handsome Gift From Women.

A notable event took place last evening in Saenger and Turner Hall on Somerset street when a handsome silk flag was presented to the Independent Scheutzen Corps by the women's society of the organization. They were received by President Henry Haurand and the officers of the Saengerbund.

The flag was presented by Miss Yaeger, on behalf of the donors, in a neat speech. It was received by President Haurand, who made a few appropriate remarks, and then turned it over to Captain J. A. Blatz, of the corps. The members of the Gesang and Turn Verein present acted as a godfather to the flag. Martin Huebner, in a short speech, also presented the corps with a handsome streamer which will be placed over the flag. A feature was the reading of an original poem by President Haurand, which was written and read in German. It was composed in honor of the presentation of the flag.

Presentation speeches were made by Mrs J. A. Blatz, Mrs. Menseubach and Mrs Sutterlein.

Business Change.

Yesterday, October 18th, I bought from N. B. Smalley the meat market, 94 Somerset street, which was formerly owned by W. L. and J. M. Smalley. I do not care to have two places and will be obliged to close the one, 405 Park avenue. I want to thank the people for their patronage, and to say that if they will allow me to look after their orders, either by coming to the market or allowing my wagon to call for the orders, such wagons will be driven by first-class butchers, and I will guarantee satisfaction in every respect.

Respectfully yours,
Jed M. Smalley.

High Jinks Occurring at Dunellen.

The peaceful community of Dunellen actually sent a prisoner to the county jail yesterday. This was John A. Manning, who threatened to cut William B. Hayes in two with an axe. Manning was committed for ninety days.—New Brunswick Fredonian.

Dr. Tuttle Improving.

Rev. Dr. A. H. Tuttle, of Newark, formerly of this city, who was severely injured while out bicycling Monday, is slowly improving. He suffers from scarcely any fever, and the contusion on his right leg is giving much less trouble and pain than at first.

Mrs. J. H. VanWinkle, of Duer street, is much improved from her recent illness.

TROLLEY STOPPED AGAIN.

Writ of Certiorari Obtained by Mrs. Catharine Oliver, of Bound Brook.

A writ of certiorari, issued by Justice of the Supreme Court Magie, of Elizabeth, on the petition of Mrs. Catharine Oliver, of Bound Brook, was served on W. P. Voorhees, counsel for the Brunswick Traction Company, on Saturday. The writ will put a stop to the work on the Bound Brook portion of the road.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Addie Weaver, of West End Park, is visiting friends at Bay Side, L. I.

Charles VanMiddlesworth, of Brooklyn, has returned after a pleasant visit of a few days in Plainfield.

Mrs. L. K. Prescott, of Brooklyn, is visiting her mother, Miss Mary L. Force, at 201 Watchung avenue.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—It will require about ten days to complete the vestibules on the cars of the Plainfield Street Railway Company. On some of the cars old motors are being replaced by new ones.

—At White's they have a full assortment of tinsel chiffons, tarletons, fancy satins, gilt braids, trimmings etc,.for the custumes for the Spielkartenfest. If there is anything wanted that they haven't in stock they will get it for you.

Geo. M. Pullman Dead.

George M. Pullman, the famous car magnate, died suddenly at his home in Chicago, this morning. The cause of his death was heart disease.

Trocha's Flimsy Forts.

So fearful have Weyler's soldiers become of raids by the insurgent forces that they resort to almost silly devices to secure themselves from danger. An example of this is shown by the accompanying illustration from a photograph of a flimsy fortification erected around the house occupied by officers stationed at the Trocha in Santa Clara province.

That such a feeble protection would

FORTIFIED HOUSE ON THE TROCHA

save the Spaniards from a well organized raid by the insurgents seems the height of military absurdity, but it is, the Spanish reliance on just such affairs as these that gives the patriots the free run of the island, notwithstanding the presence of 300,000 Spanish soldiers.

E. C. Bredin.

E. C. Bredin, the half mile world's champion sprinter, who just conquered Kilpatrick in two great races

CHAMPION BREDIN

in England, is expected to compete in America next year and it is believed that the title of world's champion will then be wrested from him.

MASSACRED BY REBELS.

Fourteen Thousand Persons Killed and Wounded in Chica.

Tacoma, Wash., Oct. 19.—The city of Kuang Yang, in Huan Province, has been captured and its inhabitants massacred by a band of rebels forming a part of a rebel army which is devastating Huan and Kuank provinces, in Southern China.

The invaders scaled the walls of the city with the intention of capturing the provincial prison and releasing three of their members there imprisoned. One band tore down the prison, setting free several hundred murderers, thieves and imprisoned debtors.

Another band attacked the central part of the city, first murdering the magistrate, who had sent three bandits to prison. His entire family, numbering thirty-two, including servants, were killed.

The entire night was spent in slaying and plundering. All mandarins and every civil and military officer of the city were beaten.

The number killed and injured exceeded 14,000. The insurgents numbered 15,000, half of them armed. Their avowed object is to destroy the existing government in Southern China. The Government is greatly alarmed, but has no adequate means of suppressing the insurrection.

Yellow Fever Doctors Appointed.

Washington, Oct. 19.—Thirty-four physicians were yesterday appointed by Secretary Gage to serve as acting assistant surgeons of the Marine Hospital service until the yellow fever has entirely disappeared from the infected districts in the South. Each commission specifies that the service shall be for not more than three months.

Garfield's Valet Dead.

Washington, Oct. 19.—Daniel Sprague, an old colored employe of the White House and the body servant of President Garfield, died yesterday, aged 60 years. He came to Washington with Garfield from Ohio in 1881, and attended him during his last illness. After Garfield's death Sprague was retained as a servant at the White House.

A Physician Accused of Murder.

Toronto, Oct. 19.—Quite a sensation was created here yesterday in professional circles by the arrest of Dr. W. E. Bessey, a well-known physician here, on a charge of murder. He attended Mrs. Jennie C. C. Thomas, a widow of 35, in May, on whom, it is alleged, a criminal operation was performed. Mrs. Thomas died from the effects of blood poisoning, but while ill two other doctors were called in, and to them she told the story of her trouble.

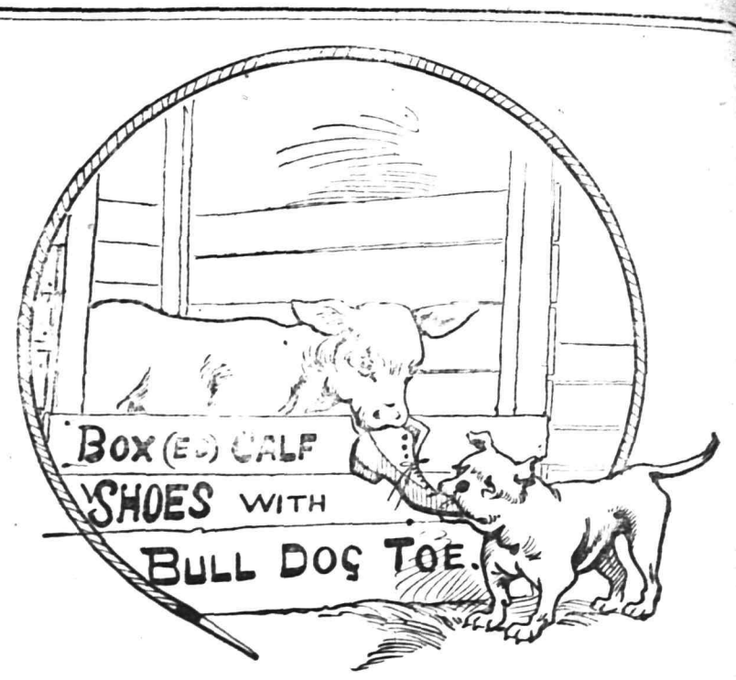
Tolstoi Awaiting an Operation.

(Cable Dispatch to the New York Sun.)

Berlin, Oct. 19.—The Lokal Anzeiger says that Count Tolstoi, the noted Russian writer, is awaiting a serious, imperative operation.

Trusses! Rupture! Trusses!

Dr. Marcley has opened a branch office at No. 325 West Second street, corner Central avenue, Plainfield, for the treatment of rupture. 20 years experience and the most modern appliances warrants satisfactory results. No occasion to go to New York for what you can get better at home. Irreducible, difficult and complicated cases solicited. The treatment of rupture, whether mechanical or otherwise, most properly belongs to a surgeon of long experience in that particular line. No charge for examination or advice. Hours 9-12 a. m., 1-4 p. m. and evenings



Box Calf for Cold Weather.

Ladies' calf bals, bull dog toes. $1.50. Ladies' calf bals, hand sewed $2.25. Misses' calf lace shoes, all solid, $1.25. Children's calf lace shoes $1. Men's box calf bals, calf lined, invisible cork sole, $3. Rubber sole English cap toe, strictly waterproof men's shoe, Milton calf bals, calf lined, bull dog toe, invisible cork sole, $3. Men's invisible cork sole calf skin shoes, bull dog toe, leather lined, SPECIAL $2. Men's invisible cork sole enameled bals, $2.50. Our leader men's double sole lace and congress shoes $1.50. Do not purchase any Winter shoes until you have seen these beauties. They are right, just right. We have the best boy's $1 shoe in the city.

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READ, NOTE AND PONDER OVER THESE PRICES.

	Were	Now
Men's Overcoats and Ulsters	$5.50	$3.98
" " " "	8.00	5.00
" " " "	8.75	6 50
" " " "	9.50	6.50
Boys' Overcoats and Ulsters	4 50	2.75
" " " "	6.00	3.90
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Children's Knee Pants	150	1.00
" " "	1.00	.60
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Children's Overcoats	4 50	2.18
" "	3.25	1.98

	Were	Now
Children's Overcoats	6.00	3.98
Children's Suits	4.00	2 98
" "	2.98	.98
" "	4.75	3 37
" "	4 87	3.37
" "	2 75	1.98
" "	2 75	.98
" "	8.00	4 25
" "	6.00	3.87
Men's Pants	1.75	.98
" "	2.75	1.12
" "	1 50	1.00
" "	1 37	.75
" "	2.50	1.48

	Were	Now
Men's Suits	9.50	5.48
" "	8.00	3.80
" "	9.00	6.98
" "	8.00	5.00
" "	5.50	2.98
Men's Working Shirts	.50	.29
" Shirts and Drawers	.50	.39
" Neckwear	.50	.39
" Sweaters	.50	.18
Men's Derby Hats (large assortment)	2.00	1.30
" " "	3.00	1.90
" " " (a large assortment)	1.50	1.00
Soft Hats		38c up
Large assortment of Gloves		25c up.

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THE SYNOD IN SESSION.

Large Gathering of the Presbyterian Leaders in New Jersey.

CONVENED YESTERDAY AFTERNOON.

A New Moderator Chosen—Rev. W. R. Richards, of This City, Elected Vice-Moderator—Committees Appointed—Business Session Commenced This Morning—What Is Being Said and Done.

The seventy-fifth annual meeting of the Synod of Presbyterian churches of New Jersey met in the Crescent Avenue church yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock. About 250 pastors and lay delegates from every part of the State were present.

The moderator, Rev. Benjamin S. Everitt, D. D., of the Presbytery of Monmouth, was present, although apparently very feeble and in poor voice. He made a brief opening prayer, and Rev. Dr. George Swayze, of Allentown, read a selection from St. John's gospel. The sermon to the Synod which is ordinarily preached by the Moderator, was delivered by Rev. Sylvester W. Beach, the vice moderator, of the Presbytery of West Jersey. The discourse was based upon Matthew XIV, 19:

"And he gave the loaves to his disciples, and the disciples to the multitude."

The Lord had always kept the miraculous in the background, and had magnified natural means, the speaker said. God seeks everywhere co operation; he calls his disciples, that is the church, to service. When Jesus first gave the church its commission, there was much that was supernatural, but the church human. The disciples were to take the bread and hand it to the multitudes. If we expect miraculous aid now we are mistaken: Christ has done his work: his word is left with us and we must carry it out. We can distingnish in the World's history three kinds of civilization, the oriental, the Graeco-roman and the Christian. The first and the second have woefully failed, and the last will succeed if we recognize that one of its foundation stones must be the brotherhood of man, the life of service. In this respect Christianity differs from all other civilizations. Before Christianity, men stood alone, like pillars; there was no such thing known as a consideration of human rights. Rapine and violence ruled everywhere. By Christianity all men are brothers. Christ taught us that greatness is service; the Gospel in its essence is service. And if we are not continually doing good the world will not believe our message. The meaning of election is, that we are chosen not merely to die and be saved, but to minister unto others and to lead them to salvation. When the battle of life is all finished we shall find that we have missed the crown of life, and some other will occupy our seat at the great round table of the King, if in this life we have sought to be disciples without seeking to serve."

The ceremony of the Lord's supper was next celebrated. Rev. Dr. Albert A. Erdmann, of Morristown, broke the bread, and Rev. Dr. George Swayze of Allentown, handed the wine. The following elders handed the elements about: William P. Thompson and F. H. Andrews, of the Presbytery of Elizabeth; G. W. DeMott, of the Presbytery of Jersey City; Horace Churchman and Wm. T. Smock, of the Presbytery of Monmouth; Levi Farrow, M. D., of the Presbytery of Morris and Orange; George D. Baldwin, of Newark; C. F. Quick, and Cornelius Shepheard, of the Presbytery of New Brunswick; Joseph Ketcham and David R. Hull, of the Presbytery of Newton, and Richard Stevenson, of the Presbytery of West Jersey.

The Synod was next constituted by prayer and the stated clerk, Dr. Walter A. Brooks, of Trenton, completed the roll call. The election of a moderator for the coming year was next entered upon, and Rev. John A. Liggett, D. D., of the Second Presbyterian church, of Rahway, was named by acclamation to fill the office. The committee on arrangements, through its chairman, Rev. Wm. R. Richards, of this city, next rendered its report, which was adopted. The report of the stated clerk, Dr. Brooks, was also presented and adopted. The treasurer's report, which was read by that officer, Rev. Eben B. Cobb, D. D., of Elizabeth, showed a year's receipts to be $1,046 01, with a balance on hand of $597.75. After transacting a few matters of routine business and establishing the order of business for subsequent business sessions, the afternoon session adjourned.

The sessions of the Synod of New Jersey were continued last evening when a popular service was held in the interest of missions, foreign and home. Rev. Dr. Liggett, the moderator, presided and the service was opened with devotional exercises, including an anthem by the choir.

Rev. Dr. Thompson, pastor of the Madison Avenue Presbyterian church, New York, was the first speaker, and he devoted his energies to a discussion of home missions. He admonished the people in the home land for not being more aggressive in the cause of home missions and contended that the Anglo-Saxon language and literature is the power that is to disseminate the Gospel of Christ to all parts of the globe as well as to every portion of this country. He spoke especially of the work being done among the Indians, and stated that last year $121,000 was the share of the Presbyterian church contributed toward uplifting the American Indian to civilization and Christianity, and he thought the money well spent. Dr. Thompson impressed his audience very much when he read a letter from two missionaries who are located at "Point Barrow," the remotest mission field on the globe. It is a place from which only one letter can be received a year. In the letter the missionaries said that the attendance at the first service held there was 120, and the last service held, just before the letter was written, was attended by 160. At the last service a Christian Endeavor Society was formed and 114 persons signed the pledge at the first meeting. This, Dr. Thompson held, was a wonderful revelation of the power of God.

After an effective solo was rendered by Charles S. Lewis, of the choir, the Moderator introduced Dr. Arthur Brown, secretary of the Foreign Board of Missions, and this speaker gave one of the most instructive and helpful discourses on the subject of foreign missions ever listened to. He said in part:

"We are now about entering upon the twentieth century and the cry is 'Watchman, What of the Night?' To be sure there are some lands that are inaccessible, but there are other fields opened as never before and far greater than can be taken care of by your Board of Missions. There are at present 10,200 missionaries in the field preaching the Gospel. There are 7,000 Sunday-schools where the Gospel is being taught to children, and 1,000,000 churches where the preached Word is delivered. In 6,801 colleges students are being taught the Gospel of Christ, and 19,920 stations occupied by missionaries. The Bible is translated into 400 different languages and it is accessible to nine tenths of the people, while 6,000,000 copies of the Bible are being distributed every year. I believe that we are on the eve of a mighty revival that will cover the earth and the Holy Ghost is the executive of that work.

"At the home the prospects are not so bright, and one can hardly be expected to take an optimistic view of the situation when it is considered that $968,000 was received from the members of our churches last year, being about 74 cents per member. Five per cent is the total contributed to the Presbyterian Board, while ninety-five per cent went to various causes at home. It has been said that we ought to storm the General Assembly, and we are going to do it. In New Jersey there were 74 churches that did not contribute one penny last year to foreign missions and 192 Sunday-schools. Our foreign missionaries wanted an appropriation of $1,000,000 this year, but we were only able to pledge $800,000. This means a closing of schools, mission stations, and the sending of missionaries home, and it shows that we are out of sympathy with Christ. Inquiry reveals the fact that twenty-two mission boards of various denominations are complaining of the self-same condition, and it shows a low spiritual state in our churches. Only one fourth of our membership is fighting, and we must get every member into line. I cannot do it, neither can the mission boards. It is the duty of your pastor; in fact we must have more missionary pastors at home. It is about time that we bring the church up to the limitless measure of the world, and belt the globe with prayer. We have all the machinery needed, but we want to use the machinery. The trolley car may be fully equipped and the passengers may be in the car waiting to go to their destination, but if there is no power the car is useless. We must have power. We have, we believe, the best machinery, but we must get it a-going."

Following the above address, Dr. W. R. Richards offered prayer, and after the singing of a hymn, the benediction was pronounced by Dr. Thompson, of New York.

Just before the close of the evening service the secretary read the names of the following persons who have been appointed on the several committees of the Synod:

Bills and Overtures—Rev. B. S. Everitt, D. D., Jamesburg; Rev. Sylvester W. Beach, Bridgeton; Rev

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SUNDAY-SCHOOL IDEAS.

CONCLUDING SESSIONS OF THE CONVENTION AT NEW MARKET.

J. B. Applegate, of Jersey City, Chosen President of The Association—Papers Read on Different Classes of Work.

The afternoon session of the Convention of the East New Jersey Sunday-School Association, which opened yesterday morning in the Baptist church of New Market, began at 2 o'clock, with the usual devotional exercises, led by Rev. J. B. Crane, of Plainfield.

The first address of the afternoon was led by C. B. Parsons, of Red Bank, on the subject, "How shall the finances of the Sunday-school be managed?" He advocated having the children trained to give and suggested that each department of the Sunday-school work have its own account in order that the scholars should know just for what the money was spent, and take an interest in it.

The second address was by C. Edgar Sutphen, of Newark, whose subject was "How shall we hold our young men in the Sunday-school?" He strongly advocated graded schools, in which the young men have their own place as truly as the little ones. He also urged teachers to enter into sympathetic and prayerful friendship with their scholars, as they could thus get such a personal hold on them that they would naturally remain in the school.

The treasurer's report was then read by S. D. Turton, of Newark, showing the total receipts for the year to have been $103.82; expenses for printing $10.75 and $54.90; for stenographic report of the last convention $12.40; for stationery, etc., $7 91, leaving on hand a balance of $17.76.

The Primary Hour, under the direction of Miss Nettie J. Beeching, of Washingtonville, president of the Plainfield Primary Union, was a very delightful part of the session. Mrs. Francis H. VanCise, of Newark, gave a very bright and entertaining account of the summer school for primary workers held at Asbury Park during the summer, after which Miss Beeching gave an interesting report of the work of the Plainfield Primary Union, telling of their helpful meetings and their fellowship in the work, and invited all her hearers to attend the annual Institute to be held by the union in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, Plainfield, next Monday.

Various resolutions were offered by the committee on resolutions, the place of meeting for next year was announced to be Roselle, and the committee on nominations recommended as officers for the coming year G. E. Hall, of Fanwood, for president; C. F. Dayton, of New Market, for vice-president, and S. D. Turton, of Newark, for secretary and treasurer.

After the transaction of a few minor matters of business the convention adjourned for supper.

The evening session opened with a devotional service conducted by Rev. J. Braker, of Scotch Plains, after which the question box was opened and the questions answered, this exercise being led by Rev. T. E. Vassar, D. D., of Lyons Farms. The questions were on practical Sunday-school topics, such as "How shall we interest boys of fourteen?" and "Should the officers of a school be changed every few years?" Dr. Vassar's answers were brief and to the point.

It was announced that G. E. Hall had declined a re election to the presidency of the association, and J. B. Applegate, of the Bergen church, Jersey City, was elected in his place.

Rev. E. Morris Furgusson, State secretary of Sunday school work, then delivered a strong and helpful address on "Means of Progress." He advocated as useful methods separate rooms for primary classes; the work of the Home Department; the careful training of teachers, and a better supervision of the work of the school on the part of pastor and superintendent.

Another very practical address was delivered by Rev. W. C. P. Rhodes, of Brooklyn, on the subject, "Hindrances and Helps in Sunday-school Work." Among the hindrances which he noted were the lack of trained teachers and the short time allowed for the lesson. Some of the mechanical helps for work mentioned were a good Bible; concordance; Bible text-book and Bible dictionary, but the greatest helps must always be the Spirit of God and the training received in the church of God.

After a few closing thoughts by G. E. Hall, president of the convention, Rev. Frank Fletcher, pastor of the convention church, singing and the benediction closed the service and the forty-seventh annual convention of the East New Jersey Baptist Sunday-school Association stood adjourned.

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FUGITIVE FROM JUSTICE

A POLANDER HIDING IN SWAMP LAND AROUND DOG CORNERS.

Said to be an Heir to a Fortune—Accused of Opening a Letter Not Addressed to Him—Didn't Defend Himself in Court.

Bottomery Brobonoski, said to be the son of a distinguished and wealthy Polish official, is now in hiding in the swamps back of Dog Corners, a fugitive from justice. He is charged with opening letters belonging to other people and a United States marshal and a constable are now hunting for him.

Brobonoski came to this country some time ago for political reasons. His father held a high place in official circles, and his influence in the Russian court made him the recipient of many gifts of value. Not long ago the father died, leaving his vast fortune to his son. The officials through whose hands it had to pass plundered it without reserve, there was plenty of wealth to come to the young Polander on this side of the water. It has not yet arrived, but Brobonoski confidently expected it and so did others who knew him here.

Brobonoski came here without funds and had to work to earn his daily bread. His family were with him and they all lived in a little house near Dog Corners. While well educated in his native language, he is only able to speak broken English.

In Plainfield there live other Polanders who knew of Brobonoski's position at home and of the expected fortune. Some of them, it is claimed, formed a plot to ruin the young man unless he paid them blood money. The trouble in which Brobonoski now figures is said to be a result of it.

Last July Mrs. Lizzie Collusiko, who lives in Netherwood, appeared before United States Commissioner Whitehead at Newark and made a complaint against Brobonoski for opening a letter addressed to her. Brobonoski was arrested by United States Marshal Kieb and brought before the commissioner who held him under $250 bail for his appearance on July 30th.

Brobonoski claimed that the letter had come addressed to him and contained a slip of paper asking that it be handed to Mrs. Collusiko. He appeared on the day set for the hearing and was represented by McNabb & Clark of this city. There was no evidence to prove that the letter had been mailed at all and the commissioner set the further hearing down for August 4th and allowed the prisoner to go without renewing the bail.

On August 4th, Mr. McNabb appeared, but his client did not. The testimony of the sender of the letter was heard and the Commissioner held Brobonoski for the Grand Jury under $500 bail. Neither Brobonoski nor the bail has appeared but he was indicted and a bench warrant issued for his apprehension. It was given to Marshal Kieb to serve.

Last Sunday night, Kieb secured Constable George Rockafellow to help him and the two went over to Dog Corners. After various exiting experiences they went to the hotel at Dog Corners.

A search revealed Brobonoski hidden in one of the upper rooms of the hotel and he was arrested.

The trio started for town. The prisoner started off at a rapid walk and said that he wanted to stop a moment at his house to say good-bye to his wife. He was ten feet ahead of his captors when he broke into a run and dashed into the woods at the side of the road. Constable Rockafellow drew his revolver and opened fire on the fleeing man, but in the excitement his aim was poor and the Polander escaped into the woods.

Monday night the marshal and the constable spent the night in the neighborhood of the home of the prisoner, but he did not appear. They have announced their intention of waiting there for him until he does come back, and will search all the neighboring thickets and swamps where it is supposed he is lying in hiding.

WAGON STRUCK BY A CAR.

The Owner Claims That the Motorman Did Not Give Warning of His Approach.

Yesterday afternoon between 4 and 5 o'clock on Somerset street near C. Frank French's feed store a trolley car, in charge of Motorman Edward Kreug and Conductor Cornelius Ackerman, ran into a wagon owned by Russell Howell, the North avenue grocer. Mr. Howell and a friend was in the wagon at the time and they were just ahead of the car. The motorman did not ring his bell, Mr. Howell says. Mr. Howell was crossing the trolley tracks and was trying to get out of the way when the car struck the wagon. One wheel was wrecked and the shafts were broken. This morning Superintendent Adleman, of the street railway company, called on Mr. Howell and gave him to understand that the trouble would be amicably adjusted.

$5,000 FOR BRUISED HEART.

SOME OF THE LOVE LETTERS READ.

Miss Joanna Murphy's Suit Against Former Assemblyman Tumulty Resulted Favorably for the Plaintiff.

Fixing the damages of a bruised heart at $10,000, Miss Joanna Murphy, of Summit, yesterday appeared at Elizabeth as the plaintiff in a breach of promise case against former Assemblyman Philip Tumulty, of Jersey City. Tumulty is wealthy, and is said to have an income of $8,000 a year.

Miss Murphy made a striking figure in court. She was dressed in the latest style, and appeared very much broken up over the affair. She admitted being thirty-nine years old. The defendant is fifty-five. Late last night the jury gave Miss Murphy a verdict of $5,000.

According to the story of Miss Murphy, Tumulty and she met soon after his wife died last year, and, she said, he asked permission to call.

Soon after his first visit, she asserted, he became very loving and wanted her to marry him, saying his children were in need of a caretaker, and she was just the woman to rule his household. She consented to marry him and plans were laid to live in elegant style.

Last Hallowe'en night was his last call, and thereafter his love grew cold and he never called nor even sent her an explanation.

Former Senator Marsh represented Tumulty, and Judge McCormick Miss Murphy. Both lawyers had stacks of letters, which were read. They were of a most gushing nature.

Tumulty acknowledged calling on Miss Murphy, and said he did think considerable of her, but he soon realized that she was after his property and not him, so he ended the romance by breaking off.

Miss Murphy said the first she knew was when his letters began to show a change in feeling, and then he soon transferred all of his property and charged her with wanting to get hold of it.

ON NEW JERSEY SOIL AGAIN.

CHARLES B. BROWN RETURNS EAST.

Is Now General Secretary of the Jersey City Y. M. C. A. and Will Devote His Best Efforts to it

The many friends of Charles B. Brown, formerly of this city, will be pleased to learn that he is once more engaged in good work on Jersey soil. He has accepted the General Secretaryship of the Jersey City Y. M. C. A. to succeed William C. Pawley, resigned. A Jersey City exchange says:

"Mr. Brown, the new secretary, comes highly recommended as a progressive and aggressive worker, and for many years has engaged in practical Christian work in the interests of young men. He was born in New York city, but passed the most of his time in New Jersey.

"His first identification with Y. M. C. A. work was in Plainfield, this State, where he served faithfully and successfully as a volunteer committeeman and in the branch mission work at Mount Pleasant and Washingtonville. In 1890 he was elected lay assistant pastor of the First Baptist church at Plainfield. He served in this position two years and organized a Bible class, which in one year grew from a membership of four to ninety, and a year later consisted of 150 men, a majority of whom were formerly non church goers.

"The prominence of Mr. Brown's work in this line led to his being called to Minneapolis. He began work in that city early in 1893, as membership secretary of the Y. M. C. A.

"For the past six months Mr. Brown has in connection with his other work been acting pastor of the Bethesda Baptist church of Minneapolis. He was on a vacation trip to his former home in New Jersey when his name was presented to the directors of the Y. M. C. A. of this city, as a possible candidate for the vacant general secrerarysbip.

"Mr. Brown has accepted the position conditionally. The Board of Directors has promised him every facility and assistance in conducting the work, and the Board hopes that every pastor in the city, as well as young men of Jersey City, will do everything in their power to assist the new secretary in his efforts to build up the association."

Party For a Little Girl.

Mrs. F. W. Butler, of 202 East Ninth street, is giving a party this afternoon in honor of the fourth anniversary of the birth of her daughter. A few of the intimate friends of the young hostess are present and assisting in making the event a memorable one.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

—This evening at Westfield there will be a district lodge meeting of Odd Fellows, at which time a district deputy will be elected in place of Mr. Stamets, the present official.

IN HARMONY THEY MET.

But One Discordant Voice in the Democratic Convention.

JOHN L. CROWELL FOR SURROGATE.

Resolutions Confined Entirely to State and Local Issues—James E. Martin's Speech Nominating Dr. Jackson for the Assembly Stirred up a Springfield Delegate—The Results Follow.

There seemed to be only one man in the Democratic county convention at Elizabeth yesterday who wanted to spell harmony with a small h, and as anomolous as it may seem that man took exceptions to the nomination of one whose name is the quintesence of all that is considered Democratic—Thomas Jefferson Jackson. The delegate who jumped up and objected to the nomination of the man honored with such a cumulative series of cognomens of Democratic import was the only one, however, who essayed to ruffle the otherwise peaceful serenity of the convention. The reception which this man's protests received were so chilly and emphatically unpopular that he was quelched forcibly by the realization of his own magnificent minority, and he retained a discretionary silence thereafter.

The convention was well attended by delegates, James E. Martine and Thomas F. Lane taking the lead in formulating the business transacted. It was called to order by John L. Crowell, of Rahway, chairman of the county committee. Peter Egenolf, of Elizabeth, was chosen chairman and John Lane, of Summit, secretary of both temporary and permanent organization.

Committees were appointed as follows:

Credentials—Dr. E. B. Silvers, of Rahway; J. Pheasant, of Springfield; B. Frank Denniston and W. J. Lansley, of Elizabeth, and A. B. Cook, of Rahway.

Permanent Organization—E. B. Kelly, of Summit; N. K. Thompson and Nicholas Keimig, of Elizabeth; John M. C. Marsh, of Westfield.

Resolutions—Hon. Thomas F. Lane, of Summit; Capt. D. F. Collins and George A. Ford, of Elizabeth; Elmore D. Moffett, of Plainfield; Hon. John T. Dunn, of Elizabeth.

A recess of a half hour was taken to prepare the resolutions, and when the convention was reconvened the resolutions were presented and adopted as follows, no reference being made to the Chicago platform:

We, the Democrats of Union county, reaffirm our allegiance to the fundamental principles of the Democratic party, and pledge the nominees of this convention to the policy of equal rights for all citizens, and to opposition to the selfish greed of corporations that, through the Republican party, seek the subjugation of taxpayers of the State.

Resolved, That we condemn the action of the recent Republican Legislature in endeavoring to make courts of this State the playthings of partisan politics.

We denounce the Republican party for the inefficiency and stupidity of its legislators, as shown in the bungling manner in which the recent laws have been framed, and the open defiance of the State Constitution that was indicated in the number of statutes declared void by the courts.

We charge that to subserve its corporation masters, the Republican party has passed a law limiting the time for the personal actions of servants and other persons injured by their greed and consequent negligence from four years to two, and that by that act the poor and unfriended servants of corporations, as well as the public to whom they owe service, are measurably deprived of their remedies.

Resolved, That this convention, representing the Democrats of Union county, declares itself in favor of a railroad grade-crossing commission in the State of New Jersey, and that the candidates for the Legislature of the Democratic party in Union county be pledged to support all reasonable legislation looking toward the creation of such a commission.

Whereas, The taxpayers of Union county having at great expense constructed a system of county roads, and have thereby added greatly to the upbuilding of the various townships of this county, and have provided smooth and comfortable roads that are valuable alike for cycle and driving;

Resolved, That we are opposed to the building of trolley lines on our county roads as now constructed.

James E. Martine offered the following:

Resolved, That the Democrats of Union county take this occasion to express their sincere regret at the death of John R. McPherson. We feel that the country has lost a statesman and our State a grand citizen; his friends a loyal and warm supporter. We tender our warmest sympathy to his widow in this her hour of bereavement.

The resolution was adopted by a rising vote, and an engrossed copy will be sent to Mrs. McPherson.

The nomination of a Surrogate was then called for and John L. Crowell, of Rahway, was unanimously chosen.

Then came the Assembly nominations and the only breeze of the gathering. The following nominations were made:

Benjamin F. Heard, of Springfield; John Idam, of Cranford; William B. Wolfskiel, George King and Benjamin Lawrence, of Elizabeth; Thomas Jefferson Jackson, of Springfield; Charles R Corbett, of Linden.

The speech that captured the con-

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GEO. M. PULLMAN DEAD

Millionaire Palace Car Man Suddenly Expires in Chicago.

HEART DISEASE THE CAUSE

A Man Who from a Salary of Forty Dollar a Year Amassed Millions—A Native of Chautauqua County, New York—His Eventful Career.

Chicago, Oct. 20.—All the stocks in which George M. Pullman was intimately interested were depressed several points when the news of his sudden death yesterday became known on the exchanges.

No one was present when the palace car magnate passed away. It was not even known he was ill.

There is some mystery as to the cause of his death.

It is supposed that he was stricken either by heart disease or apoplexy.

Mr. Pullman retired to his room at the usual hour at night, not complaining of any ailment.

Rev. Dr. Eaton of New York city, who was staying at the home of Mr. Pullman heard him moving at 4.50 in the morning. Going to Mr. Pullman's room he found him dead.

Dr. Billings was called in the hope of restoring consciousness, but it was of no avail.

Began Life with $50.

George M. Pullman began life with $50, and ended it with a fortune estimated at $50,000,000. He made the bulk of his great fortune by building palace and sleeping cars, which were a monument to American enterprise and skill, having been awarded prizes at expositions in Austria, France and London.

He was born in Brockton, Chautauqua County, N. Y., in 1831. He lived there until he was 14 years old, when he removed to Albion, N. Y. There he met Senator Ben Field, a State Senator

GEO. M. PULLMAN.

in 1854 and 1856, from whom he got his first inspiration for the building of sleeping cars.

That became his hobby. He paid 50 cents one night for the privilege of examining a car in which people slept. It was only curiosity, however, as then he had no idea of building one.

The car contained three ordinary bunks, and was regarded then as the best sleeping car that could be found anywhere.

The first Pullman sleeping car was conceived in 1864. It was built in an old shed on the Albion Railroad on the outskirts of Chicago.

The First Palace Car.

This was the handsomest car ever made up to that time. The principal feature was the construction of two berths, one above the other, which would be comfortable and convenient. The disposition of the mattresses was a difficult obstacle, but after many months of thought and hard work, the "Pioneer," with the upper berth hinged to the side of the car near the roof, was finished.

Many car builders inveighed against this, but Mr. Pullman was sure it could be done properly if the car were made larger.

The "Pioneer," as a result, was one foot wider and two and one-half feet higher than any car that has hitherto been built in this country.

The new sleeping car cost $18,000. The old ones cost $4,500 The "Pioneer" became famous as the car used in the funeral train of President Lincoln. It was run from Springfield to Chicago on the Alton road.

The Pullman Works.

The total amount of lumber used annually by the Pullman Company is about 51,000,000 feet total quantity of iron used annually, about 85,000 tons; total number of employes (July 31, 1893), 14,635; total amount of wages earned daily by Pullman employes, $24,965.63.

There are operated by the Pullman Company 2,573 sleeping, parlor and dining cars. Of these 650 are buffet cars and 58 are dining cars. During the year ending July 31, 1893, the number of miles run by Pullman cars was 206,453,796, and there were carried 5,673,129 passengers. About 9,000 meals are served daily in Pullman dining and buffet cars. There are about 33,000,000 pieces of Pullman car linen laundered annually. The mileage of railroads under contract is 126,795. The longest regular unbroken run of any cars in the Pullman service is from Boston to Los Angeles, and is 4,022 miles. The total producing capacity of the construction shops per annum is 12,520 freight cars, 213 sleeping cars, 626 passenger cars and 939 street cars. Coupled together these cars would make a train over 100 miles in length.

The town of Pullman has eight miles of paved streets and 12,000 inhabitants, of whom 6,324 are operatives. Of the 2,246 Pullman employes who live on the borders of the town, about 1,000 own their own homes.

From the first year of its existence the Pullman Company has paid its quarterly dividend with the regularity of a Government loan, and its $30,000,000 capital has a market value of $60,000,000, while its stock is so largely sought as a rock-ribbed security for the investment of the funds of educational and charitable institutions, of women and of trust estates, that out of its 3,246 stockholders 1,800 are of this class, and 1,494 of these 1,800 are women.

SCHARF WAS DISMISSED

Chinese Inspector Did Not Resign From the Service.

HE CHARGED CORRUPTION

High-Handed Methods Led to His Formal Discharge—Failed to Substantiate the Charges Regarding Alleged Corrupt Practices.

Washington, Oct. 20.—Chinese Inspector J. Thomas Scharf was not permitted to resign his office, but was dismissed. Upon the recommendation of the District Attorney at New York, under whose direction Mr. Scharf was performing his duties, he was notified on the 1st instant that his services would not be required after the 15th. On the 6th he wrote a letter to Secretary Gage, protesting against removal, and asserting that he had been hampered in his work by antagonistic railroad influences, which were responsible for the corruption mentioned by him. If the department was determined to dispense with his services he asked permission to resign.

"Ever since I have been here," he wrote, "I have been antagonized by the Canadian Pacific Railroad influence, the smugglers, and their agents and attorneys, because they could neither purchase nor influence me to work at their illegal transactions. The leading officers of the above company have several times threatened to have me dismissed from the service unless I passed into that country the Chinese which their officers had smuggled into this country. The officers of this company and others in their employ are largely engaged in smuggling Chinese, and they have corrupted the service in doing this. Officers who are now in their pay are kept in service, and those who have informed on them have been summarily dismissed. I could startle you with facts about the doings of these men, not only near the border, but right under your own nose."

In response to this a letter was sent telling Mr. Scharf that it was his duty to inform the department of any corrupt practices of which he had knowledge; that no influence, except the recommendation of the District Attorney, was responsible for his removal, and that an application to be permitted to resign would be received. Without the slightest reference to anything contained in this letter of the 6th instant, and totally ignoring the suggestion of the Secretary that he present any facts in his possession regarding alleged corrupt practices, on the 11th instant Scharf formally tendered his resignation, prefacing it with the statement that he had made arrangements to enter upon the practice of the law.

"At the same time," said Mr. Howell, "he advised the newspapers of the fact, and claimed that he voluntarily severed his connection with the Government service because of his inability to secure a proper enforcement of the laws. In view of this action on his part the Secretary of the Treasury decided to give no attention to the request that the inspector be allowed to resign, and the letter of dismissal, therefore, took effect on the 15th instant."

Spiritualists in Convention.

Washington, Oct. 20.—One hundred and fifty men and women, members of the Spiritualists' Annual Association of the United States and Canada, constitute the convention of that body which began a three days' session here yesterday. In his annual report President Barrett cited the National Anti-Spiritualist Association as evidence of the fact that opponents of spiritualism were becoming alarmed at the increase of interest in it. He recommended that a history of spiritualism from 1848 be undertaken by the association, and that the work be placed in the hands of Lyman C. Lowe, of Fredonia, N. Y. The association will put two missionaries in the field to counteract the work of the anti-spiritualist organization.

How Rich Was Killed.

Pittsburg, Oct. 20.—The coroner's jury in the case of Benjamin Rich, halfback of the Tyrone football team, killed in a game on Saturday, has decided that death was caused by internal hemorrhages of the brain, superinduced by over-exertion and a fall while tackling J. H. Miller and striking his head on the ground or a stone.

Six players on both teams gave practically the same testimony that Rich had tackled Miller, and that both had fallen together, Rich underneath. The game was free from slugging.

Fire Among Lunatics.

New York, Oct. 20.—A fire which started early last evening in the boiler room of the electric light station situated in a branch of the women's section of the State Hospital for the Insane on Ward's Island, necessitated the transfer of some of the more violent patients from one part of the building to another, and did $25,000 damage. The fire was put out by the island's fire department without outside aid.

Garfield's Father-in-Law Dying.

Cleveland, Ohio, Oct. 20.—Zebulon Rudolph, 94 years of age, father-in-law of the late President Garfield, is dying at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Garfield, in Mentor. Mr. Rudolph has lived in this State nearly all his life, and for some years has been classed as the oldest living Ohioan. His grandson, "Harry" A. Garfield, said to-day that Mr. Rudolph's trouble was due to old age.

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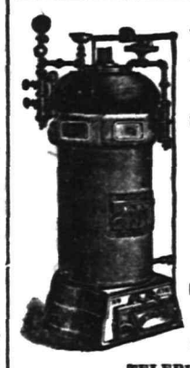

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—A party of gypsies are encamped at Avon Park. They will be there for several days.

Those who believe chronic diarrhœa to be incurable should read what Mr. P. E. Grisham, of Gaars Mills, La., has to say on the subject, viz.: "I have been a sufferer from chronic diarrhœa ever since the war and have tried all kinds of medicines for it. At last I found a remedy that effected a cure and that was Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy." This medicine can always be depended upon for colic, cholera morbus, dysentery and diarrhœa. It is pleasant to take and never fails to affect a cure. 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. Josie Addison and Miss Jeanette Skene and M. G. Addison, of Brooklyn, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clarkson Mundy, of Stone street.

A pain in the chest is nature's warning that pheumonia is threatened. Dampen a piece of flannel with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bind over the seat of pain, and another on the back between the shoulders, and prompt relief will follow. Sold by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Miss Bass, of Second place, is still confined to her home with illness.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

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Miss Grace Lockitt, of Brooklyn, has returned home after a visit with Mrs. E. S. Peck, of Second place.

The Grandest Remedy.

Mr. R. B. Greeve, merchant, of Chilhowie, Va., certifies that he had consumption, was given up to die, sought all medical treatment that money could procure, tried all cough remedies he could hear of, but got no relief; spent many nights sitting up in a chair; was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery, and was cured by use of two bottles. For past three years has been attending to business, and says Dr. King's New Discovery is the grandest remedy ever made, as it has done so much for him and also for others in his community. Dr. King's New Discovery is guaranteed for Coughs, Colds and Consumption. It don't fail. Trial bottles free at L. W. Randolph's drug store. Regular size 50 cents and $1.00.

Silas Yerkes, of East Sixth street, has about recovered from his long and severe illness.

Something to Know.

It may be worth something to know that the very best medicine for restoring the tired out nervous system to a healthy vigor is Electric Bitters. This medicine is purely vegetable, acts by giving tone to the nerve centres in the stomach, gently stimulates the Liver and Kidneys, and aids these organs in throwing off impurities in the blood. Electric Bitters improves the appetite, aids digestion, and is pronounced by those who have tried it as the very best blood purifier and nerve tonic. Try it. Sold for 50c or $1.00 per bottle at L. W. Randolph's Drug Store.

POPE LEO'S STRONG WORDS.

His Denunciation of the American "Refractaires."

Washington, Oct. 20.—The arrangements for the meetings of the board of directors of the Catholic University to-day and the Catholic archbishops of the United States on Thursday were perfected yesterday by the investure of Mgr. Conaty, rector of the university, with the purple robes of a monsignor of honorary chamberlain to the Pope. The ceremonies took place in the afternoon in the chapel of Divinity Hall, and were attended by a large number of priests and prelates from all parts of the country.

Among those present were Archbishops Martinelli, Keane, Ryan, Williams, Chapman, Corrigan, Ireland and Riordan; Bishops Maes, Horstmann, Prendergast, Foley, Hogan and Beava, and Mgr. Maginnis, of Jamaica Plains; the Rev. Dr. Lavelle, of New York Cathedral; the Rev. A. P. Doyle and the Rev. Francis M. Howard, of New York, and the Rev. Sylvester Malone and the Rev. Father Conname, of Brooklyn. The ceremonies consisted of a speech by Archbishop Keane, the blessing of the robes by the Cardinal and the profession of faith, and an address by Dr. Conaty.

The speech of Archbishop Keane was especially important because it is believed to reflect the views of Pope Leo regarding the university. He dwelt emphatically on the fact that the university is to be regarded as an American institution. It was the first time Archbishop Keane had spoken in the university since he made his farewell address a year ago. He said:

"When I went to Rome the Holy Father said to me: 'All these whisperings and rumors which have been told me regarding the university are lies, manufactured by men who hate not only the university but me, by refractaires who hate my policy. I will show them by my treatment of you what I think of them and of the university.' The Holy Father has always approved the course and the teachings of the university."

M'KINLEY'S TRIP TO OHIO.

To Visit Cincinnati, Vote in Canton and Speak in Pittsburg.

Washington, Oct. 20.—The details of the President's trip to Cincinnati, Canton and Pittsburg were completed yesterday. He will leave Washington, accompanied by Mrs. McKinley and Secretary Porter on Friday afternoon, Oct. 29, at 3.40 o'clock for Cincinnati, where he will be the guest of J. G. Schmidlapp, an intimate personal friend. On Saturday afternoon an informal public reception will be held by the President in the Chamber of Commerce, and on Saturday night he will be the guest of honor at the annual banquet of the Commercial Club.

Early on Monday morning Mr. McKinley will start for Canton, where he will cast his vote on the following day. He will go on Wednesday to Pittsburg to attend the Founders' Day ceremonies at the Carnegie Library. W. N. Frew, chairman of the Library Committee, and Robert Pitcairn, of the Board of Trustees of the Library, will be the President's hosts while he is in Pittsburg. On Wednesday afternoon Mr. McKinley will deliver a short address at the ceremonies at the library and will hold a public reception. In the evening he will attend a symphony concert and will start on the same night for Washington.

DEBS ON PULLMAN

In a Speech to the Cloakmakers He Refers to the Dead Millionaire.

New York, Oct. 20.—Eugene V. Debs delivered his oft-repeated speech on "Social Democracy" at a mass-meeting of the east side cloakmakers in Everett Hall last night. At its conclusion he said:

"I once sent an open letter to John D. Rockefeller, telling him that I could marshal 50,000 unemployed men on the Chicago lake front. I was ridiculed because I never received an answer, but I did not expect one."

"One of these angels is dead!" shouted a cloakmaker.

"Yes," said Debs; "he is now on the same footing of equality as his former wage slaves. Death is a social Democrat. The time was when Pullman had nothing to arbitrate. Now comes the time when Death has nothing to arbitrate."

Debs then told the cloakmakers that he bore Mr. Pullman no malice.

PLANS OF THE CUBANS

Intend to Make Active Warfare on the Island.

EXPEDITIONS WITH ARMS

With or Without Belligerent Rights the Cubans Claim They Will Be Free by March—What an Officer of the Insurgent Army Says.

St. Louis, Oct. 20.—Three Cuban patriots direct from the island have been in St. Louis the last fourteen days procuring and shipping ammunition for their compatriots. Their work is at last completed and they leave to-day for Cuba.

One of them is authority for the statement that during their stay they have purchased and forwarded to a Texas port $225,000 worth of cartridges, dynamite, rifles, pistols and saddlery intended for the insurgent army. Two expeditions conveying these supplies sailed last night from a Texas port between the city of Bagdad and Port Galveston, and in the Caribbean Sea will meet two other expeditions that Sunday night set sail from New York.

The Cuban agents are Col. George Johnson, of the staff of Gen. Roloff; Col. Eduard Betancourt and Capt. H. A. Smith. During their stay in St. Louis they have stopped at private houses. Col. Johnston said:

"I left Santiago de Cuba the latter part of September. Our mission has been to buy supplies for the Department of the East. Owing to the quarantine we could do nothing at Key West, and came to St. Louis. We have accomplished our mission here by the purchase of $225,000 worth of ammunition and the like."

Col. Johnston continued on the subject of Cuba:

"Autonomy? No! Nothing but absolute freedom. We have 60,000 men under arms in Cuba. Virtually the whole island, except Havana, Matanzas and Cienfugos is in our hands. We could take Havana by means of dynamite, but we would have to notify the foreign Consuls, who, of course, would notify the enemy, else we should blow up our friends."

"At a meeting of representatives of the whole army of the East and West as late as Oct. 4, at Holquin, at which I was present, and which has not yet been mentioned in the papers, it was reiterated that Cuba would accept nothing but absolute freedom. It is a waste of time for the United States to deal with Spain relative to granting autonomy or anything else short of absolute freedom. What we want of the United States is the granting of belligerent rights. With that, in less than seventy-two hours we would have out of the various ports of the United States forty-two vessels flying the Cuban flag.

"Before the American Congress meets again there will be events that we hope will compel Congress to recognize us. We have been on the defensive heretofore. Now we are on the offensive. We begin to retaliate. The armies of the East and West are about to consolidate. They will shortly attack Matanzas. Possibly Havana will be assailed. We are about to show Congress that we mean business, if we have not shown it heretofore.

"With belligerent rights the island will be free before Dec. 31 of this year. Without recognition we shall still be free before March of next year."

SHAW GAINS SYMPATHY.

Alleged Camden Murderer's Counsel Ejected from Private Hearing.

Camden, N. J., Oct. 20.—Public feeling in the case of Eli Shaw, who is suspected of murdering his mother and his grandmother in order to obtain an inheritance that would tend to hasten his marriage to Mabel Neilson, is veering towards the young man today.

An incident in which the young man's attorney, Harry S. Scovel, figured has played an important part in bringing about this result. Scovel was forcibly ejected from Mayor Westcott's office by a policeman, and five of Shaw's friends were held in $1,000 bail each to appear for the State at the trial.

This action was taken because the young men, acting under the lawyer's advice, refused to answer questions at a private hearing.

Attorney Scovel was told to get out, that he wasn't wanted and had no business there. He refused to go and fought to remain until policemen were called in, and Scovel was finally ejected.

Last Honors to Worden.

Washington, Oct. 20.—Services over the body of Rear Admiral John L. Worden, U. S. N., retired, were held at St. John's Episcopal Church this morning at 10.30 o'clock. President McKinley, the members of the Cabinet, and a number of distinguished officers of the army were present. The pall bearers were Secretary John D. Long, Maj.-Gen. Nelson A. Miles, Justice Horace Gray, of the United States Supreme Court; Judge J. C. Bancroft Davis, reporter of the United States Supreme Court; Judge John Davis, of the United States Court of Claims; Col. Archibald Hopkins, clerk of the Court of Claims; Admiral Franklin, and Gen. J. G. Parke. Twelve blue jackets were the body bearers. The body was taken to Pawlings, N. Y.

Mob Raids a Newspaper Office.

Lexington, Ky., Oct. 20.—The office of the Harlan Times, at Harlan Court House, Harlan County, was entered by a band of men this morning and the type was destroyed. The Times is a Republican paper and has attacked members of the party who were supporting the local Democratic ticket. Men from Middleboro have gone to the scene, and declare that the paper will be issued under guard.

Lady Sykes a Forger.

London, Oct. 20.—Lady Jessica Sykes, wife of Sir Tatton Sykes, the well-known Yorkshire baronet, was arraigned in a police court yesterday at the instance of a stock broker upon a charge of forging the name of her husband to a bill for £1,000.

The charge was not sustained on account of the husband being prohibited by law from giving evidence against his wife, and the lady was discharged.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

(Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Threatening Weather and Rain Tonight; Probably Local Showers Thursday; Stationary Temperature.

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 62 Degrees.

COMING EVENTS.

October 20—Presbyterian Synod continued.
October 20—Bookkeeping and commercial course at Y. M. C. A.
October 25—William Blaikie at the Y. M. C. A. "How to Get Strong."
October 26—Entertainment Plainfield Mandolin and Guitar Club at Monroe Avenue church.

James E. Martine, of Plainfield, has been spoken of as a possible candidate for Surrogate on the Democratic ticket, but has authorized the statement that under no circumstances will he become the nominee for Surrogate of the Union county Democrats. This withdrawal takes a very conspicuous campaigner out of the list, and makes the coming campaign less active than it would be with Mr. Martine as a candidate. The difference between Mr. Martine and Mr Crowell, in their conduct of campaigns, is this: Mr. Martine is the campaigner of the hustlings and of the platform; Mr. Crowell does not go after votes with a brass band, but with a quiet demeanor and a Rahway smile.—Elizabeth Journal.

Plainfield has been the meeting place of large conventions of Christian workers many times during the last three years, but it has never before had in its midst a more talented and earnestly engaged gathering than that of the synod of the Presbyterian churches of New Jersey now in session. The synod is made up of the leaders in church efforts, and Plainfield welcomes them as a dignified body who will leave a pronounced moral effect for the better in the lives of those who attend the sessions.

The Union county Democrats, in convention assembled, seemed impressed with the idea of only mentioning such issues in their resolutions as they will deal directly with in the present campaign. The difference between the attitude of the Union and Somerset Democrats in that respect was quite marked.

The Republican county convention will be held in Elizabeth Friday. Roger Murray seems to have the support of nearly the whole county for one of the Assembly nominations.

IN HARMONY THEY MET.

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vention was made by Mr. Martine in nominating Thomas Jefferson Jackson. Mr. Martine opened the floodgates of his oratorical powers just a bit and gave the delegates a few minutes talk that had for its climax the nomination of a man whose name is a combination of those words revered in Democratic minds. He was greeted with enthusiastic applause. As the applause died away a delegate—who proved to be Edward Reuban, of Springfield—bobbed up like a spectre of discordance and vehemently declaimed:

"What's the use of naming Jackson, when he can't carry his own township? Give us Benjamin Heard, he's the man we want."

Delegate Reuban sat down amid the derisive howls of the rest of the delegates.

The vote for the nomination resulted as follows:

B. L. Lawrence, 103; Dr. T. J. Jackson, 96; W. D. Wolfeskeil, 66; George King, Elizabeth, 50; John Isenman, Cranford, 19; A. R. Corbet, Linden, 16; A. Hughes, 9; Benjamin Heard, Springfield, 2.

Necessary to a choice, 64. The nominations were then made unanimous.

Dr. Thomas E. Dolan, of Elizabeth, was the unanimous choice for coroner.

The candidates all made stirring speeches.

—The Ladies' Aid Society of the German Reformed church will hold a business meeting tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. Philip Bach, 207 Somerset street.

—It is much better to preserve your first sight than to worry along with poor glasses waiting for your second sight, which is a condition not to be desired. Our glasses will improve and preserve your sight. Leech, Stiles & Co., at 107 East Front street, every Thursday.

THE SYNOD IN SESSION.

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A. Nelson Hollifield, D. D., Newark; Rev. Samuel M. Studdiford, D. D., Trenton; Elders Randall E. Morgan, Camden; James T. Barnes, Perth Amboy; H. H. Hollister, M. D., Rutherford. Judicial business—Rev. George H. Payson, Rahway; Rev. J. C. Clyde, D. D., Bloomsbury; Rev. Wm. W. Knox, D. D., New Brunswick; Rev. John Ewing, Daretown; Elders J. S. Silvers, Cranbury; George W. DeMott, Tenafly; F. H. Kingsbury, Orange. Finance—Elders D. C. English, M. D. New Brunswick; Phoebus W. Lyon, Bridgeton; Rev. Baker Smith, D. D., Flanders; Rev. Julius H. Wolff, Newark. Records of Presbyteries—Conisco, Rev. H. R. McClelland, Ph.D., Jersey City; Rev. D. R. Foster, Trenton; Elder L. Marshall Teel, Phillipsburg. Elizabeth, Rev. Alex H. Young, D. D, Mattawan; Rev. A. McShannon Higgins, Deckertown; Elder B. O. Titus, Camden. Jersey City, Rev. J. McNulty, D. D., Woodbridge; Rev. Orville Reed, Montclair; Elder H. F. Pierson, East Orange. Monmouth, Rev. I. Alstyne Blauvelt, D. D., Roselle; Rev. Wm. V. Louderbough, Salem; Elder H. D. Oliphant, Trenton. Morris and Orange, Rev. Joseph B. Galloway, Paterson; Rev. Frank Wilkins, Burlington; Elder J. C. Waters, Rahway. Newark, Rev. Fred R. Brace, Ph D., Blackwood; Rev. Frederick W. Jackson, Jr., and Elder John E. Burd, New Brunswick; Rev. Stanley White, Rev. Oliver A. Kerr and Elder P. Kennedy Reeves, Newton; Rev. Charles P. Glover, Rev. Vernon B. Carroll and Elder Julius Foster, West Jersey; Rev. Isaac H. Condit, Rev. George B. VanDyke and Elder John L. Brown.

Today the morning and afternoon sessions of the Synod were devoted to matters of business. At the morning session the attendance of delegates was slightly larger than yesterday. The session opened at 9 o'clock with prayer. After the minutes of yesterday afternoon's session were read and approved, the stated clerk, Dr. Walter A. Brooks, announced that Rev. William R. Richards, D. D., of this city, had been appointed vice moderator. The following standing committee was also announced:

On minutes of the general assembly, Rev. Theodore F. Chambers, Rev. James S. Young, and Elder Josiah Ketcham; on narrative for 1898, Rev. Henry A. MacKibbin, Rev. Samuel J. McClenaghan and Elder John S. Jessup.

Rev. Allen H. Brown, of the Presbytery, of West Jersey, next read the annual financial report of the trustees of the Synod, showing receipts for the year of $98.24, and expenditares of $62.50. Elder Horace Churchman, of Burlington, next presented the report of the Presbyterian Board of Education, explaining the work of the board in aiding candidates for the ministry to gain a college and seminary education. The board during its existence has aided 8,613 young men to secure an education, the maximum sum allowed each man being $150 a year.

Mr. Churchman spoke of the need of the church for ministers, mentioning the fact that there are nearly 1,000 Presbyterian churches in the country without pastors. Over one hundred of the men aided by the board are now doing missionary work in foreign fields, and between 500 and 600 are laboring in the home field. Thirty per cent of the number have been elected college presidents and others have held high positions in the Lord's work. During the ten years from 1886 to 1896 the board gave $751,392 for the education of young men. New Jersey is first in educational work, as over three-fourths of her churches are contributing annually to the fund. The recent death of Dr. Poor, an efficient laborer in the interest of the board, was alluded to by the speaker feelingly.

The report of the committee on narrative was next presented by its chairman, Rev. Thomas Dyac, D. D., of Heightstown.

A discussion was caused by a portion of the report which emphasized the idea that pastors can serve their own congregation as Christ's best evangelists, and that surer and richer fruitage is gathered from the labors of earnest pastors than from the spasmodic efforts of evangeliste. A resolution offered by Rev. C. H. Payson, of Rahway, to adopt the report, with special emphasis and approval upon this paragraph, called a dozen delegates to their feet at once. It was pointed out that such a resolution would be unwise, as it might antagonize evangelists and seem a reflection upon the work of Mr. Moody. After a heated discussion lasting several minutes the Synod voted to lay the matter upon the table. The whole report was then adopted in the regular manner.

The report of the trustees of the synod was read, and the resignation of Rev. Dr. Gosman from the board was accepted with regret and Rev. Dr. Studdiford was elected in his place.

The annual report of the committee on synodical home missions was presented at 10:30 o'clock by Rev. Eben B. Cobb, D. D., of Elizabeth, for the chairman, Rev. Dr. Dixon, of Trenton. The report called special attention to the needs of missionary work in the cities within a radius of 35 miles of New York, in which teeritory there is now a population of over 1,000,000 souls. These people are not American. In many places churches have been organized where preaching was conducted in foreign languages. These peoples are now becoming Americanized in a measure by such forces as the public school. The need of work among these people is very great, and up to-date methods must be employed.

A method of work very much in favor at present is the parochial, so well illustrated in the Crescent Avenue church, of this city, which is cherishing three missions. Another method is to establish and aid a mission until it becomes self-supporting. The Hon. William M. L. Lanning, of the Presbytery of New Brunswick, the treasurer of the Synodical Home Missionary Home Fund, rendered his report, showing receipts for the year from the different Presbyteries of $16,613.89, and total receipts of $26,507.49. The amount appropriated to the different Presbyteries for the year was $16,925, of which $12,290.25 was spent in salaries for ministers of eighty-one weak churches and for the employment of missionaries. The total expenditures for the year were $22,157.77, leaving a balance on hand $4,349.72. A vote of thanks to Mr. Lanning was passed for his excellent administration of the office of treasurer of the fund.

The question of continuing the publication of "The Synod," the paper established last year by the committee, was discussed, and a resolution was passed authorizing its continuance in the discretion of the committee for another year.

The greetings of the Synod were ordered to be sent to the bretheren of Corisco, in Africa. The recommendation at the committee on Synodical Home Missions was next adopted, making assesements upon the different Presbyteries for the coming year to the amount of $17 415.39. The necorological report was rendered at 12 o'clock by Rev. Sylvester W. Beach, of Bridgeton.

The deaths occuring among members of the Synod during the past year are those of Rev. William Luke Cunningham, D. D., aged 50 years, at Point Pleasant on October 5th; Rev. Samuel H. Wallace, D. D., aged 64 at New Egypt on February 2d; Rev. John Lester Wells, aged 51, at Stillwater, N. Y., on August 29th; Rev. Oliver Crane, D. D. L. L. D., aged 75, on November 29th 1896; Rev. Stephen S. Leonard, aged 87, at Orange on February 10th; Rev. David Blumenfeld, aged 38, at Pleasantville, N. Y., on February 16th; Rev. Joshna Hall M'Aloine, D. D., aged 82; Rev. William E. Faulkner, aged 49, on June 9th; Rev. J. Foster Brewster, aged 66, on August 10th, and Rev. Henry B. Voorhees, of North Branch Station, the news of whose death the speaker stated he had just received. After a short devotional meeting an adjournment was taken at 12:30 until 2 o'clock.

Dry Goods Values.

Not ordinary every day lots at ordinary every day prices, but bargains in every sense of the word are the goods that White, the dry goods man, tells about in his advertisement. He says that never in the store history has this store displayed such a lot of fine tempting merchandise and at such remarkably low prices. Every department is at its best and they are going to beat all former records. The ad tells of silks, dress goods, suits, capes, jackets, etc., that are well worth investigating.

A few weeks ago the editor was taken with a very severe cold that caused him to be in a most miserable condition. It was undoubtedly a bad case of la grippe and recognizing it as dangerous he took immediate steps to bring about a speedy cure. From the advertisement of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the many good recommendations included therein, we concluded to make a first trial of the medicine. To say that it was satisfactory in its results, is putting it very mildly, indeed. It acted like magic and the result was a speedy and permanent cure. We have no hesitancy in recommending this excellent Cough Remedy to anyone afflicted with a cough or cold in any form.—The Banner of Liberty, Libertytown, Maryland. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

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—An apron, cake and candy sale will be held at the residence of Mrs. John Doull Miller, of East Ninth street, on Friday, October 29th, for the benefit of the mission in the south where Rev. E. L Walz, Jr., of this city, is to be stationed. It is to be given by the ladies of the Crescent Avenue church.

Croup Quickly Cured.

MOUNTAIN GLEN, Ark.—Our children were suffering with croup when we received a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It afforded almost instant relief.—F. A. Thornton. This celebrated remedy is for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Good cake can be made in half a dozen ways; the *best* cake only by using Cleveland's baking powder.

If you can make good cake, you are the one to appreciate Cleveland's baking powder.

It makes just that delicate, dainty kind that expert cake-makers strive for.

Guarantee.

Grocers are authorized to give back your money if you do not find Cleveland's the best baking powder you have ever used.

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CANDIDATES IN MIDDLESEX.

Republicans Make Their County Nominations, Not Following Slate Exactly.

To all appearances the Middlesex County Republican Convention, which was held in New Brunswick yesterday afternoon, was as harmonious in its deliberations as the leaders.

The full ticket nominated is as follows: For State Senator, Frank H. Pownal, of Jamesburg; for Surrogate, South R. Farrington, of Perth Amboy; for Assemblymen. Edward W. Burroughs, of Metuchen; Jacob H Whitfield, of New Brunswick and James Fountain, of Old Bridge; for Coroner. P. W. Brakeley, of Dunellen

—The Plainfield Sanitary Company plant is now completed and running without interruption.

—The State Council session of the Daughters of America will convene in the Taylor Opera House, Trenton, Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. Mrs. J. B. Higgins, of West Front street, and Mrs. I. F. Riker, of Central avenue, will represent Martha Washington Council, of this city.

Y. M. C. A. STAR COURSE — SIX FINE ENTERTAINMENTS FOR $1 25.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Mrs. Humpston called on friends in Plainfield yesterday.

E. E. Brown, of Newark, has been in town on business.

A meeting of the Foresters will be held tomorrow evening.

A. Lucardi, of Plainfield, spent yesterday with borough friends.

Mrs. J. Taylor has returned from her visit with Bayonne friends.

Mrs. Joel DeGroff is entertaining company from Rahway for a few days.

Mrs. J. Heyzer, of Brooklyn, is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. W. Warden.

Frank Clarkson, of Plainfield, called on borough friends yesterday.

John Herbert has completed the new chimneys on the Presbyterian church.

William Doty, of Basking Ridge, who has been visiting in town, has returned home.

Mrs. Baldwin, who has been seriously ill, is much improved, and able to be out again.

The Building and Loan Association will meet tomorow evening in regular session.

Mrs. Mary C. Laing, of East Millstone, was the guest of friends in the borough yesterday.

After a long and tedious illness Mrs. W. H. Cole has about recovered, and hopes to be out soon.

Mrs. Clarence Leland and Miss Nash, of Plainfield, were the guests of friends in the borough yesterday.

At present the members of the Dunellen Gun Club are taking a rest, and no matches are being arranged.

Gus Warden is recovering very slowly from his recent burning accident, but he hopes to be out again in ten days.

Miss Anna Titsworth, of New Market, expects to spend the winter in Tennessee, and she will leave for that place next week.

Employes of the Central Railroad are at present repairing the Washington avenue crossing. The work is needed very much.

SCOTCH PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Miss Jennie Marsh is spending a week with relatives in Tenafly.

The Knights of Pythias will hold a meeting in their lodge rooms tomorrow night.

The Scotch Plains Baptist Sunday-school sent a large delegation to the State Sunday-school convention at New Market, yesterday.

Excelsior Hook and Ladder Company has received a communication from the Plainfield firemen stating that the hand-engine will be allowed to remain in Scotch Plains for the present. It is understood that the Excelsior Company is planning to purchase an engine of its own.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Scotch Plains Baptist church will hold a sociable in the church parlors tonight, for which an interesting programme has been arranged. Refreshments will be served by the young ladies of the society, and no admission will be charged, but a silver collection will be taken at the close.

Elizabeth, N. J., Oct. 19, 1896.

ELY BROS., Dear Sirs;—Please accept my thanks for your favor in the gift of a bottle of Cream Balm. Let me say I have used it for years and can thoroughly recommend it for what it claims, if directions are followed. Yours truly, (Rev.) H. W. HATHAWAY.

No clergyman should be without it. Cream Balm is kept by all druggists. Full size 50c. Trial size 10 cents. We mail it. ELY BROS., 56 Warren St., N. Y. City.

—Butterick patterns for November are now ready at the fancy goods store of the Misses Gorsline, 122 West Front street.

—The fall and winter line of dry goods to be found at Boehm's up-to-date store on West Front street, are hard to beat for quality or price.

—The suit of Wilcox against Keiderling in Justice Newcorn's court was adjourned yesterday for a week. City Judge DeMeza represented the defendant.

WESTFIELD

VARIOUS BITS OF NEWS.

WESTFIELD HAPPENINGS SERVED UP TERSELY FOR THE PRESS.

Many People Go and Come in the Pretty Suburban Town—Items Interesting Because of Their Brevity

Westfield Lodge, No. 169, I. O. O. F., holds a meeting tonight.

William Robinson has left the employ of the Bard Cycle Company.

Octavius Knight, of Elm street, has returned from a trip to Portland, Me.

Mrs. Newton Hoffman, of Mountain avenue, is visiting relatives in New York city.

Richard Conners has given up his position at Powers' hotel and has gone to Bound Brook.

Roland Randolph, who has been visiting friends in this place, returned yesterday to his home in Newark.

The I. O. S. will hold a regular meeting this evening at the residence of Charles R. Foster, on South avenue.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist church will give a social in the church parlors tomorrow evening.

Miss Florence Miller, of Mountain avenue, will give a party in honor of her seventeenth birthday, on Friday evening.

The Third Quarterly Conference of the Methodist church will be held in the church parlors tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Baptist church will hold a meeting in the church parlors tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Rev. N. W. Cadwell and Charles G. Endicott are in attendance at the meetings of the Synod of New Jersey, in Plainfield.

Joseph Blackbourn, of North avenue, who mashed one of the fingers on his right hand last Thursday, is now able to be out again.

The case of Griffen against Jimmerson, on contract, which was to have been tried in Justice Collins' court today, was settled out of court.

The Central Railroad Company has had a telephone placed in its station at Westfield in response to a petition to that effect presented by the patrons of the road living in the town.

Miss Julia Folsom and Mrs. E. R. Collins have returned from the State W. C. T. U. convention at Trenton, where they went as delegates from Willard W. C. T. U., of this city.

Richard Burke was arraigned before Justice Hart, at Westfield, on Monday, charged with cruelly beating his wife. After hearing the evidence in the case the Justice held Burke in $300 bonds to keep the peace and $300 to await the action of the Grand Jury. In default of bail the prisoner was committed to the county jail.

Nathan Mowrey, of Little Falls, met with a bad fall while riding his bicycle on Picton street, Westfield, yesterday about noon. Mowrey is a very unskilled rider, and when he encountered two large furniture vans and was forced to the side of the road, he became nervous and ran into the rear van. He fell upon the road and the rear wheel of the van passed over his right arm, bruising and lacerating it badly.

New Paper Train.

A new paper train has been placed into service on the Central, P. and R. and B. and O. Railroads. It will leave Jersey City about 2:30 a. m. and will take the metropolitan journals to Philadelphia and Washington. This is considered a great advance in this business, as people living in the above two large cities will now be able to get New York papers as soon as they can get the papers published in the cities in which they live.

In Justices' Courts.

Justice Mosher yesterday issued a summons in the contract case of Kirch against Milford. The summons is made returnable on next Monday.

Justice Moffett has issued a summons in the case of Pope & Runyon against Scully, on contract, returnable on next Monday.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they do is tenfold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by druggists, price 75c per bottle.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

—The large timbers that Henry & Johns used in the lifting of Trinity Reformed church are being removed. The brick work of the church is now nearly completed.

Two Kinds of Stores.

There probably always will be two kinds of stores. One kind is conducted in the belief that the way to win trade is to make the store the best one for people to come to. In the other kind of store all attention is given to specious methods of drawing trade and little concern given to the interests of customers when they come.

The First Kind is Our Kind.

We do not believe that any drug store can offer any worthy inducements other than excellence of service and fairness of prices. Such an inducement has built our trade and will continue to build it.

FRANK ROWLEY,
DRUGGIST,
45 SOMERSET ST. TEL. 213 A.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

L. L. Manning was in Germantown, Pa., Monday on business.

Senator Charles A. Reed was in Trenton yesterday on business.

Mrs. Dunham, of Madison avenue, is somewhat improved from a severe illness.

Attorney John Brown, of Elizabeth, was in Plainfield yesterday on business.

Mrs. Samuel C. Terry, of East Third street, is much improved from a recent illness.

E. J. Barras, of Somerville, has been visiting his son, Charles Barras, of Stebbins place.

Miss Etta Raybert, of North avenue, is the guest of Miss Florence Spalding, of Bound Brook.

Rev. W. C. O'Donnell, of West Front street, has returned from a few days' visit out of town.

Mrs. William T. Carr and daughter, of Oxford place, have gone to Elmira, N. Y., for Miss Carr's health.

Mrs. Mary E. Herr, of Whitehouse, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. S. S. Swackhamer, of Summit avenue.

Mr and Mrs. C. E. Grant, of West Front street, are entertaining Mrs. Sarah Hinnman, of Catskill, N. Y.

Miss Mattie Merrill has returned to her position at VanEmburgh & Son's dry goods store after a severe illness.

Fred Cuthbert, of Pennsylvania, was in town yesterday visiting his old Plainfield friends. He formerly resided in this city.

Revs. Dr. Rodman, J. P. Taylor and S. P. Simpson left yesterday for Perth Amboy, where they will attend an Episcopal convention.

Mrs. J. T. Stout, of Atlantic Highlands, has returned home after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. John H. VanWinkle, of Duer street.

Miss Garretson, of New Market, was a guest at the social and reception given by Miss Mattie Humble at her home on Somerset street, last evening.

Clarence VanDeventer, of East Fifth street, who has been ill for some time past, has left town for a change of climate in the hope that he may regain his health.

Carl Pfeiffer, of Madison avenue, has returned from an extended vacation trip, during which he visited Germany and several places of interest in this country.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sebring and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. John Culp have moved back to this city, after making their home for a time in Sullivan county, N. Y.

Last Friday Miss Nettie Beeching, president of the Primary Teachers' Union, of this city, addressed a large number of people at Lakewood on the subject of primary work.

The wedding of Miss Grace D. Barlow, of Prospect place, and Charles Stillman, of Sabine Pass, Tex., will take place this evening at the home of William Barlow, on Prospect place.

It is better to take Hood's Sarsaparilla then to experiment with unknown and untried preparations. We know Hood's Sarsaparilla actually and permanently cures.

Hood's pills act easily and promptly on the liver and bowels. Cure sick headache.

—Trinity Commandery, No. 17, K. of T., held a conclave on Monday evening and worked the Order of the Red Cross upon five candidates. The ceremonies were conducted by the working corps of St. John's Commandery, of Elizabeth, which had a large delegation present.

RANDOLPH'S --DRUG STORE.--

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WANTS AND OFFERS.

BOARD and rooms, home comforts; suite small family or couple. Mrs. Childs, near depot, Netherwood, N. J. 10 16 3

FIRST-CLASS help and first class places at the Swedish intelligence office, 23 Somerset place. s 23 tf

DESIRABLE house, low rental, improved. 235 East Sixth street. Call, 231. 9 10 tf

LOST—A tan cloth cape. Reward if returned to this office. 10 18 3

CHOICE rooms with excellent board; terms moderate. 417 East Fifth street. 10 18 6

MANGLE wurtzel beets by the ton. For sale by W. H. Rogers, Washingtonville, N. J. 10 19 6

NUMBER 24 perfect water heater, good as new; for sale cheap. 110 East Fifth street. 10 19 3

$5. REWARD—Lost Sept. 28, on 5:30 p. m. express train from New York, letter file wrapped in a newspaper containing a number of receipted bills. Return to Daily Press office and get reward. 10 19 3

WANTED—$500 on first mortgage. Address L. B. H., care Press. 10 19 2

GIRL wants place as nurse, or to take care of children. Call 237 East Third street. 10 19 2

TO LET—House, 7 rooms 221 East Second street near Lincoln school Inquire 409 East Sixth street. 10 20 3

$500 wanted on second mortgage; "Gilt Edge" property; state terms, no agents. Address E Mfgr., care Press. 10 20 4

I want to buy a Jersey cow. Call 261 Somerset street.

WANTED—White girl for general housework. Apply 63 Grove St. 10 20 2

HOUSE wanted; ten or twelve rooms near Crescent avenue. Address House, Postoffice.

BOARD wanted for two lady teachers. Address Roberts, care Press; stating terms.

FOR SALE—Coupe rockaway in first class condition. May be seen at 531 West Seventh street.

POOL table for sale cheap. 90 Somerset street. 10 20 2

WANTED — Chambermaid and waitress; reference required. Call 312 LaGrande avenue. 10 20 2

WANTED—First-class Life Insurance representatives, all forms of policies from $50 and upward; liberal commissions and renewals. Apply F. G. Stone, 791 Broad street, Newark, N. J.

LOST—St. Bernard bitch, answers name of Nell. Suitable reward for return to Geo. Voehl, 127 West Front street.

SMALL furnished room with excellent board. 62 Sandford avenue. 10 20 6

Plainfield's Busiest Store.

We sell goods cheaper than all other stores.

The Situation.

Every woman in this town has more or less dry goods money to spend—you want to spend it to the very best advantage. Now here is a store filled with fresh, reliable merchandise, bought right and sold right to your entire satisfaction. We tell of many good values in these columns, but not half of the good things get a word. We want you to investigate.

Millinery.

Type or word cannot do justice to this department—to appreciate the worthiness of our millinery we ask you to see others, then see ours—there will be no question about who gets the order.

Dress Goods

news, and good news it is to prudent buyers. You can hardly afford to pass this handsome stock of ours without an inspection. If you cannot come drop postal for samples and prices.

36 in fancy wool Mixtures 25c
38 in fancy silk and wool Mixtures 48c
38-in Scotch Plaids 39c
54 in Ladies' Cloth 49c
50 in Granite Cloth 48c
36 in Lining Silk 39c
18 in Waist Silk 69c
Silk Velvet, all shades 75c

Lace Curtain Selling

A sale of fine lace curtains for this week. We give pole and fixtures free with every pair.
Cream or white curtains 54-in wide 1.19 pair.
Extra heavy fish net curtains, cream or white, 1.49 pair.
Very fine point de spie lace curtains, cream or white, 1.79 pair.

Carpet and Oil Cloth Dep't.

Heavy all-wool Ingrain 53c
Brussels, a beautiful line 73c
Heavy Oilcloth ..... 20c yd
18x36 chenille Rugs 49c
36x72 chenille Rugs 1.49
Cocoa door mats 39c

Wrappers.

Cambric Wrappers 69c
All our wrappers are full size and made as you would make them yourself.
For this flannelette wrapper,

98c.

TOILET ARTICLES.

Fine toilet soap, 5c. Colgate's extracts, 25c. Hot water bags, 49c. Cosmo buttermilk soap, 19c box. Colgate's Florida water, 25c.

Hosiery and Underwear.

Just the opening items. Goods and prices talk stronger than columns of chat. 'Twill be our busy week in hosiery and underwear.

Children's fleeced lined vests and pants, ... 5c up
Children's natural wool vests and pants, ... 10c up
Ladies' ribbed vests and pants, fleeced 25c
Ladies' natural wool vests and pants, 50c
Children's heavy school hose, all sizes 10c
Ladies' fine seamless hose, fast black 12c
Ladies' extra fine hose, 25c kind, 18c pair

Men's Furnishings.

Men's heavy wool shirts 29c
natural wool shirts 38c
outing shirts 32c
white linen shirts 33c
suspenders, 25c kind 13c
half hose ..... 10c pair
silk neckwear, 50c kind... 25c
cambric handkerchiefs 5c each
linen handkerchiefs... 15c each

Store Specials.

All fresh arrivals are made very interesting by the price pinched argument which is attached to them.

Heavy brown cotton flannel 5c
Heavy brown dormet flannel 5c
Heavy cotton towels 5c
Heavy twilled crash ..... 3c yd
Heavy Turkish toweling ..... 7c yd
All-linen dinner napkins ..... 1.15 doz
60-in linen damask 25c
72-in linen damask 45c
Extra large damask towels 15c
All-linen glass toweling 8c
54-in feather boas 49c
Fancy silk ribbon, 6-in width 19c
25c Nazareth waists for children 13c
25c silk ties for children 15c
1.25 P. L. kid gloves 59c
75c corsets—black, white and drab 50c
Infant's silk caps 25c
All-wool eider down flannel 29c
Fine gloria silk umbrellas 69c

EDWARD WHITE.

Oak Dining Tables, $4.50 up.
Oak Sideboards, $9 up.
Oak Dining Chairs, 95c. each up.

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PUTNAM & DEGRAW,

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Men's working shirts - 25, 39, and 50c. Special line of linen crash from - 5c up.
New line of Fall Teck and four-in-hand ties. New outing flannels at 5, 8 and 10c yard.

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FIRST-CLASS FURNITURE LOW PRICES.

Beautiful Plant Stands 49c. Oak Dining Chairs 89c. All goods worth what we charge for them—some worth more. Call and see our **Bargains.**

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STRAWBERRY plants by 100 75c. or 1,000 $3; Lovett, Greenville and Brandywine. For sale by W. H. Rogers. Washingtonville, N. J. 10 11 tf

NEWLY furnished rooms, heat, gas and bath, first floor parlor, superior table; terms moderate. 426 East Second street. 10 19 6

WANTED—Young man (single), to to take care horses and make himself generally useful; experience and good recommendation required. P. Traynor, 675 West Seventh street, Plainfield, N. J.

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First-class places furnished girls out of employment.
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ENGLISH STRIKE TO AFFECT US.

Renewed Rumors of Sympathetic Strikes of Machinists in New York.

New York, Oct. 20.—There was more talk here yesterday of a movement in sympathy with the Amalgamated Association of Engineers, whose members are on strike in England. The International Machinists' Union of this country reperesents the same class of workmen as the Amalgamated Engineers of England, and it was said yesterday that Grand Master O'Connell, of the International Machinists' Union, who is third vice-president of the American Federation of Labor, is in communication with President Gompers, of the A. F. of L., with a view to sending financial aid to the strikers in England. There were rumors also that co-operation with the strikers in another way was contemplated.

George H. Warner is the delegate of the local lodges of the Amalgamated Engineers and the International Machinists. He said yesterday:

"If President Gompers and the Executive Council of the American Federation of Labor should order a general strike in sympathy with the strikers in England we are ready to obey the command, even to the extent of calling out 50,000 members of our union in this country and Canada. They are now taking a referendum vote regarding a general demand next May for an eight-hour workday. If the vote is in favor of the demand it will be enforced by a general strike if necessary. The strike in England may precipitate matters, as we are all ready to assist our English brethren. The International Machinists' Union takes in machinists, engineers, boiler makers and men of one or two other trades."

ALASKA MILITARY RESERVATION.

It Is to Be a Large Tract, Including St. Michael and Much Mainland.

Washington, Oct. 20.—By direction of the President, an order was issued by the Secretary of War to-day establishing St. Michael, Alaska, and a large part of the near-by territory as a military reservation over which the United States will have exclusive jurisdiction. This step will be taken to permit Federal troops to assume complete charge of the maintenance of law and order at St. Michael. Recent reports from army officers and others have shown that there is a likelihood of trouble at St. Michael this Winter. A company of twenty-five infantrymen from Fort D. A. Russell, Wyoming, left Seattle a short time ago to establish a military post there, and probably have arrived by this time. It is the intention of the President and Secretary Alger to extend still further the boundaries of the reservation.

The Adjutant-General of the army yesterday received a telegram from Capt. P. H. Ray of the Fifth Infantry, who was sent to Alaska some time ago to select a site for an army post at the nearest available place on the American side, to Dawson City. The telegram was dated "Yukon River, Sept. 5," and it said that the steamer Hamilton, on which Capt. Ray was making the trip up the river, had been stopped at Fort Yukon by low water, and that no more supplies could get to the Klondike by that route this Fall. Capt. Ray said he would proceed up the river to Circle City in a whaleboat.

CUSTOMS RECEIPTS INCREASE.

Yesterday $681,423, the Largest in Any One Day Under the Dingley Law.

Washington, Oct. 20.—The customs receipts reported to the Treasury Department yesterday, $681,423, are the largest by more than $100,000 recorded in any one day since the passage of the Dingley bill. For the same day last year the customs receipts were $363,103. Treasury officials are greatly pleased with the outlook for the remainder of the fiscal year, and are more than convinced that after next Jan. 1 the receipts of the Government will be more than sufficient to meet its expenditures, and that the deficiency in the financial operations of the year will not exceed the estimate made at the time the tariff law was under discussion. So far this months the receipts have been $15,269,204, and the expenditures $21,662,000. The deficit for the fiscal year to date is $35,408,751. It is expected that November and December will show a gain of receipts over those of the corresponding months of 1896, and that the deficiency of the year will not exceed $45,000,000.

Fourth-Class Postmasters.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 20.—Fourth-class postmasters were appointed yesterday as follows:

New Jersey — Chadwick, Ocean County, Mrs. Alida Applegate.

New York—Hartford, Cortland, John C. Jones; Fort Gibson, Ontario, Arthur D. Feller; West Branch, Oneida, Henry G. Wyman.

Pennsylvania—Chester Valley, Chester, Edwin Trainer; Gurnee, Tioga, Lewis A. Biles; Kemblesville, Chester, Frederick B. West; Neath, Bradford, Walter Upham; Powell, Bradford, Isaac Secor; Redburn, Lycoming, Herbert M. Browning; Swissvale, Allegheny, E. W. Hazeltine; Ulster, Bradford, John C. Mather; West Freedom, Clarion, Hannah G. Yingling; Yoders, Washington, James C. Kelley.

Cannot Ascend the Yukon.

Fort Yukon, Yukon River, Sept. 1, via Steamer Bertha, Seattle, Wash., Oct. 20.—The steamer Hamilton, which left St. Michaels fifteen days ago with 150 passengers for the Klondike, including a delegation of newspaper correspondents, has been here two days trying to get over the shoals. It has failed, and will probably go into Winter quarters at Munook Creek.

This means that about two thousand tons of provisions, which the people at Dawson and in the Klondike diggings along the upper stretches of the Yukon are depending upon for the Winter, will not get there.

Bayard Coming Home.

London, Oct. 20.—Sir Julian Pauncefote, British Ambassador to the United States, and Thomas F. Bayard, formerly United States Ambassador to Great Britain, will sail for New York on board the American line steamship St. Louis on Saturday.

Weyler's Day to Leave.

Havana, Oct. 20.—Gen. Weyler will sail for Spain on Saturday, Oct. 23, on the steamer Monserrat.

He will be accompanied by the Marquis Ahumada, Gen. [illegible], chief of staff, and several other officers.

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Annual Financial Statement

OF THE

Board of Education,

School District No. 1, Plainfield, N. J., for the year ending

August 31, 1897.

RECEIPTS.

Sept. 1, 1896—Balance from August 31, 1896.		
General account	$3,610 49	
Building account	864 22	
Library account	20 80	
		$4,495 51
District tax received from the City Collector—		
Arrears for year 1877	12 47	
" 1878	11 61	
" 1879	6 67	
" 1882	11 31	
" 1883	43	
" 1884	38	
" 1885	38	
" 1886	5 32	
" 1887	38	
" 1888	11 52	
" 1889	13 50	
" 1890	24 96	
" 1891	35 77	
" 1892	29 56	
" 1893	64 28	
" 1894	323 26	
" 1895	3,696 98	
	$ 4,248 78	
Current year 1896	37,332 75	
	$41,581 53	
Interest on arrears of tax	717 39	
		$42,298 92
State tax received through the City Treasurer—		
State appropriation 1896-'97	$ 1,335 19	
" tax 90 per cent 1896-'97	16,199 04	
" tax 10 per cent 1896-97	1,409 23	
		$ 18,943 46
Tuition, non residents	20 00	1,645 50
Library account	59 04	
From sale of incidentals	1 00	
" " desk	27 30	
" fines, sale books, etc.		87 34
		$67,490 73

DISBURSEMENTS.

Salaries—		
Teachers	$38,872 86	
Clerk	400 00	
Janitors	4,074 00	
	$ 43,346 86	
Fuel	1,914 72	
Gas and electric light	68 68	
Running school expenses	$ 45,330 26	
Stationery supplies	162 06	
Printing	231 80	
Insurance	130 50	
Census enumeration	164 80	
Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, percentage proportion for the assessing and collecting of school taxes	975 68	
Furniture	1,246 18	
Incidentals	1,879 05	
General supplies	344 71	
Repairs	3,227 31	
		53,692 35
Building account		864 22
Library account		31 28
Discount interest		110 00
Interest on indebtedness	3,000 00	
Payment on indebtedness	3,000 00	
		6,000 00
Text books and school supplies		2,755 40
		$63,453 21
Sept. 1, 1897—		
Cash balance First National Bank	638 83	
Cash balance City National Bank	898 69	
	$1,537 52	
Balance of loan due from Lincoln School building account	2,500 00	
		4,037 52
		$67,490 73
Sept. 1, 1897. Balance from August 31, 1897—		
General account	4,027 96	
Library account	9 56	
		$ 4,037 52

LINCOLN SCHOOL BUILDING ACCOUNT.

RECEIPTS.

Loan on bond and mortgage from estate of Warren Ackerman	25,000 00
Loan from the general account	2,500 00
Transfer of balance in the building account	101 15
	$27,601 15

DISBURSEMENTS.

Carpentry, Masonry, etc	$21,617 91
Heating, Ventilating, etc	1,784 00
Plumbing	667 46
Electric wiring, fixtures, etc.	617 00
Grading, etc	258 16
Fencing	162 00
Blackboards	173 51
Furniture	2,000 00
Shades	112 50
Incidentals	27 50
Discount interest	364 28
Architect's services	1,121 60
	$ 27,125 95
Sept. 1, 1897. Cash balance in City National Bank	475 20
	$27,601 15

Respectfully submitted.

J. B. PROBASCO, President.

FRED C. LOUNSBURY, Secretary.

FRED C. LOUNSBERY, L. N. LOVELL, C. F. ABBOTT, } Auditing Com.

Plainfield, N. J., Oct. 14th, 1897.

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Advertised Letters.

Plainfield, N. J., Oct. 18, '97.

Adams Mrs E	Janns H M
Barrows W M	Jones Jas H
Bildstein Mrs Franz	Jacques Mrs Jno D
Bonnell W P	King Miss Alice
Brown Byard	Lewis James
Conover Miss	Little Mrs Mamie
Daily Ed	Laire Mrs W R
Godfrey Miss J	Moore J E
Doheman Miss Kate	Palmer Miss Sarah A
Fisher Harry P	Potter Prof E H
Fearns Miss Emily	Shearman Rev Chas G
Graham C as	Shiner L P
Gregory Miss Maria	Stites Mrs Hattie
Hamilton " Alice	Tunison Miss Libbie
Halloway J P	Townsend Mrs H V
Jones Emily M	Watson " J P
	Wiley Miss Fannie

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Instead of the maid being mistress, we have made it possible for the mistress herself to be mistress.

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TIME TABLE IN EFFECT OCT. 16th, 1897.

PLAINFIELD AND NEW YORK.

Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 8 00, 8 00, 8 30, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 9 15, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday, 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 10, 11 16 a. m.; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 22 p. m.

Leave New York, foot Liberty street, at 4 30, 6 00, 7 35, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00 a. m.; 12 00 m., 1 00, 2 00 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45 p. m.; 12 15, 1 00 night. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00, 9 00, 9 15 a. m.; 12 m.; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00p. m.; 12 15 night; 1 00 a. m.

Leave New York from Whitehall street at 7 00, 7 35, 8 25, 8 55, 9 55, 11 55 a. m., 1 00, 1 25, 2 25, 3 25, 3 35, 4 25, 4 55, 5 25, 5 55, 6 25, 6 55, 7 50, 8 25, 9 30, 9 55, 11 30 p. m., 12 10 night. Sundays—At 7 00, 8 55 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 2 30, 3 55, 5 25, 6 25, 7 25, 8 25, 9 50 p. m., 12 10 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 50, 8 00, 8 35, 8 55, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 9 15, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 01, 52, 10 08, 11 16 a. m.; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 18, 7 55, 8 38, 9 03, 10 05 a. m.; 12 10, 1 15, 1 35, 2 35, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 42, 6 19, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 05 p. m. Sunday, 7 15, 9 05, 9 30, 10 35 a. m.; 1 10, 1 35, 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 30, 9 20, 10 20 p. m.

Passengers for Newark please change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a.m 1 01, 2 11, 2 32, 3 35, 4 36, 5 03, 5 15, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 14, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p. m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 06, 9 55, a. m; 2 03, 3 39, 6 35, 8 30, 10 15, 11 14 p. m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35, 8 15, 9 02, 9 48, 11 45, a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05 3 25, 4 25, 5 28, 6 08, 6 40, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05 p. m Sunday at 8 35, 9 45, 10 45 a. m; 12 05, 1 20, 5 15, 6 35, 7 55, 8 05, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a. m., 1 01, 2 11, 4 55, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m, Sunday at 5 45, 8 06 a. m; 2 03 6 35 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a. m; 12 32, 4 01, 7 00, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 52 a. m; 6 30 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 9 54 a. m; 5 03, 5 15 p. m

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 10 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Wanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, & c. with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

1 01 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for station on D., L. & W. R. R.

2 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, MauchChunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

4 55 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Scranton, Wilkesbarre, Tamaqua, Shamokin, (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

5 03 and 5 15 p. m., way or Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 30 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8 55 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 55 a. m. Sundays for Easton.

1 30 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 30 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, etc., and at Junction for D., L. & W. R. R.

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Leave Plainfield at 3 37, 8 13, 10 27 a. m.; 1 15, 3 51, 5 54 p. m. Sundays, (except Ocean Grove,) 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 37, 8 13, 9 28, 10 27 a. m.; 1 15, 3 51, 5 22, 5 54, 7 03 p. m. Sundays, 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10 27 a. m.; 1 15. 3 51, 6 22 p. m.

For Lakewood, Toms River and Barnegat 3 37, 8 13 a. m.; 1 15, 3 51 p. m. Sundays 8 52 a.m

ROYAL BLUE LINE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 17, 8 44, 9 46, 10 44 a. m.; 2 17, 5 34*, 6 45, 8 21, 9 37*, 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 5 45 9 55, 10 44 a. m.; 2 25, 4 35, 5 09*, 6 45 p m.; 1 17 night.

For Trenton, 5 17, 8 44, 9 46 a. m.; 1 01, 2 17, 4 35, 5 34*, 6 39* 8 21, 9 37* p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a. m.; 2 25, 4 55, 5 09, 6 35* p. m.; 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 8 44, 10 44 a. m.; 2 17, 5 34*, 6 45 p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 10 44 a. m.; 5 09*, 6 45 p. m.; 1 17 night.

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10 07 a. m. 3 24, 5 22, 7 32 p. m. daily except Sunday. (Sundays 11 39 a. m.) Local for Bound Brook 11:54 a m daily, except Sunday, local for Mauch Chunk.

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8 25 p. m. daily Local for Easton.

7 10 p. m., daily except Sunday, for Slatington and principal intermediate stations.

7 02 and 9 58 p. m. daily, solid vestibule express for Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Chicago, and principal intermediate stations.

9 22 p. m. daily except Sunday. Fast line for Buffalo.

9 15 p. m. Sundays, local for L. & B. Junction

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For Perth Amboy and intermediate stations 6 48, 7 50, 10 05 a. m. 12 13, 2 33, 5 20, 7 10 p. m. Sunday 8 00, 9 00, local a. m. 2 29 and 7 10 p. m.

For Metuchen only 6 25 p. m. except Sunday For further information consult. icket Agent.

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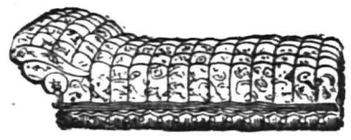

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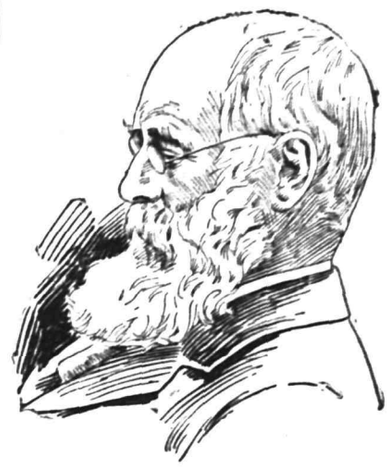
MR. DANA'S FUNERAL.

The New York Press Club Attend His Funeral in a Body.

New York, Oct. 20.—In honor of the memory of Charles A. Dana the officers and members of the New York Press Club attended the funeral in a body. The services were held in St. Paul's Episcopal Church, in Glen Cove, L. I., at 11.15 this morning, and were conducted by Rev. Dr. William R. Huntington, rector of Grace Church, this city, assisted by Rev. John Gamack, rector of St. Paul's, Glen Cove. They were simple in character. The pallbearers were ten of Mr. Dana's closest friends—Theodore Hitchcock, treasurer of the Sun Publishing Company; Prof. Arnold Arboretum of Harvard Univer-



CHARLES A. DANA.

sity, the famous arboriculturist; William M. Laffan, publisher; Mayo W. Hazeltine, literary editor, and E. P. Mitchell and F. P. Church, editorial writers of the Sun; Justice Willard Bartlett, of Brooklyn; Frank Bartlett, Gen. James H. Wilson and Chester S. Lord, managing editor of the Sun.

The absence of more than a brief announcement of Mr. Dana's death in the Sun was due to this request made to his son:

"Paul, when I am gone don't have a long obituary of me printed in the Sun. Simply announce my going away; that is all."

Charles Anderson Dana was born in Hinsdale, N. H., Aug. 8, 1819. He went to Buffalo when he was 14 years old to take a clerkship in his uncle's dry-goods store. Six years later he entered Harvard, but was not graduated. His eyesight had failed him.

He became a member of the Brook Farm Community, combining manual labor and the discussion and study of philosophy. He took his first lessons in journalism there.

Mr. Dana became the friend and coworker on the Tribune with Horace Greeley in 1848. His connection with the Tribune lasted until 1862. Then he accepted a subordinate position under Secretary Stanton in the War Department.

President Lincoln called him the "eyes of the Government at the front."

After the war Mr. Dana returned to journalism. His first venture was the Chicago Republican. It started in 1867. On Jan. 27, 1868, he became chief shareholder in the New York Sun and editor-in-chief. It was Republican at first, but when Greeley ran for President it became a Liberal Democratic paper. Recently it became again avowedly a Republican paper, and this was one of Mr. Dana's last acts in shaping the policy of the paper.

Mr. Dana was a great reader, and found time to write and edit books. He edited the New American Cyclopedia, and made the collection of poems known as the "Household Book of Poetry." With Gen. James Grant Wilson he wrote a "Life of Ulysses S. Grant," and edited with Rossiter Johnson "Fifty Perfect Poems."

IS CORBETT A QUITTER?

No Good Reason Why He Shouldn't Accept Maher's Challenge.

New York, Oct. 20.—"Jim" Corbett should accept Peter Maher's challenge at once and fight him for $5,000 a side and the championship of the world, or else do the same cowardly trick as Fitzsimmons did by retiring from the ring.

Every sporting man in this country, since Maher issued his challenge to fight Corbett, claims that Corbett is supposed to fight Maher just as much as he is shouting that Fitzsimmons should fight him, and unless he does so sooner or later "Pompadour Jim" will be looked upon as a quitter.

There is not a chance on earth of Corbett being able to form an excuse for not fighting Maher. As Maher is not the champion of the world, and furthermore has repeatedly stated that he would not accept it by default, he should therefore show the American public that he is still a genuine fighter, and not a coward, by accepting Maher's challenge and fight him for the championship.

Corbett by meeting Maher would not only make friends all over the world, but he would also be able to make thousands of dollars before the fight was decided.

Platt Urges McKinley.

Washington, Oct. 20.—Congressman Fisher, of New York, was with the President yesterday. It was said that he came as an emissary from Senator Platt to Mr. McKinley, urging that the latter at once make public a letter indorsing Gen. Tracy and the Platt ticket and asking the Republicans of Greater New York to vote for them.

This Mr. Fisher denied, but he admitted that the New York situation was the burden of the conversation.

Jailed for His Dog's Sake.

Paterson, N. J., Oct. 20.—As a result of the efforts of the police to bring delinquent dog owners to time, Thomas O'Hanlon was sent to jail yesterday for ten days for failing to pay his dog license. He said that he could not afford to pay the money, and his children were so attached to the dog that he could not send it away.

Mr. Langtry at Rest.

London, Oct. 20.—The funeral of Edward Langtry, husband of Lily Langtry, who died in the asylum for the insane at Chester Friday night, took place yesterday.

Mrs. Langtry sent a wreath tied with large silk ribbons of turquoise and fawn, representing her racing colors.

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Bicycle lanterns must be lighted at 6:13 p. m.

STRIKES AND SPARES.

A pin boy will soon be established at the Y. M. C. A. alleys and members will have the privilege of rolling games at the cost of twenty-five cents for six games.

GOLF.

Next Saturday afternoon the golf team from the Hillside Tennis and Golf Club will play the Elizabeth team at the latter place.

WITH ROD AND GUN.

Henry Haurand, of the Central Cafe, spent yesterday fishing in nearby waters.

Fine Display of Millinery.

Ladies, who have visited the millinary department at Lederer's are well pleased with the exceptionally fine display. Unusual good taste has been shown in the selection of goods, including an almost endless variety of untrimmed hats and bonnets and assortment of beautiful feathers, palms, birds, novelties, etc. Prices are comparatively low for the grade of goods handled. At present the workroom is crowded with orders, which is evidence of the popularity of this department. The designing and trimming is under the supervision of Miss Flanagan, whose ability as a milliner is well known.

—The members of the East Third Street Mission Bible Class will hold their meeting on Friday evening. Anyone interested is cordially invited to attend.

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ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

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—At Neuman Brothers, table and cooking apples, table celery and peaches, can be found in perfection.

—Unity Lodge, Knights of Pythias, will hold a regular meeting this evening. Initiatory work is to be done.

—A special service will be held in the Congregational church this evening. An address by Dr. Green is expected.

—Under the direction of Borough Street Commissioner Conover the trees in the borough are being trimmed.

—At present most all of the closed street cars are being run on the trolley road. The weather has made this necessary.

—At the meeting of the Sons of Veterans last evening final arrangements were about made for the coming fair.

—A sale and entertainment will be held in the Church of the Heavenly Rest, Clinton avenue, this afternoon and evening.

—There are kid gloves and kid gloves, but when you get through experimenting come back to Peck's, as everybody does.

—A third new house has been started on Mariners avenue. In a short time the whole block will be occupied with attractive houses.

—Iona Council, Degree of Pocohontas, will hold a regular meeting this evening. Important business will come before the council.

—Mr. Butler, the Park avenue barber, has just received the fixtures for his shop. They are the admiration of all and are very much up-to-date.

—Captain Philips, of West Front street, is remodeling his house and when completed it will be one of the most attractive residences in the city.

—The class of '98 of the Plainfield High School is now considering the important question of a class pin Various designs are being considered.

—Great progress is being made on the excavation for the cellar over which Lawyer Stillman will erect a handsome building on West Front street.

A WHEELMAN AT COURT.

Wanted Damages for Injury to Himself and Wheel.

A case of considerable interest to all wheelmen came up for trial in Justice Nash's court, yesterday. It was that of James Babbitt against Lorenzo Paoli, in tort, for $200 damages, alleged to have been caused by Paoli running into Babbitt. The latter is the well-known colored special officer. The trouble occurred on August 3d, when Babbitt was riding down Park avenue at night. Paoli drove in from East Front street and claims that he had to turn in quickly to avoid a trolley car. At any rate they came together and Babbitt was banged up and his wheel smashed.

Babbitt was represented by Francis J. Blatz, of Murphy & Blatz, while Walter L. Hetfield was attorney for the defendant. The case was tried before Justice Nash and a jury of twelve men. After being out for an hour the jury brought in a verdict of six cents damages and costs.

CHARTER MEMBER SUES ORDER.

Mrs. Sadie Jones Claims That Rathbone Sisters Will Not Pay Her Benefits.

Proceedings are to be started at once against Minerva Temple, No. 4, Rathbone Sisters, by Mrs. Sadie Jones, one of its charter members, who claims that she has been defrauded of benefits that accured to her through a six weeks' illness.

She was taken ill last year and was confined to the house for several weeks. She made application for the benefit according to the rules of the organization, but did not get what she claims she was entitled to.

Mrs. Jones claims that when she presented her claim she was told by the officers of the association that there was not sufficient funds in the treasury to pay it with. She placed the matter in the hands of her legal attorneys, Murphy & Blatz.

Then she was told that there was money but that there were previous claims that must be paid first and that she would have to wait her turn.

Now her lawyers will bring suit for $100 in Justice Nash's court against that secret organization.

Funeral of Mrs. A. E. Faber.

The large circle of neighbors and many friends from out of town, as well as this city, who attended the funeral of Mrs. Alexander E. Faber at her late home, 38 Rockview avenue, yesterday afternoon, testified to the deep regard in which she was held. Many gifts of flowers bore their testimony of membrance and sympathy. The bridal service of the Episcopal church was read by a relative of the family. Interment was made in Hillside cemetery.

An Informal Social.

Last evening at the home of Miss Mattie Humble, on Somerset street, an informal social was held in honor of Miss Anna Titsworth, of New Market, who will leave next week for Tennessee, where she will spend the winter. Miss Humble gave her friend a pleasant time and the guests present joined in wishing Miss Titsworth an enjoyable winter in the south.

Rev. Mr. Gibson to Read a Letter.

Rev. P. S. Gibson, pastor of the Mt. Olive Baptist church, has sent a notice to The Press in which he asks all members of his congregation to meet in the church Friday evening at 8:15 p. m., as he has an important letter which he wishes to make public. He says it will be of great interest.

The Columbia Chainless Wheel.

The Columbia chainless bicycle is here and will be on exhibition after tomorrow at the grocery store of George W. Rockfellow, corner of Park avenue and West Fourth street, agent for the Pope Manufacturing Company in Plainfield.

Babies Thrive On It.

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Executor's Settlement.

Notice is hereby given, That the account of the subscriber, Executor of John A. Briant, deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphan's Court of the County of Union, on Wednesday, the Twentieth day of October next.

NATHAN J. COMPTON.

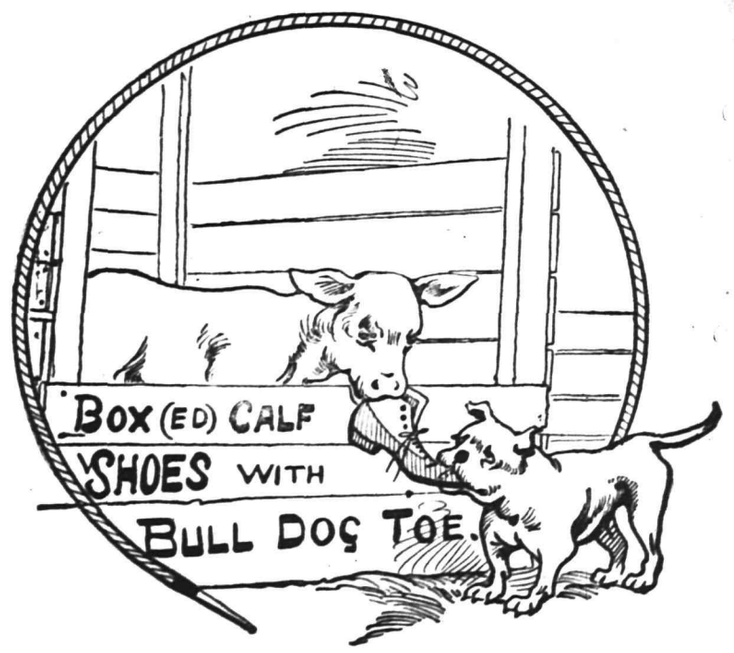
Dated August 13, 1897. 8 18 o a w 10 w

Your Valuables,
will be safe in
Doane's Safe Deposit Vault.
Lock boxes from $3.50 to $10 a year.

—The Mutual Guarantee Building and Loan Association will hold their monthly meeting tonight at the office of Murphy & Blatz.

—The interest in the Spanish courses at the Y. M. C. A. is much greater this year than ever before. The classes will meet on Friday evening, at which time all intending to join are requested to be present.

—Mrs. L. Adams, the milliner, of 114 East Front street, has just received a complete line of of the latest winter styles of hats and trimmings. Her faculty for trimming hats is well known, and anyone giving her a call is sure to find the right goods at the right price.



Ladies' calf bals, bull dog toes, $1.50; Ladies' calf bals, hand sewed, $2.25; Misses' calf lace shoes, all solid, $1.25; Children's calf lace shoes, $1.

Men's box calf bals, calf lined, invisible cork sole, $3.

Rubber sole, English cap toe, strictly water proof, men's shoes, $3.

Milton calf bals, calf lined, bull dog toe, invisible cork sole, $3.

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New Layer figs	15c lb
Very best Elgin Creamery Butter, none better	23c lb
Large California Prunes, 8c, 3 pounds	22c
California Evaporated Apricots 9c, 3 pounds	25c
4 CANS CONDENSED MILK FREE WITH ONE POUND 50c TEA.	

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Fresh Hams	10c lb
Fresh Pork Sausage	10c "
Choice Spring Chickens	14c "
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Try Scheuer's Self-Clarifying Premium Java Coffee, pound 27c.	

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Children's Knee Pants	150	1.00
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Children's Overcoats	4.50	2.18
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Children's Overcoats	6.00	3.98
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Men's Pants	1.75	.98
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" "	1.37	.75
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Men's Suits	9.50	5.48
" "	8.00	3.80
" "	9.00	6.98
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" "	5.50	2.98
Men's Working Shirts	.50	.29
" Shirts and Drawers	.50	.39
" Neckwear	.50	.39
" Sweaters	.50	.18
Men's Derby Hats (large assortment)	2.00	1.30
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Soft Hats		38c up
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ECHO OF FAMOUS SIGNATURES FOR PRINCETON INN LIQUOR LICENSE.

Lively Controversy Aroused in the Presbyterian Synod, But Amicably Settled This Morning—Other Business Transacted.

What portended to be the most serious controversy in the synodical convention in session in the Crescent Avenue church was amicably settled this morning after hanging fire since yesterday afternoon. It was an echo of the excitement caused last May when the liquor license application was signed by a number of promenent men, among them ex-President Cleveland.

The report of the committee on temperance, which was read late in the afternoon by the chairman, Rev. J. DeHart Bruen, caused a sensation by its recommendation that the Synod "enjoin the Presbytery of New Brunswick to examine, if it has not already done so, into the alleged signing of a liquor license by one of its members, and if true to administer such discipline as the case may warrant." The resolution referred to Rev. Charles Woodruff Shields, D. D., LL. D., professor of the harmony of science and revealed religion in Princeton University, who is said to have signed the license application of the Princeton Inn last May.

Members of the Presbytery sprang to their feet to protest against the resolution. The minutes of the Presbytery were read, and showed that the matter had been sidetracked by the committee appointed to investigate it. The excitement was running very high when some member made the happy suggestion that an adjournment of the business session be taken until Thursday morning, which was immediately done.

At 11:30 o'clock today the vice-moderator, Rev. Wm. Richards, D.D., took the chair and the report of the committee on temperance was read, the presentation of which caused such excitement in the Synod yesterday.

The chairman of the committee, Rev. J. DeHart Bruen, stated that it was the desire of his committee to avoid if possible all unpleasant friction in the matter of the Presbytery of New Brunswick, and that it had amended the resolution offered yesterday, to read as follows:

"Resolved, That since the General Assembly has called upon the churches to exclude from membership all persons engaged in the sale of intoxicating liquors as a beverage, and considers as accomplices those who sign liquor licenses, this Synod urges the Presbytery of New Brunswick to press to a speedy conclusion the examination already begun of the alleged signing of liquor licenses by one of the members, and to take such action as the case may warrant."

Rev. J. R. Galloway, of Paterson, made a spirited appeal to the synod to stand by the deliverances of the General Assembly by passing the resolution. He said that the question was a most serious one, as the scandal had gone through the length and breadth of the country, and Christian people everywhere were looking to see what the great Presbyterian church was going to do about it.

The session yesterday afternoon was called to order by Rev. Dr. Richards, the vice-moderator, at 2:05 o'clock. Rev. B. L. Agnew, D. D., of Philadelphia, spoke in explanation of the work of the board of ministerial relief, which is designed to furnish aid to disabled ministers and the widows and orphans of ministers. The speaker stated that the average amount allowed by the board to destitute families is $207 a year, and that in doing this it had incurred a debt of $30,000.

The annual report of the committee on foreign missions was rendered at 2:30 o'clock by Rev.

The gravity of the missionary situation can be understood when it is known that the board's debt of $50,000 of last year has now grown to $100,000.

The report ended with an appeal to the churches not to neglect the work of foreign missions, but to show the workers in the foreign field that their work is appreciated, by a suitable generosity. Rev. Dr. Hunter Corbett, of China, and Rev. J. C. R. Ewing, of India, will continue the committee's campaign of enlightenment, going to all the churches in the State and presenting to them the cause of foreign missions.

The annual report of the committee on work among the foreign population was presented by Rev. Alfred Erdman, D. D., of Morristown. The report called attention to the fact that great foreign populations exist within the State, many of them in need of pastors speaking their own language and familiar with their habits of thought and life. The Pres-

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GROOM A STAR STATE MAN

CHARLES D. STILLMAN CAME FROM TEXAS TO TAKE BACK A WIFE.

Miss Grace Darling Barlow the Charming Bride—Nuptial Knot Tied at the Home of Bride's Parents Last Evening.

The weather last evening was not exactly ideal for the occasion of a wedding but it served its purpose in showing the contrast between the chill and darkness outside and the joy and happiness that completely filled the home of William Barlow, at 40 Prospect place, when his eldest daughter, Miss Grace Darling Barlow, was united in marriage to Charles Delette Stillman, formerly of this city, and now a rising young engineer of Texas.

The marriage was a quiet affair and was held at the bride's home last evening at 6:30 o'clock. The immediate family and relatives of the two young people, numbering fifty, were present and attended the wedding supper that followed.

Rev. Dr. E. M. Rodman, of this city, performed the ceremony in the parlor under a bower of pink ribbons and flowers, which radiated from all corners of the room to the chandelier in the centre of the ceiling, under which the bridal couple knelt. The bride wore a gown of white organdie, trimmed with Valencinnes lace, and carried a white prayer book. The maid of honor was the sister of the bride, Miss Alice Adele Barlow, who was charmingly gowned in light green. The bride was attended by her two little sisters, Marion and Kate Barlow, both clad in white, and her small twin cousins, Jeffrey and Thomas Wisner, of Warwick, N. Y. They wore Tuxedo coats and knickerbockers.

The best man was Edwin A. Howell, of Chester, Pa., an old college friend of the groom. The bridal party entered to the strains of the Mendelssohn wedding march played by Rogers orchestra.

After the ceremony, the guests gathered round to congratulate the couple and then all went into the handsomely decorated dining room where the wedding supper was served. The prevailing color of the decorations in the dining room was green. The library was decorated in scarlet.

Although it was a private wedding, the couple were generously remembered by their friends and were the recipients of many handsome and valuable gifts.

Among those present were relatives from Scranton, Brooklyn, Warwick and Brookville.

The newly-married couple were expected to take the 10:17 train for New York from the North Avenue station, but they did not. A party of their friends were at the station to see them off, but when they did not arrive, the friends took the train and went to Fanwood where they welcomed the bridal party with a plentiful shower of rice as they started to board the train there. They had driven there. The party accompanied them to Westfield and then returned by the next train.

They will settle at Sabine Pass, Texas, and will visit some of the principal cities en route. They will winter at the Winsor Hotel, Sabine Pass.

What is Your Crop Product?

The United States Agricultural Department wishes to know the actual number of bushels of wheat, rye and corn, and acreage of each, grown in each county. Will the farmers of Union county kindly send card with such information to Ira C. Lambert, Westfield. If the actual amount is not known, an estimate can be given. Corn must be in shelled bushels.

An Approaching Marriage.

Miss Mary Ann Lewis, daughter of Rev. Dr. and Mrs. A. H. Lewis, and Benjamin Franklin Langworthy, of Chicago, will be united in marriage at the home of the bride on West Seventh street, on Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock. A reception will follow at the residence of James S. Kimball, of Park avenue, brother-in-law of the bride.

Queen Esther Band's Contribution.

The members of Queen Esther Band, of Grace M. E. church, has contributed $30 to the church to help pay the interest on the amount due for the purchase of a lot. The band has also contributed $30 toward a home on the Hudson for the education of young girls and have arranged to send some clothing to a young girl at the home whom they are supporting.

Class Officers Chosen.

A meeting of the class of '98 of Leals School has been held and officers elected. Orville T. Waring was chosen president, Willard Wadsworth secretary and Henry W. Leal treasurer. A committee, composed of Lester Glenny, J. P. Wells Taylor and Paul Kimball, was appointed to procure designs for a class pin.

MASTER PLAYS IN WHIST

PARK CLUB WON A HARD FOUGHT BATTLE WITH THE NORTH ENDS.

The Game Was Played in the Park Clubhouse and Was Marked by an Intense Interest—Senator Reed Was Referee—Score.

It was only by the masterly playing of the famous whist four of the Park Club that the handsome silver trophy, offered by that club to the New Jersey Whist Association, now remains in this city. Last evening the Parks had to defend it against their greatest rivals in the State, the North End Club, of Newark. Both teams were playing in championship form but the Parks again demonstrated that they were entitled to the name of champions of the State and won the match after a wonderful finish.

The North End Club's four consisted of Messrs. Cameron, Eagles, Smith and Archer. Messrs. Cameron and Eagles are members of the team that defeated Baltimore's great team for the A. W. L. challenge trophy and there are no better players anywhere. The clubs have met at the whist table many times and the victories have been about evenly divided. The regular four from the Park Club, Messrs. McCutchen, Townsend, Howell and Rogers, was ready to meet them. Senator Charles A. Reed acted as referee.

The first round was carefully played, and the visitors took the lead, 5 tricks to their opponents 2. The second round was a hard struggle. Two sides made a splendid showing, but they were remarkably evenly matched, and when the round was over the score showed 9 tricks for the North Ends and 8 for the Parks. That gave the visitors a lead of four tricks, an extremely hard one to overcome against such a quartette of experts.

When the third and last round began, the Park Club four was divided in its strongest manner, Messrs. McCutchen and Townsend at one table and Messrs. Howell and Rogers at the other. The interest was intense. No sound save the noise of the cards as they were played broke the stillness. The Parks gradually assumed the lead and increased it until the end when the score showed that they had scored 6 tricks to their opponents none, giving them the victory by two tricks. The summarized score was as follows:

	PARKS.	NORTH ENDS.
First round	2	5
Second round	8	9
Third round	6	0
Total	16	14

E. E. ANTHONY A CHAIRMAN.

Committee Appointments in County Endeavor Society.

Frederick Williams, of Rahway, president of the Union County Christian Endeavor Union, has made the following committee appointments:

Evangelistic, E. E. Anthony, chairman, of Plainfield; Simon Lerch, of Elizabeth; E R. Brown, of Rahway; J. M. Hawkins, of Plainfield; B. A. Chamberlain, of Westfield; Bible study, C. C. Pierson, chairman, of Westfield; L. H. Biglow, of Plainfield; E W. T. Faint, of Elizabeth; junior work, Mrs. H. M. Lowry, chairman, of Plainfield; Mrs. Joseph D. Lowden, of Elizabeth; Miss Florence Bogert, of Roselle; Miss Anna Brumgartner, of Rahway; Miss Jennie M. Stiles, of Springfield; Mrs. M. E. Maxson, of Plainfield.

The action of President Williams and Secretary Wilson in sending out addresses in support of the anti-race-track gambling amendment was approved, and the various sections of the county referred to the efforts made by the Endeavorers.

Y. M. C. A. Star Course.

The Y. M. C. A. Star Course of entertainments for 1897-8 will open on Monday evening next, Oct. 25th, with a lecture by William Blaikie, Esq. This will be followed on later dates by "Judge" Wm. B. Green, Lovett's Boston Stars and others, as advertised in another column. The course, taken as a whole, is the best that has ever been offered by the association in the new building. It will be admitted that the price of the course tickets, $1.25, for six such fine entertainments, is very reasonable and affords an opportunity for many to take advantage of.

Ladies Aid Elect Officers.

The regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of Warren chapel was held in the chapel Tuesday afternoon at which time the following were elected as officers of the society: President, Mrs. A. V. D. Honeyman; secretary, Mrs. J. W. Gavet. The treasurer is Mrs. Gillies who is elected for one year and her time was not out. The members decided to hold a social in the chapel two weeks from today.

Directors to Meet.

A meeting of the directors of the Plainfield Building and Loan Association will be held this evening at the office of W. R. Codington.

HAPPY NUPTIAL CROWN

WHELAN-FLANAGAN MARRIAGE SOLEMNIZED IN ST. MARY'S CHURCH.

The Ceremony Performed by Rev. Father Smyth and Witnessed by a Concourse of Friends—Reception at Bride's Parents

The essence of happiness was observed last evening in the marriage of Miss Margaret Flanagan, second daughter of Patrolman and Mrs. Patrick J. Flanagan, of 522 West Fifth street, and Michael J. Whelan, of 547 West Fifth street, which took place at 5:30 in St. Mary's church. This edifice was filled with admirers of the happy young couple, who are so well known among a large circle of acquaintances. The interior of the edifice about the altar presented a festal appearance, around which was arranged palms and chrysanthemums.

Soon after the church was opened the friends and relatives arrived and were seated by the ushers, D. J. Galbraith, Edward Flynn, Charles Ward and Michael Mack, while Miss Mary Smith, the organist, rendered classical selections appropriate to the occasion.

The bridal party was precisely on time, their arrival being announced by the first notes of the Lohengrin wedding march. The ushers appeared first, followed by the maid of honor, Miss Catherine Millett, cousin of the bride, who wore a becoming gown of organdie, over blue silk, and carried a bouquet of white chrysanthemums.

Then came the bride, an attractive blonde, exquisitely gowned in white brocaded moire, en traine. A veil was worn, which was caught up with orange blossoms. She carried a prayer book, and entered leaning on the arm of her father, who gave her away.

The groom and best man, John Whelan, brother of the groom, entered from the front of the church, and met the bridal party at the altar, where the beautiful ceremony of the Catholic church was performed by Rev. Father P. E. Smyth, the pastor. Following the ceremony, the Mendelssohn wedding march was rendered as the bride and groom left the church. The party was then taken to the home of the bride's parents, where a reception was held for the relatives of the contracting parties.

Mr. and Mrs. Whelan received their guests in the parlor beneath an arch of smilax and white chrysanthemums, and they were showered with the best wishes of all. The table in the dining room was decorated with the colors of green and white, presenting a very pretty scene. During the reception hours supper was served, after which the young folks enjoyed some dancing and a general good time.

Later in the evening Mr. and Mrs. Whelan left for a ten days' wedding trip, and on their return they will reside at Greenville, where the groom has a home already furnished and awaiting them. The groom is employed as a salesman in a large wholesale shoe house in New York, and is highly thought of. The estimation and popularity of the bride and groom were strongly evidenced in the large collection of costly and useful presents received, including furniture, silverware, cutglass, china, etc.

When they left the house they were very kindly remembered by the guests who were very sure to give them their full allowance of rice, accompanied by their hearty congratulations.

There were guests present from Easton, Newark, New York, Bridgeport, Conn., and Plainfield.

HAPPILY SURPRISED.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Carney's Friends Remember Their Wedding Anniversary.

Last evening Mrs. John H. Carney returned from Grace M. E church to find her home in Craig place in possession of her many friends, congratulating her on her sixteenth wedding anniversary. The surprise was indeed complete. Even Mr. Carney, when he returned from his lodge, was more than surprised to find they had taken possession. The evening was delightfully spent in wishing Mr. and Mrs. Carney many happy days. During the evening Mrs. George Voehl rendered several pleasing solos, accompanied by Mrs. John Kulp. Dancing was enjoyed until midnight, when refreshments were served, after which all returned to their homes wishing Mr. and Mrs. Carney long life and happiness.

Mileage Tickets on the Central R. R.

Beginning with this date all mileage tickets issued by the Central Railroad Company of New Jersey will be good until used. This will apply to all tickets, without regard to date of sale.

Visit from Grand Commanker.

The members of Ivanhoe Council, American Legion of Honor, enjoyed a visit last Tuesday from Grand Commander Hoey, of Elizabeth.

BOYS ACCUSED OF THEFT

POLICE BELIEVE THERE IS A BAND OF YOUTHFUL BURGLARS.

Ferdinand Rockafellow and Albert Soper Accused of Breaking Into S. Frucht's Bicycle Store—Admit They are Guilty.

Two arrests have been made as a result of the investigations of the police about the scene of the Frucht robbery, Monday night. The evidence now unearthed points out that an organized gang of young men and boys were the burglars that entered Sigmund Frucht's bicycle establishment and the suspicion rests that they have been prominent in other of the burglaries committed.

The clew that finally led to the arrests was found by the police on investigation. It was an ordinary chisel that had been used as a jimmy to force open the money drawer. The burglars had evidently brought it with them and thrown it away when they had finished. There were several peculiarities about it, however, that led the police to trace its identity and then to locate the young men at whom the evidence pointed very strongly. Sergeant Kiely has been working at the case since it was made known to the police and claims to have a web of evidence that will send the two young men to State prison for the offence.

This morning, Sergeant Kiely captured Ferdinand Rockafellow, sixteen years old, and placed him under arrest. A complaint was made against him by Sigmund Frucht before Justice Newcorn and a warrant issued for his apprehension. It was served at once. Another warrant was issued for Albert Soper, of Central avenue, a lad eighteen years of age, who is employed in the store of the Co-operative Association, and he was arrested. The charge against both of the lads is burglars.

It is alleged that they are members of the gang that invaded the place Monday night and stole the revolvers from Frucht's bicycle store.

When confronted with the evidence the boys made a clean breast of the whole affair and implicated others who are said to be in the gang. More arrests will probably follow.

In connection with the arrest of the boys a man employed on an ice wagon was arrested this afternoon, charged with receiving stolen goods.

TO BE KNOWN AS CRESCENT RINK.

Designation Applied to the Big Structure on Watchung Avenue.

There has been lots of discussion over the real name of the Pierce Cycle Academy, on Watchung avenue, where the Spielkartenfest is to be held November 8-13. The committee in charge has finally announced that it will be called the Crescent Rink, the name by which it is best known to fame, and all the notices, tickets and bills for the Spielkartenfest will be made out with that name. The Crescent Rink is the old name for the place and while it has not been much used of late, it is far better known throughout the city and among the residents of other towns in this vicinity by that name.

Justice Newcorn's Court.

The contract cases of Thompson against Smith and Thompson against Smith et als., were adjourned before Justice Newcorn, yesterday afternoon. The trouble between the strikers at the Berkley Heights brick yards and their employers, Macaroni & Varette, which finally resulted in suits being brought against the employers for wages, were settled yesterday and the cases discontinued, the employers paying the full amount demanded and the costs.

A Young Man Held Up.

Charles Foley, aged 18 years, of East Third street, was held up last Monday evening about 9 o'clock near Thorn's laundry. The two strangers wore dark clothes with slouch hats One was tall and the other short. A small crowd of men standing on the corner of Richmond and Third streets heard the disturbance and gave chase. The highwaymen had too much advantage, however, and escaped toward the gravel pit.

Endowment Policy Paid.

The endowment policy of $1,000 held by the late N. M. Vestergaard, in Court Plainfield, No. 1144, Independent Order of Foresters, has been paid to his brother, M. M. Vestergaard, by Court Deputy Jos. Bird. Only eleven days elapsed from the death of the holder of the policy until the claim was settled in full.

Arrangements for Ball.

Last Monday evening at the meeting of the members of Engine Company No. 2, final arrangements were made for the ball to take place November 12th in Washington Hall. After the meeting supper was served. The honorary guests present included Mayor Fisk, and Councilmen Runyon and Newman.

LARGE CHURCH WEDDING

MARRIAGE OF CHARLES H. HALL AND MISS ELIZABETH TICE.

The Groom is the Well-Known Pharmacist of This City and the Bride a Popular Young Woman of Perth Amboy.

Charles H. Hall, the well-known pharmacist of this city, was wedded to Miss Elizabeth Tice, of Perth Amboy, last evening. Miss Tice is the daughter of Former Assemblyman George Tice. The ceremony was performed at 6 o'clock in the First Presbyterian church, Rev. G. B. Van Dyke officiating, assisted by Rev. J. H. Owens, of Paterson, Mr. Hall's former pastor in Perth Amboy. Miss Tice has been prominent in Perth Amboy society for several years, and the attendance at the wedding was extremely large. The maid of honor was Miss May Burns, of Brooklyn.

The bride's gown was of ivory satin and tulle, with diamond ornaments, and she carried a huge bouquet of white bridal roses. Her mother wore black satin, with diamond ornaments. Miss Burns was in yellow silk and she carried yellow chrysanthemums. The best man was John H. Hall, of Fishkill-on-the-Hudson, a brother of the bridegroom. The ushers were Benjamin Selover, Jr., of Brooklyn; John Powers, of Plainfield, and Harry Conard and E. J. McCormick, of Perth Amboy. After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, at High and Market streets. Mr. and Mrs. Hall left last night for their wedding tour, and will then make their home in North Plainfield, at 66 Duer street.

The church, which is one of the largest in Perth Amboy, was filled to the doors, about three hundred guests being present. The platform and pulpit was handsomely decorated with cut flowers, potted plants and palms.

The residence of Mr. Tice, where the reception was held, was also handsomely decorated for the occasion. The wedding supper was served there.

Among those present were Miss Mary K. Jobs. Olaf Sangsted, and others of this city; John C. Ersele and family, of Newark; and Mrs. Julia Hall, mother of the bridegroom, of Fishkill-on-the-Hudson.

CHARGED WITH PERJURY.

Edwin S. Wheeler Arrested by Two United States Marshals.

Edwin S. Wheeler, of West Front street, was arrested about 11 o'clock this morning by two United States Marshals on a charge of perjury. The marshals applied to Chief Grant for assistance in finding the man and he detailed Sergeant Kiely on the case. After a brief search they located the culprit at his home, where his wife is quite ill. Wheeler came here from New York State, but had not yet secured a position.

It is alleged that Wheeler committed perjury by making affidavit that a child was alive that had been dead for five years.

Another Marriage at St. Mary's.

Last evening at St. Mary's R. C. church at 7 o'clock took place the marriage of Miss Caroline Roth, daughter of Martin Roth, of Exchange alley, to Emil Scheidecker, of West Front street. The bride and groom were attended by Miss Anna Burns, as bridesmaid, and Arthur Matthews, both of this city. Rev. Father P. E. Smyth, pastor of the church, officiated. After the ceremony, the bridal party were taken to Vine street, North Plainfield, where Mr. and Mrs. Scheidecker will reside in a house already furnished. This morning they left for Newark where they will enjoy a short wedding trip.

Tea to be Given by Trinity Church Ladies.

The tea to be held this evening at the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Tier, of Bank place, under the auspices of the Ladies' Christian Work Society of Trinity Reformed church, promises to be a very enjoyable affair, and as the entire proceeds are to be used toward furnishing the auditorium of the church, it is hoped it will be liberally patronized by the friends of the church.

University Extension Lectures.

The University Extension lectures will begin on Tuesday with a lecture by Prof. A. M. Wheeler, who spoke last winter before the Monday Afternoon Club. It will aid the committee if all subscribers will get their tickets at Armstrong's drug store without delay. A few tickets may be obtained by non subscribers at the same place or from I. L. Miller or A. H. Atterbury.

Landmark Torn Down.

The old house on Race street, formerly owned by the late Aaron Allen, was torn down yesterday. This house is one of the oldest in the borough and was a landmark. The dilapidated condition of the building was an eyesore, hence its removal.

NO LUETGERT VERDICT

Jury Discusses the Case in Vain for Sixty Hours.

WILL PROBABLY DISAGREE

"Verdict Impossible in a Hundred Years," Two of the Jurors Declare—Majority Said to Be in Favor of Conviction.

Chicago, Oct. 21.—The jury in the case of Adolph L. Luetgert, the sausage maker, who has been on trial for the murder of his wife, had not reached a verdict at 4.15 this morning.

The jury has been out sixty hours. The case was put in its hands at 4.45 o'clock on Monday afternoon.

Although statements have been published that the jury stands 11 to 1 in favor of conviction, it is known that they are incorrect. Three of the jurors—Harley, Holabird and Behmiller—have stuck out for the prisoner since the beginning, and it is not likely that they will yield soon, if they do at all. At 9 o'clock last night it was given out, unofficially yet authoritatively, that Judge Tuthill would not discharge the jury as long as there was any possibility of a verdict being reached. He will keep the jury out as long as its members can stand the physical strain, and it is not improbable that there will be no final announcement of a verdict or a disagreement within a week.

At 10.35 yesterday morning Judge Tuthill sent word to the jail to have Luetgert brought over to the court, and the prisoner was brought in soon afterward. Shortly after his arrival the jury sent for Judge Tuthill and told him that it could not agree. The Judge told them to deliberate a few hours longer and attempt to reach an agreement. He then left the jury room.

In response to a question from Judge Tuthill as to whether there was any particular point upon which special instruction was desired, the foreman replied that there was not. He said that the jury seemed to be hopelessly divided, and that he saw no possibility of bringing about an agreement.

The jury asked the Judge if it might throw out the evidence of Nicholas Faber, who said that he heard screams issuing from the factory on the night of May 1, and the testimony of the Schimpke girls, who said that they saw Luetgert and his wife enter the factory on that night. The Judge informed them that the matter was entirely in their hands and that they could do as they saw fit. Before the jury resumed its deliberations two jurors said that an agreement could not be reached in a hundred years.

There is a great deal of betting on the result. Even money is offered on acquittal and odds of 1 to 3 on disagreement and 5 to 1 against conviction.

The court room in which the trial was held has been stripped of every portable object by souvenir fiends. Pieces of wood have been cut out of desks, chairs, benches and tables, and even Judge Tuthill's gavel and inkstand have been carried away.

A New $1 Greenback.

Washington, Oct. 21.—Secretary Gage, Assistant Vanderlys and Treasurer Roberts yesterday examined a sketch of the proposed new $1 notes submitted by Superintendent Johnson, of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing. It is a radical departure from all previous designs, showing a large space of white paper front and back. An eagle with extended wings hovering over the flag and the capitol is the only illustration on the face, and in the corners 1 in scroll work. The back is very plain, consisting largely of a border in geometrical lathe designs. The officials were greatly pleased with the sketch, and, although no formal conclusion was reached, it will doubtless be adopted. The $1 bill will be a greenback. A scheme is under consideration to vary the colors of the other denominations, as is done in Australia, and is looked upon with favor.

This the Great Steel Country.

London, Oct. 21.—The Pall Mall Gazette yesterday afternoon, in a long article on American competition in the iron and steel industries, said:

"To-day we find the United States not only challenging our supremacy in neutral markets, but even obtaining a foothold in England."

In conclusion the Pall Mall Gazette remarked: "The causes which are giving the United States such a favorable position are permanent, and everything points to the United States remaining the cheapest steel-producing country in the world."

Pullman to Be Buried on Saturday.

Chicago, Oct. 21.—The funeral of Mr. George M. Pullman will be held on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, and the burial will be at Graceland, this city, instead of at Albion, N. Y., as had been expected. The pallbearers have not been named, but will be chosen from Mr. Pullman's associates and club friends.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

The President has decided to appoint no more Consuls until Congress meets.

Seven cases of yellow fever and two deaths were reported at New Orleans yesterday.

The striking engineers have prepared an appeal for funds, to be sent to American labor men.

Madagascar tribesmen attacked a French military post, killing many soldiers, including three officers.

Chicago labor organizations have protested against the engagement of the Marine Band at the Chicago Horse Show.

Benjamin F. Hunt, of Bridgeport, Ct., aged 87 years, and Mrs. Julia A. Sherman, of Watertown, N. Y., aged 90, were married yesterday.

The unfortunate death of one of the contestants in a recent boxing match at New Orleans has put an end to the sport in the State of Louisiana.

Dr. Sheldon Jackson, United States Superintendent of Alaska Schools, states that the only solution of the transportation problem in Alaska was the use of the reindeer.

The English War Office has sent an agent to Australia to inspect the defenses. The Canadians have asked for imperial aid in the expense of building new defenses. An increase in the Indian army has been considered.

WAS HE INNOCENT OF MURDER?

A Man Set Free Who Once Was Saved from the Gallows by a Reporter.

Harrisburg, Pa., Oct. 21.—An interesting case was decided by the Board of Pardons last evening. Silas R. Gray, convicted of murder in Westmoreland County in 1877, sentenced to death, which sentence subsequently was commuted to life imprisonment, will now go free. Mrs. Mary McCready had mysteriously disappeared, and fifteen months later some boys fishing in a stream on the boundaries of Westmoreland County found a skull which the Coroner decided was that of the missing woman, and Gray was brought to trial from the penitentiary after having served a term for horse stealing Just before his trial Smiley Ward was tried for the atrocious murder of the Mean sisters. The jury surprised the community by bringing in a verdict of murder in the second degree, and the people were so incensed that the jurors were threatened with mob vengeance. Under these circumstances Gray was brought to trial with four of the jurors in the Ward case sitting in judgment on his case. He was convicted and sentenced to death.

Fifty-one of the lawyers of Westmoreland County and court officials asked a commutation, but all appeals failed, and the day for Gray's execution was fixed. George H. Welshons, a newspaper man of Pittsburg, happened in Harrisburg, and being a native of Westmoreland County, knew something of the Gray case. While looking over a Harrisburg newspaper Welshons read an item in an obscure part of the paper about a postal card which was received by the editor from an illiterate stranger named Hiram Bowmaster. It was not dated from any place and read:

"It is all wrong to hang Silas Gray, as Jack Pettis confessed to me in the Western penitentiary that he done the deed."

Welshons went to the newspaper office, secured the postal card, had an interview with the railway postal superintendent in this city, got a clew from the almost illegible postmark on the card, and after traveling two days in a snow storm discovered Bowmaster in the foothills of the South Mountains. Pretending that he was counsel for Gray, he obtained from Bowmaster an affidavit concerning the Pettis confession. Returning to Harrisburg as quickly as possible, he had a midnight interview with Gov. Pattison, who commuted the death sentence to life imprisonment. There was barely time to get to Greensburg before the execution, but the official document arrived in time, and Gray, who had watched the carpenters erect his scaffold, was overjoyed at his escape.

Two months before Pettis' sentence expired he hanged himself in his cell because he feared being taken back to Westmoreland County for trial for the McCready murder. His suicide practically established the truth of his confession and confirmed Bowmaster's story. Welshons, the newspaper correspondent, continued his efforts in Gray's behalf, and had the satisfaction of seeing a pardon recommended last night.

KILLED HIS FAMILY.

A Farmer Shoots His Wife and Two Sons, and Then Kills Himself.

Duluth, Minn., Oct. 21.—Domestic and financial troubles, resulting in an unbalanced mind, were the cause of a quadruple murder at Blue Earth City, Minn., this morning.

George Young, a farmer and local politician, residing two miles south of Blue Earth City, in a fit of melancholy murdered his wife and two children, and then blew out his brains.

The details of the tragedy cannot be learned, but about 7 o'clock, while Mrs. Young was busy with her household cares, her husband entered the room in which she was working and fired two shots at her from a revolver.

The first shot entered her left side, three inches from the heart, and the second passed in behind the left ear, lodging in the brain. Young then went upstairs, where his two sons, aged 2 and 4, were sleeping, and sent a bullet through the head of each.

He then placed the revolver against his own head and fired. A hired man heard the shooting, and rushed into the house, finding Mrs. Young and the children dead, while Young still showed signs of life. He died, however, before medical assistance arrived.

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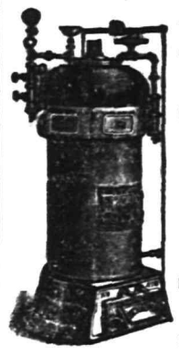

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1897 Taxes

NOTICE is hereby given to the tax-payers of the City of Plainfield that the taxes assessed in said City for the year eighteen hundred and ninety-seven are now due and payable, and that if said taxes be not paid before the

20th Day of December

next, the names of the defaulters with their respective taxes will be returned to the City Judge for prosecution. The Commissioners of Appeal in cases of taxation in and for the said City will meet at the Council Chamber, No. 109 Park avenue, Plainfield, N. J., on the

4th Tuesday of November

next, (November 23rd, 1897,) at two o'clock p. m., to hear complaints relating to assessments.

E. H. BIRD,
Collector.
Dated, Plainfield, N. J., October 1st, 1897.
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Puritan for Oct. 50% Larger

Everybody said the September Puritan contained a dollar's worth of reading for 10 cents. Then the October Puritan must contain two dollars' worth for 10 cents. 10 cents—$1 a year—all news-stands, or of Frank A. Munsey, New York.

Special in Separate Dress Skirts

Made of fine black novelty goods, interlined of best material, workmanship of highest grade, we have just 21 to sell at $3 19. We are confident they cannot be equalled for less than $4.25.

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Kersey fly-front jackets trimmed with Kersey straps, silk rhadame lined, black and green, 26 inch long.

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The date for the social to be held at Warren chapel, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society, is Nov. 4th.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by L. W. Randolph.

—Randolph, the Front street druggist, has started his hot soda, which is so popular with Plainfielders.

The Grandest Remedy.

Mr. R. B. Greeve, merchant, of Chilhowie, Va., certifies that he had consumption, was given up to die, sought all medical treatment that money could procure, tried all cough remedies he could hear of, but got no relief; spent many nights sitting up in a chair; was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery, and was cured by use of two bottles. For past three years has been attending to business, and says Dr. King's New Discovery is the grandest remedy ever made, as it has done so much for him and also for others in his community. Dr. King's New Discovery is guaranteed for Coughs, Colds and Consumption. It don't fail. Trial bottles free at L. W. Randolph's drug store. Regular size 50 cents and $1.00.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

J. Fred MacDonald, of East Front street, has returned from a visit and business trip to Freehold.

Something to Know.

It may be worth something to know that the very best medicine for restoring the tired out nervous system to a healthy vigor is Electric Bitters. This medicine is purely vegetable, acts by giving tone to the nerve centres in the stomach, gently stimulates the Liver and Kidneys, and aids these organs in throwing off impurities in the blood. Electric Bitters improves the appetite, aids digestion, and is pronounced by those who have tried it as the very best blood purifier and nerve tonic. Try it. Sold for 50c or $1.00 per bottle at L. W. Randolph's Drug Store.

Edwin A. Howell, of Chester, Pa., is the guest of his aunt, Mrs. A. E Whiting, of East Sixth street.

A few weeks ago the editor was taken with a very severe cold that caused him to be in a most miserable condition. It was undoubtedly a bad case of la grippe and recognizing it as dangerous he took immediate steps to bring about a speedy cure. From the advertisement of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the many good recommendations included therein, we concluded to make a first trial of the medicine. To say that it was satisfactory in its results, is putting it very mildly, indeed. It acted like magic and the result was a speedy and permanent cure. We have no hesitancy in recommending this excellent Cough Remedy to anyone afflicted with a cough or cold in any form.—The Banner of Liberty, Libertytown, Maryland. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

The Misses Laura and Jessie Capron, of Ogdensberg, N. Y., have returned home after a visit with their cousin, Miss Ernestine Smith, of Madison avenue.

Those who believe chronic diarrhœa to be incurable should read what Mr. P. E. Grisham, of Gaars Mills, La., has to say on the subject, viz.: "I have been a sufferer from chronic diarrhœa ever since the war and have tried all kinds of medicines for it. At last I found a remedy that effected a cure and that was Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy." This medicine can always be depended upon for colic, cholera morbus, dysentery and diarrhœa. It is pleasant to take and never fails to affect a cure. 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Mrs. W. L. Russell and sons, Paul and Ernest, of Willard, N. Y., are guests at the home of Rev. Dr. A. H. Lewis, of West Seventh street,

A pain in the chest is nature's warning that pheumonia is threatened. Dampen a piece of flannel with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bind over the seat of pain, and another on the back between the shoulders, and prompt relief will follow. Sold by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

GOLD STANDARD IN HAYTI.

A Plan for the Partial Retirement of Other Currency.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 21.—A communication from the State Department to the Treasury Department, received there yesterday, contains the draft of a law proposed by President Tiresias Augustus Simon Sam, of Hayti, and enacted by the Legislature thereof, for the establishment of the gold standard in that country and the partial retirement of other currency, signed on the 1st inst. The law was proposed by the President, under the provisions of the Constitution of Hayti, conferring on him the right to initiate legislation.

The leading provisions are for a loan of $2,800,000 of United States gold at par, not to exceed 12 per cent. per annum, the proceeds to be applied to the withdrawal of paper money now in circulation at the rate of 50 per cent. a year; establishing a surtax of 25 per cent. on all importations, of which 15 per cent. shall be payable in American gold and 10 per cent. in silver, which shall be withdrawn from circulation as received and demonetized; from the commencement of the withdrawal of the bills American gold coins shall be the legal tender in the republic, and all customs dues and other State revenues shall be collected in that money or in bills with a premium of 50 per cent., with the exception of the 10 per cent. income tax to be collected in silver.

ROOSEVELT ON NAVAL NEEDS.

We Need a Larger Naval Force for the Sake of Protection.

Cleveland, Ohio, Oct. 21.—Theodore Roosevelt, Assistant Secretary of the Navy, was asked yesterday if he thought our navy was large enough for a country the size of this country.

"There is room for great improvement," answered Mr. Roosevelt. "England, France, Russia and Italy are ahead of us as naval powers, and we are about on a par with Germany. We have thousands of miles of coast on the Atlantic and Pacific oceans, and tremendous interests to protect. The United States Navy ought to be much larger in order to successfully cope with what circumstances might come up in the future."

"Ought this country to have the first navy in the world?" was asked.

"I will not say that," answered Mr. Roosevelt, "but I insist that the United States ought to have a much larger force of vessels for the sake of protection."

The Rockefeller Assessments.

Tarrytown, N. Y., Oct. 21.—The case of John D. and William Rockefeller came up before the Assessors of the town of Mount Pleasant yesterday. William Rockefeller testified in his own behalf. He is assessed at $2,500,000. Mr. Rockefeller said he had a legal residence in New York. He paid $150,000 for his property in Mount Pleasant. The land had not been improved much, but he had built a new mansion and stable. The mason and carpenter work on his residence cost, he said, $105,000. He said he employed about one hundred men all the time to keep his place in condition. He was not asked at what figure he valued his place or if he had received an offer of $350,000 for it.

McKinley's Message to Congress.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 21.—President McKinley has not yet begun the preparation of his annual message to Congress, and it is stated at the White House that he will not begin his report until after his return from the Ohio election. Up to the present time he has given but little thought, apparently, to the preparation of the document, but has been at work gathering statistics from the different departments of the Government, upon which his message will be based. It is said at the White House that the President will begin the actual writing of the document, which is eagerly awaited in political circles, shortly after his return from Canton.

Great Britain Is Arming.

London, Oct. 21.—The Government has dispatched a former Under Secretary of State for War, Sir Ralph Wood Thompson, to Australia, with instructions to report to the War Office upon the condition of the defenses of the Australasian colonies, to urge an increase in the colonial forces and to submit proposals for arming the local troops and exchanging battalions from Australia with those of the motherland.

The India Council and the War Office are considering important measures involving the addition of one-third to the strength of the Indian army.

Kentucky and Tennessee Tragedies.

Louisville, Ky., Oct. 21.—Four killings were reported from various parts of the State yesterday, although two took place over the Tennessee border. Arch Kingley, the first victim, was shot down in Leslie County by William Moore because, as he was accused, he had whipped Moore's child. George Kennedy was stabbed fatally near Berea by Hiram Hurst, dying a few hours later. Will Epperson and Charles Brewer engaged in a fight over politics in Hancock County, Tenn., just across the line from Middlesborough. Epperson was almost instantly killed in the melee and Brewer injured dangerously.

McKinley Will Keep Hands Off.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 21.—New York Republicans are still endeavoring to get President McKinley to write a letter or to say something to indicate his preference for Gen. Tracy in the present contest. It is not believed that the President will care to mix himself up in New York politics, despite predictions which are being made to the contrary. He is more likely to follow the example of Hon. Thomas B. Reed and keep himself out of dangerous entanglements.

$100 IN TWO POTATOES

Mrs. Thorn Said to Have Sent Greenbacks to Thorn.

USING MONEY TO HELP HIM

Acquittal Would Aid Her, but Lawyers Say She Is in No Danger—The New Witness from Germany Coming.

New York, Oct. 21.—Now they tell a story of greenbacks hidden in hot potatoes. Of course you know who did it. Nobody but Mrs. Nack could have thought of doing it, and nobody but Martin Thorn could have received the valuable potatoes. The bills, too, were crisp, as all such bills are, and the amount was $100. The scene, of course, was the Queens County Jail in Long Island City.

Thorn was practically penniless at the time of his arrest charged with the murder of Bathrubber Guldensuppe. Mrs. Nack had had a good income as a midwife, and had saved money. She owned some lots in Weehawken. She retained the law firm of Friend, House & Grossman to defend her. As Thorn had no money, Judge Newburger assigned Howe & Hummel to his defense, and Queens County will have to pay the bill.

The new witness, Peterson, a resident of Hamburg, Germany, who is coming on the steamer Fuerst Bismarck to testify for Thorn on Nov. 5, was intimately acquainted with Guldensuppe, having seen him constantly from his infancy until he left Germany at the age of 20 to seek his fortune in Central America. He will be accompanied by a man who will swear that he has seen Guldensuppe since the time of the supposed murder. Peterson is not acquainted with Thorn, and many persons wondered if he were sufficiently interested to cross the ocean at his own expense.

Thorn received a letter from Peterson, who expressed a willingness to come to New York if his expenses were paid. Thorn communicated with Mrs. Nack, who obtained the money and sent it to him by a prisoner, inclosed in potatoes. The messenger stopped on his way to trace the woman's letter, and, had he suspected the value of the potatoes, it is not at all sure that Thorn would ever have received them. The letter began by mentioning the food before taking up matters seemingly of greater import.

The value of Mrs. Nack's property is placed at $15,000. She has been assured that, while it will materially assist her if the jury fails to convict Thorn of murder, there is no probability that she will be found guilty of the crime. She is convinced that the worst that could happen to her would be conviction as an accessory after the fact in disposing of the body.

Lawyer Friend says that the story that Mrs. Nack had visited Sing Sing before Guldensuppe's death and had sat in the electrical chair is utterly untrue, despite the published yellow pictures that were made by artists who were not on the spot.

Is This Guldensuppe's Head?

New York, Oct. 21.—Word was received in this city late yesterday afternoon from a man giving the name of R. Chalmers, of Seabright, N. J., that a package supposed to be Guldensuppe's head had been found on the track at Long Branch. The substance in the package was plaster of paris and a piece of old carpet covered it.

Only a few days ago the police learned that the head had been tossed off a fishing boat near Long Branch.

The police cannot understand how the surf could wash a ball of plaster of paris ashore. Several times they have been fooled by reports that the head had been found. They will investigate this last report, however.

STOLE TO GO WEST.

Wild-Eyed Literature Worked the Downfall of Five Boys.

Syracuse, N. Y., Oct. 21.—The police have arrested five youths, all sons of good families and all accused of committing petty burglaries in the southern and western portions of the city. The boys are William Redding, Dennis Conley, Frank Welch and George Sage, all sons of respectable parents, and Loring Fowler, whose father is a conspicuous attorney. The boys are all under 16 years, and if they had not taken it into their heads to go West and become train robbers they probably would not have come into contact with the police.

A week ago the boys broke into Burnham & Black's hardware store and took several revolvers. On the next day they left the city and camped in the woods at Brewerton, on Oneida Lake. They were driven out of the woods by hunger and cold, and they returned to this city, where, with money taken by young Fowler from his father's safe, they purchased new clothes and put them on in the toilet room of the New York Central station, leaving their old suits behind. The clothes were identified and a search was made for the lads.

Starbuck and Michael to Race.

Philadelphia, Oct. 21.—Frank J. Starbuck and "Jimmy" Michaels, the middle-distance bicycle riders, have been matched to race twenty-five miles, paced, at Madison Square Garden, New York, on Thanksgiving night. The pacemaking will be done with tandem teams, the number of which is limited to twelve teams on each side. The terms of the race are that Michael is to get a guarantee of $1,000 and Starbuck gets a guarantee of $800 and 50 per cent. of the gross receipts over that amount.

Hunting for an Heiress.

Washington, Oct. 21.—A legacy in South Africa awaits Josephine Mix, who lives somewhere in New Jersey. It was left to her by her uncle, Shekaniah Joseph Rhodes, a native of New Jersey, who died in Basuttoland on Oct. 24, 1896. The State Department received information about the legacy yesterday from Mr. Roberts, United States Consul at Cape Town.

Government Armor Plant.

Philadelphia, Oct. 21.—William Wharton, one of the largest stockholders of the Bethlehem Iron Company, yesterday confirmed the report that the company had made an informal offer to sell its plant to the Government.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Probably Fair Tonight and Friday; Stationary Temperature.

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 62 Degrees.

COMING EVENTS.

October 22—Organization of Spanish class at Y. M. C. A.

October 24—Bible study rally at Y. M. C. A. at 4:15 p. m. Speaker, W. D. Murray. Special music.

October 25—William Blaikie at the Y. M. C. A. "How to Get Strong."

October 26—Entertainment Plainfield Mandolin and Guitar Club at Monroe Avenue church.

October 28—Illustrated missionary tour lecture by Rev. H. K. Samuelian for the Y. M. C. A.

TRULY A HELPMEET.

There is nothing poetic in the name of Dunham Corners, a little hamlet in the agricultural section of Middlesex county, but within its limits lives a woman who, if she does not deserve a gushing sonnet, is at least entitled to a few encomiums for an achievement that stands out in striking contrast to the acts now usually heralded as those of the "new woman." This woman's name is Shork, not a cognomen that a romancer would conjure with, it is true, but what she did commands the attention of every sensible person for its ungarnished pluck and endurance. Her only reward was to be the consciousness that she had been a practical helpmeet to her husband. With no assistance whatever, this woman—Mrs. Morris Shork; she deserves to have her full name emblazoned in big letters—and with four young children, the baby only three months old, to watch and take care of, has husked and stored away 116 bushels of corn. Her husband, to secure a fixed income, worked for another farmer.

DEMOCRATIC ADDRESS

The Democratic State Committee issued a long address to the voters yesterday, in which the Republican party is arraigned with severity for the sins of both commission and mission. The address ends with this appeal:

Upon this arrignment of the Republican party and the issues we present we look to the support of all good citizens to again place the Democratic party in control of their affairs, thus insuring to the people economy, home rule, just taxation, and obedience to the voice of the people in the interest of such reforms as are necessary.

Reckless drivers find no grace in the eyes of Judge DeMeza, of Plainfield, whose recent severity in dealing with a trio of ordinance violators must meet the approval, not only of those who hate disturbances, but of all friends of the horse. He is a mean man who lacks fair consideration for the brute, and a foolish one who imagines that he can make a hippodrome out of the Plainfield boulevards while Judge DeMeza is on the bench.—New York Press.

The New York Sun devoted a line and a half to the death of its editor and a column and a half to his funeral—a complete reversal of the usual course in such an occurrence. The Sun presumes to abhor all that smacks of "new" journalism, but its conduct in relation to such an important news item as the demise of Charles A. Dana, who was the most distingished editor in the country, is an innovation that seems most erratic.

The New York State burglars who, after looting a man's house, left a note cautioning the victimized individual that he was "dead easy" and that they would return again, should consider the possibility that the next time the householder may have a gun which will make the "dead easy" part apply literally to their own fate.

The New Jersey bar loses a distinguished member in the death of Judge John Hopper, of Paterson. He was the most venerable member of New Jersey law circles as well as one whose talents and success were recognized by all.

The whole world knows that George M. Pullman was the inventor of the sleeping car, but it is in blissful ignorance of the man who first wrote a sleeping car joke.

Some there are who think there is too much Bliss in the Greater New York campaign.

Luetgert Jury Disagreed.

The jury in the Luetgert murder trial came out today noon after being locked up for sixty-eight hours. They failed to agree, standing 9 to 3 for conviction. The jury was discharged.

Roger F. Murray, Who Will Probably be Named as an Assembly Candidate by the Republicans of Union County This Afternoon.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Mrs. Charles Westphal, of the West End, is improvod from a recent illness.

The Board of Trade held a routine business meeting last Tuesday evening.

Charles Jennings, of Watchung avenue, has returned from a visit to Newark.

Miss Mary A. Luckey, of Orange street, has returned after a visit at Westfield.

Edward F. Randolph, of West Front street, is much improved from his recent illness.

Tenadore VanCleef, of East Millstone, spent yesterday with relatives in Plainfield.

Thomas J. Hughes and his bride are expected home today from their wedding trip.

Mr. Hopkins, of New York, is a guest at the home of A. T. Slausson, of East Ninth street.

Mrs. Smith and daughter, Miss Lottie Smith, of Newark, were guests in Plainfield yesterday.

Mrs. J. P. Mosher, of Division street, has returned after a visit with relatives at Alfred, N. Y.

Mrs. Edward Milliken, of Dunellen, has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bennett, of the borough.

Mrs. J. H. Parsons, of Chicago, is visiting at the home of her father, Rev. Dr. A. H. Lewis, of West Seventh street.

Rev. J. W. Richardson, pastor of the Park Avenue Baptist church, who has been severely ill, is now much better.

Miss Morris, of Stelton, was married at her home last evening, and a number of Plainfielders were at the ceremony.

Rev. and Mrs. Charles F. Taylor, of Cranbury, have been stopping at the home of Mrs. A. E. Whiting, of East Sixth street.

Mrs. Martin Roth, Jr., and son, M. Raymond, of Linden avenue, have gone to Somerville to spend a few days with relatives.

Miss Mary Thompson, of Summit, has been spending a few days at the home of her father, David Thompson, of Rockview terrace.

Miss Mary Chapman, of East Front street, who has been spending the summer with her parents at Toledo, O., has returned home.

Charles L. Lewis and family have left their Watchung avenue residence and taken up their home on Grace Court, East Sixth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Smith, of Madison avenue, have returned from their wedding trip of three weeks to Chicago and Washington.

A MUSICAL DEBUT.

Miss Sarah A. Palmer Makes an Exceedingly Favorable Impression.

Miss Sarah A. Palmer, recently of Cleveland, O., who has now settled in this city, made her initial appearance here before a cultured audience of music-loving Plainfield women at the home of Mrs. J. K. Myers, of East Front street. The charming home of Mrs. Myers was crowded and all listened with interest to a paper read by Miss Palmer on "What is a Symphony and What Does it Represent as a Musical Creation." She described the evolution of the sonata, and traced its growth from the early dance form, two centuries ago, up to the present modern symphony. The subject was well and clearly treated, and the audience found Miss Palmer an entertaining talker, with the power of imparting to her hearers what she knew on the subject.

Preceding and following Miss Palmer's paper were a number of solos by Charles L. Lewis, and a violin solo by Mrs. Nellie Udelle Smith. Mrs. Chas. L. Lewis played the accompaniments very intelligently.

After the programme of the afternoon was over an informal reception was held, at which Miss Palmer was introduced personally to her audience.

—The Junior Christian Endeavor Society of the First Presbyterian church will meet this afternoon in the chapel of the church at 4 o'clock.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—A stone walk is being laid on Compton avenue, from Front street to Dunellen avenue.

—The catch basins and surface sewers in the West End are being thoroughly cleaned out.

—The Kerwin liquor case will come up for trial in the city court tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock.

—The appealed case of Burnett against McGrath will come up for trial in the Morris county court today

—It was Miss Jaeger instead of Miss Yaeger who presented the flag to the Independent Scheutzen Corps Monday evening.

—Edward Marcellis, Jr., who was kicked in the face some time ago and as a result lost an eye, was discharged from the hospital yesterday.

—The Young Ladies' Missionary Society of the First Baptist church will hold a meeting tomorrow afternoon, from 2 until 5 o'clock.

—Tomorrow afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock the Young Ladies' Missionary Society of the First Baptist church will hold their regular meeting.

—The King's Daughters of Miss Linda Butler's Sunday-school class at the First Baptist church, met yesterday afternoon in regular session.

—Jaquett's great slaughter sale of clothing and men's furnishings still continues at 129 East Front street If you want to buy goods at "cost" give him a call.

—The public meeting of the Town Improvement Association will be held on Tuesday, Oct. 26th, at 10 a. m.. in the Y. M. C. A. Hall upstairs Subject, "The Curfew."

—Special Patrolman Cash was on duty yesterday in the absence of Patrolman Flanagan, who was off duty on account of the marriage of his daughter.

—Justice Nash has rendered judgment for the full amount and costs in the following cases: Coddington against Coddington and Markey against Odam.

—The Plainfield Branch of the Christian and Missionary Alliance will meet this evening at 7:45 o'clock in the rooms of the W. C. T. U. on Watchung avenue.

—Joseph Phillips, chef at Stephenson's North avenue restaurant, has returned to work after a brief absence caused by an accident whereby a small bone in his leg was fractured.

—The interest in the formation of a militia company of infantry is increasing and every day new names are added to the list. It now looks as though the date of organization is not far off.

—Men are now making arrangements to move the Slape house on West Front street to a place near the Industrial Home. The former building is owned by the city and will be put to good use.

—A Persian medical student in the Columbia Medical School will speak on his native land at a meeting in the Seventh-Day Baptist church Saturday evening, under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society of that church.

—Next Monday in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue church will be held the Primary Teachers' Institute, of Plainfield and vicinity. A number of notable speakers have been secured and the sessions, which will be held afternoon and evening, will be exceedingly interesting.

—The new advertisement of S. Scheuer & Co., grocers, tells just why they can sell goods so cheap, and it is an argument that appeals to the economizing spirit of every good housewife. As an evidence of the truth of their statements they quote a few prices that tells the story even more forcibly than can mere words.

—There is to be an exciting contest at the meeting of Plainfield Council, Royal Arcanum, Monday evening. Two of the members will have a gramaphone and a graphaphone at the meeting with which they will give a short entertainment. Then the audience will be called upon to decide which was the better.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by druggists, price 75c per bottle.

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SLING-SHOTS IN USE.

Pranks of Small Boys Cause Washingt n Park Folks to Worry.

Some of the small boys of Washington Park have been having lots of fun of late with sling-shots. They venture out at night, armed with these contrivances, and hurl small missles at various objects. Residents in that vicinity are beginning to complain about the crusade that the owners of the sling-shots appear to have started against the windows in the neighborhood. While none of the windows have been broken as yet, each time the small lead shot strike the windows they leave a spot that is impossible to remove.

—A public meeting of the Town Improvement Association will be held on Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock in Y. M. C. A. hall.

—The Grand Union Tea Company, 138 West Front street, will still continue on Friday and Saturday of this week to give to each purchase of one can of baking powder a large size gray steel dish pan.

Y. M. C. A. STAR COURSE. SIX FINE ENTERTAINMENTS FOR $1.25.

Monday, Oct. 25, Lecture by Wm. Blaikie, subject, "How to Get Strong." Thursday, Nov 25, "Judge" Wm. B Green, Reciter and Story Teller; Chas. S. Thompson, Necromancer. A rich program. Saturday, Jan. 1, Will Lyle, Minstrel and Banjo Specialist; J. S. Blackton, Humorist and Caricat rist. Monday, Jan. 31, Lovett's Boston Stars, a High Class Up-to-Date Concert Company. Tuesday, Feb 22, Royal S. Goldsbury, Humorist and Impersonator. Come and enjoy a good laugh; Miss Jackson, Reader, Midmer Glee Club. Monday, Mar. 28, Miss Edith M Norton, Reader; Miss Laura C. Blackwell, Scotch Balad Singer; Peter L. Conde, Violinist; Chas. L. Lewis, Baritone.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Mrs. Thompson spent yesterday with Plainfield friends.

P. C. Staats was in New Brunswick yesterday attending court

Jack Auten was taken ill yesterday, and is now detained at home.

Miss Benton, of New York, is being entertained by the Misses Marlow.

Walter Smalley, of Elizabeth, called on friends in the borough yesterday.

Rev. W. C. Kinsey, of Newark, spent Tuesday among friends in the borough.

Miss Emma Marlow, of Dunellen avenue, is confined to the house by illness.

Mrs. A. N. Randolph spent yesterday with her sister, Mrs. J. B. Sproul, of Jersey City.

Mrs. W. H. Hamilton and Mrs. Edward Teel visited friends in Somerville yesterday.

Enoch Giles moved from North avenue to the Clark property on Prospect avenue yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Oakley, of New Brunswick, visited Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Swackhamer on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dougherty left this morning for Bloomsbury, where they will make their home in the future.

A. N. Randolph and Adam Dealaman spent yesterday hunting on the mountains. They were accompanied by dogs.

A family quarrel took place in the borough last Tuesday evening and a lively time is reported. No arrests were made.

Ziba Osborn has moved from his former residence on the Stelton road to the Mrs. Anna Dunham farm on the Bound Brook road.

SCOTCH PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Miss Emma Clark is spending a week in Lincoln.

The Jr. O. U. A. M. meets tomorrow evening.

The Knights of Pythias hold a meeting in the lodge rooms tonight.

Henry Kuehn has the contract for painting the new hotel of Edward L. Hand.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Scotch Plains Baptist church gave a successful social in the church parlors last evening.

Frank Allen, E. L. Hand, Wm. H. Turton and Freeholder John Robinson attended the Republican county convention at Elizabeth today.

William, the young son of Barber Shiek, who has been very ill at Bordentown, has now returned to Scotch Plains, and is staying at the home of Mrs. Frank Hosinger.

THEATRICAL.

For one night only, Tuesday next, Donnelly and Girard will entertain the amusement-seeking public at Music Hall, when they will present for the first time here their new play, (and the very funniest they have ever presented), the spectacular operetta "The Geezer," in three acts, with new and specially built scenery, rich and handsome costumes, elegant electric effects and a cast of forty people, who promise to give the most amusing entertainment that will be presented in Plainfield this season.

The Book of the Royal Blue.

The "Book of the Royal Blue," issued by the passenger department of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, has made its initial appearance with the October number, and is, undoubtedly, the most creditable magazine of its nature published. Aside from being a model example of modern typography, it is most interesting as to its contents. A field for interesting literature is certainly offered by the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, because it is the oldest railway in the United States; is foremost in historical prominence, and is rich in magnificent scenery. The latter especially affords an endless scope for illustrations, and the magazine has started on its venture with all these points full in hand. Copies can be obtained by enclosing four (4) cents in stamps to the Advertising Department, Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, Baltimore, Md. 10-21-2

WESTFIELD

VARIOUS BITS OF NEWS.

WESTFIELD HAPPENINGS SERVED UP TERSELY FOR THE PRESS.

Many People Go and Come in the Pretty Suburban Town—Items Interesting Because of Their Brevity

Central Council, No. 131, Jr. O. U. A. M., meets tomorrow night.

C. F. Oxley, of Westfield avenue, is on a five weeks' business trip in England.

The Westfield Township Committee will hold a meeting in the town rooms tomorrow night.

The name of William Siebenmorgen has been proposed for membership in the Westfield Club.

Mrs. Price, of South River, has returned from a visit with Mrs. Sidney Smith, of Picton street.

Mrs. W. M. Stamets and Miss Lizzie Stamets are spending two weeks with relatives in Salem, N. Y.

Miss Belle Flowers, of Montclair, has returned from a visit with Mrs. H. Smith, of Broad street.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist church will give a social in the church parlors tonight.

The sale of property for unpaid taxes will take place in the township rooms tomorrow afternoon.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Baptist church hold a meeting in the church parlor this afternoon.

The I. O. S. will hold a business meeting at the residence of Charles R. Foster, on South avenue, tonight.

The third quarterly conference of the Methodist church will be held in the church parlors this evening at 8 o'clock.

Nathan Lowrey, of Picton street, is recovering from injuries which he received by falling from his bicycle on Monday.

Miss Florence Miller, of Mountain avenue, will give a party tomorrow evening in honor of her seventeenth birthday.

Charles Clark has rented the store on Broad street formerly occupied by H. C. Piker, and will take possession next Monday.

The Westfield Club football team will play a game in the Journal trophy series with the Elizabeth Y. M. C. A. team at Elizabeth on Saturday.

Westfield Lodge, No. 169, I. O. O. F., held a meeting last evening and elected C. W. M. Borough, of Hillsborough, to the office of district deputy grand master.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Congregational church will hold a social and business meeting at the residence of Miss Carberry, on Westfield avenue, tomorrow evening.

The Westfield Junior football team has changed its name to the Westfield Universals. It will play the Scotch Plains Juniors on the North Broad street grounds Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

DISCIPLINE DEMANDED.

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bytery of Elizabeth now has under its care three German churches with a total membership of 350.

Rev. Dr. J. S. Johnston, of Chicago, was given the privilege of addressing the Synod in the interest of the board of aid for colleges and academies. He spoke of the enviable record which the board had always heretofore borne, it having never reported a debt to the general assembly, or failed to meet its obligations promptly when due. It was forced now for the first time in its history to come and make an appeal, acknowledging itself in arrears through the defalcation of its treasurer, Mr. Charnley, who was a trusted Chicago business man. The defalcation amounted to $60,000, of which amount $30,000 had been recovered.

A collection was taken for the work of the board, and $724 44 was received, of which $500 was given by one member of the Synod, who wished his name kept a secret.

The annual report of the committee on Sabbath-school work was presented by Rev. George H. Ingram, of Trenton. It stated that the Sunday schools of the State are making progress in the per capita offerings for benevolent work, the average gift per scholar for the past year being 52.6 cents. During the year the board had received $4,085.87 for Sunday-school work. The report commended the plan for enlisting new scholars presented by James A. Worden, D. D., and recommended that the sum of $8,000 be raised during the coming year for Sunday-school missions.

The evening session was a popular one devoted to the subject of systematic beneficiaries. The committee in charge of that work rendered an interesting report through its chairman, Rev. Thomas Long, of Dayton, and addresses were made by Rev. Mr. McCaulay, of Freehold, and Rev. Dr. Purvis, of Newark.

The session of this morning began at 9 o clock with the moderator, Rev. Dr. Liggett, in the chair. A lengthy report upon historical materials was rendered by the chairman of the committee, Rev. Allen H. Brown, of the Presbytery of West Jersey. The resolution offered by the committee was adopted:

"Resolved, That this Synod thankfully recognizes the overruling hand of God in the history of the college of New Jersey and congratulates Princeton University upon its phenomenal growth from the little seed which was planted at Elizabethtown and transplanted to Newark and then to Princeton where it has celebrated most auspiciously its sesqui-centennial."

The report of the committee on Young People's Societies, which was next presented by Rev. Hugh B. MacCauley, of Freehold, showed that the different Young People's Societies of the State contributed during the past year for all benevolent causes the sum of $28,021. The report congratulated the Christian Endeavor Societies upon their large offerings to missions, and suggested that each society make a thanksgiving offering of $3 for the cause of Synodical Home Missions.

Rev. George Swain, D. D., of Allentown, rendered a report for the committee on Sabbath observance, of which he is chairman.

The report included a resolution calling upon the churches, Sunday-schools and young people's societies to use their influence to discourage Sunday bicycle riding and other forms of Sabbath desecration. The committee called upon Rev. George H. Mott, D. D., of Newark, president of the American Sabbath Observance Leagues, who delivered an address upon the subject.

A discussion next arose as to some alleged irregularities in the records of the Presbytery of West Jersey. An effort was made to have the exceptions of the committee of investigation stricken out, but they were sustained.

JOHN R. M'PHERSON'S WILL.

William N. Runyon One of the Witnesses to the Document.

The will of the late John R. McPherson, three times United States Senator from New Jersey, was offered for probate yesterday in the office of James Lillis, surrogate of Hudson county, in the court at Jersey City.

Mrs. Edla J. McPherson, the former senator's widow, is the sole legatee and sole executrix, and she is not required to file any bonds or inventory of the estate or to make any inventory.

The value of the estate can therefore only be guessed at. Those who pretend to know all about it say it is worth $5,000,000. The will was drawn August 7th, 1895, and the witnesses are William E. Wilson, 33 Fifth avenue, New York; George E. Coney, Orange, N. J.; and William N. Runyon, Plainfield, N. J.

Croup Quickly Cured.

MOUNTAIN GLEN, Ark.—Our children were suffering with croup when we received a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It afforded almost instant relief.—F. A. Thornton. This celebrated remedy is for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

The Volunteers Meeting.

Lieutenant and Mrs. James Walton, accompanied by the Bound Brook Post, will be present and lead the meeting at the Volunteers tonight. Mrs. Walton will sing and accompany herself on the guitar. On Friday evening Rev. W. C. O'Donnell, of Monroe Avenue church, will give an address. Subject: "Two Great Battles."

It is better to take Hood's Sarsaparilla than to experiment with unknown and untried preparations. We know Hood's Sarsaparilla actually and permanently cures.

Hood's pills act easily and promptly on the liver and bowels. Cure sick headache.

—Additional locals on page 3.

Two Kinds of Stores.

There probably always will be two kinds of stores. One kind is conducted in the belief that the way to win trade is to make the store the best one for people to come to. In the other kind of store all attention is given to specious methods of drawing trade and little concern given to the interests of customers when they come.

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A. O. H. TAKE NOTICE!

The members of Div. No. 4, of Plainfield, will meet at T. A. B Hall, corner West Fourth and Liberty streets, Sunday, October 24th, at 1 o'clock p. m. sharp, to go to Roselle in a body to attend the laying of the corner stone of Saint Joseph's church. By order of C. B.

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BARLOW STILLMAN—In North Plainfield, N. J., at the home of William Barlow, Esq., Mr. Charles Delette Stillman, C. E., of El Paso, Texas, and Miss Grace Darling, daughter of William Barlow. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. E. M. Rodman, Rector of Grace Church, Plainfield.

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FIRST-CLASS help and first class places at the Swedish intelligence office, 23 Somerset place. s 23 tf

DESIRABLE house, low rental, improved. 235 East Sixth street. Call, 231. 9 10 tf

CHOICE rooms with excellent board; terms moderate. 417 East Fifth street. 10 18 6

MANGLE wurtzel beets by the ton. For sale by W. H. Rogers, Washingtonville, N. J. 10 19 6

NUMBER 24 perfect water heater, good as new; for sale cheap. 110 East Fifth street. 10 19 3

$500 wanted on second mortgage; "Gilt Edge" property; state terms, no agents. Address E Mfgr., care Press. 10 20 4

POOL table for sale cheap. 90 Somerset street. 10 20 2

TO LET—Five rooms, first floor; 307 Madison avenue. Address W, care Press. 10 21 tf

TWO fine rooms to let with board, near Public Library; reasonable. Address Home, care Press. 10 21 3 tsm

MONEY to loan on Bond and Mortgage. Chas. L. Moffett, Attorney, cor. Park and North Aves. 10 21 eod 4

WANTED—Nurse for young baby. 97 Mercer avenue.

WANTED—First class laundress for Mondays and Tuesdays. Leave address at Press office. 10 21 tf

WANTED—Young girl about 15 to assist in caring for child; white preferred. 28 Summit avenue. 10 21 2

LOST—Monday afternoon, 18th inst, on West Fifth street, (south sidewalk), between 449 and 417; one small, gold-linked glove button. Finder rewarded at this office.

FANWOOD, N. J., for sale or to rent, residence, eleven rooms, hot and cold water, gas light, hot water heating, commodious stable, chicken houses, and garden. Three minutes from station, ground 150x600, rent $75 monthly. H. L. Hall, North avenue, Fanwood, N. J. 10 21 3

WANTED—First-class help. Apply Mrs. Wilson's Intelligence office, 115 Madison avenue.

FOUND—Near Crescent Avenue church, a watch fob and chain. Owner can have same by calling on Wm. H. Shotwell, 26 Fairview avenue

TO LET—House, 7 rooms rent $10; 721 East Second street near Lincoln school. Inquire 409 East Sixth street. 10 20 3

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40 in Fancy Plaids.....49c
40 in silk and wool Mixtures.....48c
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45 in Granite Suiting.....49c
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A Silk Sale

When you read this we will have on sale two thousand yards of the finest black silk ever shown in this town of yours and ours from the great auction sale of Schuarzenback, Huber & Co., all bought 40 per cent below their value and sold the same way.

Beautiful Faille..... 69 cts
Satin Rhadames.....79 and 85 cts
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A postal card will bring you samples.

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Just the opening items. Goods and prices talk stronger than columns of chat. 'Twill be our busy week in hosiery and underwear.

Children's fleeced lined vests and pants, ...5c up
Children's natural wool vests and pants, ...10c up
Ladies' ribbed vests and pants, fleeced 25c
Ladies' natural wool vests and pants, 50c
Children's heavy school hose, all sizes 10c
Ladies' fine seamless hose, fast black 12c
Ladies' extra fine hose, 25c kind, 18c pair

Men's Furnishings.

Men's heavy wool shirts.....29c
natural wool shirts.....38c
outing shirts.....32c
white linen shirts.....33c
suspenders, 25c kind.....13c
half hose.....10c pair
silk neckwear, 50c kind... 25c
cambric handkerchiefs.5c each
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Over 500 finely-bound Novels that 'twill pay you to buy now for Christmas. Regular prices 50c, 75c and $1. Our price 19c, and take your pick.

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Many new lots from the best makers. The coat or cape you want is among them, and it won't cost you so much as you think. We ask you to inspect our stock.

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Fine cambric wrappers.....75c | Flannelette wrappers.....98c
Fancy wool plaid shirt waists.....$1.37
Russian blouse waists, made of pretty worsted goods, $2.75. Skirts to match, $4. Suits, $6.75.
Corset covers.....9c, 12c, 17c, 19c and 25c each.
Fine black satine skirts.....$1, $1.25, $1.75 and $2.
Boys' outing flannel shirt waists.....25c, 29c and 50c

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WANTED—White girl for general housework. Apply 63 Grove St. 10 20 2

WANTED — Chambermaid and waitress; reference required. Call 312 LaGrande avenue. 10 20 2

SMALL furnished room with excellent board. 62 Sandford avenue. 10 20 6

FOR SALE or to let, (bakery) store and dwelling with stable, 120 West Fourth street. Mulford, broker. 6 16 tf-w s

ON THE FOOTBALL FIELD.

Hot Game at New Haven—Tigers' Big Score.

New Haven, Ct., Oct. 21.—Yale and Brown University met on the football field yesterday. Brown was short her captain and Halfback Fultz, and Yale lacked Abbott, Hine and Ely, who are laid up. Over 2,000 people saw the game, which was the liveliest played here this year.

The game was remarkable because of the heavy men Yale put into the play. It was the heaviest eleven Yale has played in years, several of the men weighing over 200, and a number averaging 185.

Yale kicked off, but within ten minutes Brown scored a touchdown; no goal. Brown, 4; Yale, 0.

Five minutes later Yale scored a touchdown and Cadwalader kicked goal. Brown, 4; Yale, 6.

The half ended with the ball in the centre of the field. Yale, exhausted by the effort of scoring, was unable to keep the ball long, and Brown finished the stronger.

Yale, 6; Brown, 4.

The final score was Yale, 18; Brown, 14.

Tigers' Weak Rivals.

Princeton, N. J., Oct. 21.—The Princeton-Franklin and Marshall game yesterday afternoon was played in a disagreeable rain. The Princeton line greatly outweighed the visitors.

The first half ended with the ball near Franklin and Marshall's goal. Princeton, 32; Franklin and Marshall, 0.

The final score was Princeton, 54; Franklin and Marshall, 0.

Lehigh vs. Dickinson.

Bethlehem, Pa., Oct. 21.—It was typical football weather and a big crowd was in attendance at yesterday afternoon's Lehigh-Dickinson game.

Fumbling characterized the playing of the first half, with honors even, neither side scoring. Dickinson had wind in her favor, but all trys at goals from the field failed. The play was hard and fast.

U. of P.—Pennsylvania State.

Philadelphia, Oct. 21.—The University of Pennsylvania football team met the State College yesterday afternoon.

The score at the end of the first half was Pennsylvania, 16; State, 0.

CHAINLESS BICYCLE.

New Style of Wheels Put on Sale To-day.

New York, Oct. 21.—The long-expected chainless bicycle, which, it is expected, will be all the rage in '98, was put on the market to-day. A bicycle manufacturing concern placed them on sale simultaneously at its branches throughout the country. Thousands of the wheels are said to be ready for delivery. The matter has been kept very quiet by the firm manufacturing the wheels. The price of the new wheel is $125.

Here are some of the points of superiority which the firm asserts that the new wheel has over a chain-driven wheel: The manufacturers say that it is much easier to keep clean than the old wheel. Every motion is positive—no back lash. It has no links or teeth to "catch things." The makers declare that it will go faster and further with less effort than the old wheel.

In regard to the matter of speed, the thing above all others considered by those of scorching proclivities, it is pointed out that a chainless wheel secured the twenty-four-hour record on the continent of Europe, and that in August another chainless wheel won a hill-climbing contest in England.

The new machine is handsome and simple in construction. It weighs no more than twenty-four pounds, and appears to balance more perfectly than the chain wheels and to run for a longer time after a single turn of the pedal crank.

AGED COUPLE SEPARATE.

Wife of 93 and Husband of 86 Find Marriage a Failure.

West Chester, Pa., Oct. 21.—After an experience of three years, one of the oldest couples in Chester County yesterday morning came to the conclusion that marriage in their case was a failure and attached their signatures to a mutual agreement of separation.

This venerable couple is Catherine McLane, aged 93 years, and David, her husband, aged 86. When the former began a prosecution on a charge of non-support, David met her with a summons in a divorce suit, and declared his intention of obtaining a legal separation.

Upon being paid a liberal sum of money in cash, Mrs. McLane withdrew the charge of desertion and David withdrew the divorce suit, but an agreement was signed that they should henceforth live apart.

Costly Jersey Kisses.

Elizabeth, N. J., Oct. 21.—This city has learned the legal price of kisses. Miss Joana Murphy, of Summit, has received a verdict for $5,000 against Philip Tumulty, former Assemblyman of Jersey City, for sundry osculations and a promise to marry her.

Miss Murphy's two sisters and a brother testified to the kisses and Mr. Tumulty's statement that he intended to make her his wife.

Elizabeth does not know how many kisses Tumulty got for his $5,000, but evidently they were many, as Miss Murphy sued for $10,000 damages.

Silver Leader Working Hard.

Omaha, Oct. 21.—William J. Bryan has begun the campaign in earnest in this State, and will make two speeches daily from now until election.

Mr. Bryan estimates that the State will repudiate the Democratic opposition by 30,000 votes, an increase of 10,000 over last year.

"We have not lost a single man," declared Bryan, "and we have gained a large number from the opposition."

John G. Carlisle will be in the State next week to help the cause of the gold Democrats.

Baseball Men to Meet.

Chicago, Oct. 21.—Western League officials will meet at the Great Northern to-day and wind up the business of the League of 1897. Incidentally they will discuss the subject of drafting players, make suggestions to the committee which will present this matter before the National League in Philadelphia next month, and select a place for the Spring meeting. Kansas City will be chosen, so says President Johnson.

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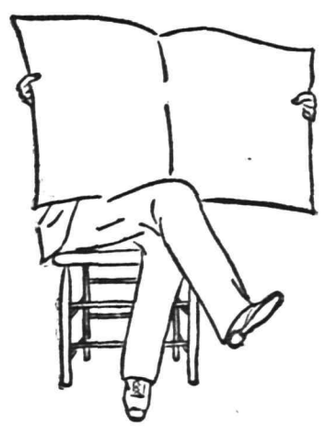

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Leave New York, foot Liberty street, at 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00 a. m.; 12 00 m., 1 10, 2 00, 2 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45 p. m.; 12 15, 1 00 night. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00, 9 00, 9 15 a. m.; 12 m.; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00p. m.; 12 15 night; 1 00 a. m.

Leave New York from Whitehall street at 7 00, 7 55, 8 25, 8 55, 9 55, 11 55 a. m., 1 00, 1 25, 2 25, 3 25, 3 55, 4 25, 4 55, 5 25, 5 55, 6 25, 6 55, 7 50, 8 25, 9 30, 9 55, 11 30 p. m., 12 10 night. Sundays—At 9 30, 9 55, 11 30 p. m., 12 10 night. 7 00, 8 55 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 2 30, 3 55, 5 25, 6 55, 7 25, 8 25, 9 50 p. m., 12 10 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 50, 8 00, 8 33, 9 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 01, 52, 10 08, 11 16 a. m.; 12 26, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 18, 7 55, 8 38, 9 03, 10 05 a. m.; 12 10, 1 15, 1 35, 2 35, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 38, 6 42, 6 19, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 05 p. m. Sunday, 7 15, 9 05, 9 30, 10 35 a. m.; 1 10, 1 35, 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 20, 10 20 p. m.

Passengers for Newark please change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a.m 1 01, 2 41, 2 32, 3 35, 4 36, 5 03, 5 15, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 16, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p. m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 06, 9 55, a. m; 2 03, 3 39, 6 05, 6 30, 10 15, 11 14 p. m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35, 8 13, 9 02, 9 48, 11 45, a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05, 3 25, 4 35, 5 28, 6 08, 6 40, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05 p. m Sunday at 9 35, 9 45, 10 45 a. m; 12 05, 1 20, 5 15, 6 15, 7 35, 8 05, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a. m., 1 01, 2 41, 4 55, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 9 06 a. m; 2 03 6 35 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a. m; 12 32, 4 40, 7 00, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 52 a. m; 6 30 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 9 54 a. m; 5 03, 5 15 p. m

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

6 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Mantioka, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, & c. with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

1 01 p. m.—way for Easton, connecting at Junction for station on D., L. & W. R. R.

3 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, MauchChunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

4 55 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Scranton, Wilkesbarre, Tamaqua, Shamokin, (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

5 05 and 5 15 p. m., way or Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 30 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8 55 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

9 06 a. m. Sundays for Easton.

9 48 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 30 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 35 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, etc., and at Junction for D., L. & W. R. R.

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Leave Plainfield at 3 37, 8 13, 10 27 a. m.; 1 15, 2 41, 5 52, 5 54 p. m. Sundays, (except Ocean Grove,) 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 37, 8 13, 9 28, 10 27 a. m.; 1 15, 3 51, 5 22, 5 54, 7 03 p. m. Sundays, 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10 27 a. m.; 1 15, 3 51, 5 22 p. m.

For Lakewood, Toms River and Barnegat 3 37, 8 13 a. m.; 1 15, 3 51 p. m. Sundays 8 52 a.m

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Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 17, 8 44, 9 45, 10 44 a. m.; 2 17, 5 34*, 6 45, 8 21, 9 37*, 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 5 45, 9 55, 10 44 a. m.; 2 26, 4 55, 6 09*, 6 45 p m.; 1 17 night.

For Trenton, 5 17, 8 44, 9 45 a. m.; 1 01, 2 17, 4 55, 6 38* 8 21, 9 37* p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a. m.; 2 25, 4 55, 5 09, 6 35* p. m.; 1 17 night.

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MGR. SCHROEDER DEFIANT.

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Washington, Oct. 21.—Mgr. Schroeder, Professor of Dogmatic Theology at the Catholic University, whose removal seemed to be assured yesterday, defied the faculty, rector and the Board of Directors to remove him. When his case came up before the Board of Directors he played a trump card that created a sensation. He produced his letter from Rome, saying that the Pope did not want the directors to remove him. The letter came from Cardinal Steinhuber, S. J. A cablegram from Rome, signed "Rampolla," the Papal Secretary of State, certifying that the letter represented the views of the Holy Father, was also presented.

Weyler's Boast.

Havana, via Key West, Oct. 21.—Gen. Weyler is banqueting with the principal leaders of the volunteers in Havana. He assures them that with the aid only of the volunteers, acting independently of the Spanish Government, he could crush the revolution. This attitude of the Captain-General is regarded with uneasiness by friends of the Central Government. It is feared that before Weyler's departure the volunteers may create some disorder.

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AN ORDINANCE

to establish the grade on Central Avenue from Randolph Road to Elizabeth Street.

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Sec. 1. That the grade on Central avenue, from Randolph road to Elizabeth street, be established as follows:

Beginning at the Southerly curb line of Randolph road at an elevation above the City base of 33.00 feet on the Southwesterly curb corner, and 32.75 feet on the Southeasterly curb corner; thence with an ascending grade of 0.30 per 100, a distance of 150 feet, elevation 33.45 West, 33.20 East; thence with a descending grade of 0.30 per 100, a distance of 650 feet to the location of a proposed street, elevation 31.50 West, 31.25 East; thence with an ascending grade of 0.30 per 100, a distance of 318 feet on the Westerly curb line, elevation 32.45 and a distance of 375 feet on the Easterly curb line, elevation 32.38 feet; thence a descending grade of 0.30 per 100, to the Northerly curb line of Elizabeth street, elevation 30.95 on the Northwesterly curb corner, and 31.05 on the Southeasterly curb corner.

Sec. 2. That all ordinances and parts of ordinances, so far as they conflict herewith, be and the same are hereby repealed.

Adopted by the Common Council Oct. 4, 1897; approved by the Mayor Oct. 6, 1897.

CHAS. J. FISK, Mayor.

Attest, J. T. MACMURRAY, City Clerk.

Executor's Settlement.

Notice is hereby given, That the account of the subscriber, Executor of Deborah W. Brant deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphan's Court of the County of Union, on Wednesday, the fifteenth day of December next.

MARY ALICE MASON.

Dated, October 13th, 1897. 10 14 o a w 10 th

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HIS PROPOSALS INDEFINITE

Monetary Commissioners Informed that Great Britain Would Send Representatives to a Conference, but Will Not Open Indian Mints.

London, Oct. 21.—The reply of the Government to the proposals made by United States Senator Wolcott and his colleagues of the American Monetary Commission was sent to the Senator last night.

The answer, which has been substantially foreshadowed by the unofficial reports of the decision of the British Cabinet at its meeting last Saturday, will express regret at the inability of the Government to accede to the proposals of the Commissioners, but will convey the assurance that the Government, while refusing to reopen the Indian mints to the free coinage of silver, is willing to consider any definite proposal emanating from the Government of the United States. It will also say in substance that the Government would be glad to send representatives to another monetary conference organized on the basis of the conference held at Brussels.

Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, Chancellor of the Exchequer, has replied to the letter addressed to him by the city bankers on Sept. 22 protesting against the Bank of England holding any proportion whatsoever of silver as reserve against its note issue.

The Chancellor says that papers will shortly be published fully explaining the proposals made in regard to the holding of one-fifth of the Bank's reserve in silver, and also defining the position taken by Great Britain with reference to the currency proposals made by the special envoys from the United States.

In accordance with a resolution adopted by the meeting of bankers on Sept. 22, letters similar to the one addressed to the Chancellor of the Exchequer were also sent to Mr. A. J. Balfour, First Lord of the Treasury, and Mr. Hugh C. Smith, Governor of the Bank of England.

SECRETARY GAGE'S PLAN.

Much Amusement at the Alleged Summaries of It Published.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 21.—The Secretary of the Treasury and the other financial officers of the Government are much amused at the various reports that are being sent out from Washington about the financial plan which the Secretary will submit to Congress. They are especially amused over the latest "authentic" outline of the message, which was published in a New York newspaper. The summary which the paper claims to be a "substantial and correct statement of the plan," is repudiated most positively by Secretary Gage, who says that it is the furthest from being correct of any alleged summary yet published.

The claim that he contemplates the establishment of a separate bureau in the Treasury to be devoted to "issue and redemption" and the depositing of a fund of $325,000,000 of gold in this bureau to redeem outstanding paper money when offered, but to disburse none of this paper money except in exchange for gold, is but a sample of the falsity of the whole statement. No such plan was ever contemplated. The Secretary states that he is now busy on his message, and that no outline of it has been published or will be published before it is sent to Congress.

The dispatch referred to is characterized as "a dream." Part of it was made up out of an old interview with the Secretary, published before he became a member of the Cabinet, and containing Mr. Gage's ideas held then as to what should be done on the money question. It can be stated that the President and the Secretary are working in harmony on the financial plan, and both are devoting much time to the subject.

Dingley Law Barbarous.

Paris, Oct. 21.—In the course of a speech at a banquet given by the School of Commerce at Nancy, M. Raucher, Minister of Commerce, declared that the United States Government had given its sanction to a barbarous measure in the imposition of a duty upon personal effects valued at more than $100.

Negotiations had been opened between France and the United States upon the subject and there was no reason to doubt, he said, that the Washington Government would withdraw its sanction and modify or abolish the measure.

Spanish Paper's Wrath.

Madrid, Oct. 21.—The Imparcial made a violent attack yesterday on the United States, basing its remarks on the alleged departure recently of filibustering expeditions from American ports, bound for Cuba, and urges the Spanish Government to ask explanations of the Government of the United States.

"It is impossible," says the Imparcial, "for us to submit to such humiliations. We must act with energy towards Washington."

The Army Chaplain Cleared.

Washington, Oct. 21.—The Rev. David H. Shields, of Shippensburg, Pa., a Methodist clergyman, has satisfactorily explained the allegations brought against his character when he was appointed a chaplain in the army a short time ago, and the War Department will issue an order assigning him to a military fort.

The Bishops of the Methodist Church have indorsed Chaplain Shields highly, and have informed the Secretary of War that no mistake will be made in continuing him.

Senator Tillman's Illness.

Columbia, S. C., Oct. 21.—Senator Tillman was able to go to his home in Trenton this evening, but was admonished by his physician to take no part in politics for some time. It is asserted that the Senator has catarrh of the stomach.

Guatemala's Revolution Ends.

Washington, Oct. 21.—The Legation of Guatemala has received the following official dispatch: "Revolution subdued; order restored all over the country."

A SUCCESSFUL SALE.

Women of the Church of the Heavenly Rest Conducted It.

A successful sale was held yesterday afternoon and evening in the parish house of the Church of the Heavenly Rest under the auspices of the women of the church. There was on sale ice cream, cake, fancy articles and canned fruit, and tables were attractively arranged about the room, while the decorations were very pretty. Those in charge of the sale were William Moore, Mrs. F. Moore, Mrs. Charles Graves, Mrs. A. H. Leivers, Miss Morgan, Miss Bertha Wenzel, Miss Jennie Wenzel, the Misses Alice Ashworth, Alice Dennick, Lona Beekman and Elizabeth Beekman.

The attendance during the afternoon and evening was quite largely considering the weather, and the sales were good. It will be continued this afternoon and evening.

Park Club Committees.

The following standing committees have been appointed by President C. A. Reed, of the Park Club: House, Edwin T. Douglass, Walter McGee and George D. Hallock; membership, George Worth, Benjamin M. Day and Samuel Townsend; billiard, Elston French, Charles A. Lee and David Lenox; whist, George T. Rogers, Joseph Howell, Wm. Worth, Walter Freeman and Samuel Townsend; bowling, F. O. Ball; tennis, Samuel Townsend; junior entertainment, Fred Taylor and Charles Cook.

Trolley Hearing Adjourned.

Mr. Vail, chairman of the committee of eleven appointed to inquire into the matter of widening Westfield avenue and constructing a street railroad upon it by the county, says that the committee will probably not be ready to report tonight, the day to which the meeting adjourned, but will be ready to report within two or three weeks. The meeting will not be held today, but another date will be fixed and public notice given as soon as the committee is ready to report.

Third Regiment at Somerville.

The Independent Fife and Drum Corps went to Somerville today to take part in the annual field day exercises of the Third Regiment. It is expected that Gen. Sewell and staff will be present. This morning a parade and drill was held on the fair grounds and this afternoon other festivities are on the programme.

An Illustrated Lecture.

Rev. H. K. Samuelian, of Constantinople, will give an illustrated lecture, under the patronage of the ministers and leading citizens of Plainfield, at the Y. M. C. A. hall this evening. Some of the views were made by the ex-Sultan. About 350 tickets disposed of already for the lecture.

The Chainless Wheel.

The F. L. C. Martin Cycle Company, Park avenue, request the cycling public of Plainfield and vicinity to look over the Cleveland and Crescent chainless wheels, which are soon to be put on the market, ere they select their mount for the coming year.

Cypress Commandery to Hold a Ball.

This evening at the Pierce Cycle Academy, Cypress Commandery, colored Masons, will hold a grand reception and ball. A large number of visitors are expected from all over the State and New York.

Miss Jessie Little, of East Ninth street, has gone to Brooklyn to visit relatives.

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For Infants and Children.

The fac simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper

SPORTS

Sun Rises: 6:18 a. m.
Sun Sets: 5:12 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be lighted at 6:12 p. m.

STRIKES AND SPARES.

The bowling season is at hand and the movement looking toward the reorganization of the Central Journal Bowling League will be started shortly by a meeting at the Journal office in Elizabeth when the representatives of the clubs will meet, elect officers and arrange a schedule. The Park Club has already stated its intention to the Journal of taking part in the contest. The other clubs that will probably join are the Elizabeth A. C., the New Jersey A. C., the Westfield Club, the Cranford Country Club and the Roselle Casinos. The Bayonne Rowing Association made such a poor showing last year that it is probable that they will withdraw from the contest this year.

AMONG THE STEPPERS.

A good programme of races is to be held at the Gentlemen's Driving Park on Saturday afternoon. The matches will be the same as those at Woodbridge, the same horses starting, and as those furnished exciting finishes, there is a strong probability of some good sport for the Plainfield horsemen.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Additional locals on page 3.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

—Watson Ralph is the name of the man accused of receiving stolen goods from the alleged boy burglars.

—A meeting of special interest will be held by Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., this evening.

—A missionary social will be held next Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. A. A. Taft, on Grandview avenue.

—A Christian Endeavor service of unusual interest will be held at the Park Avenue church tomorrow evening.

—This evening in Reform Hall a programme of special interest will be presented, under the auspices of the Reform Club.

—Wm. Newcorn has been retained for the defence in the case of O'Connor against O'Connor, for partition in the Court of Chancery.

—The attendance at the Independent Fife and Drum Corps fair last evening was larger than on previous evenings. The boys are much pleased with the patronage accorded.

—This afternoon at the home of Mrs. Stevens, of Grandview avenue, the Ladies' Aid Society of Grace M. E. church are enjoying a quilting party. The quilt will be sent to a missionary in the west.

—Lineman Herbert Chamberlain, of the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company, while cutting wood at his home yesterday severely cut his thumb with an axe. It is probable that he may lose the entire thumb.

—A wagon owned by Moses J. Carey, of Manning avenue, collapsed yesterday afternoon on Watchung avenue near Chatham street, under a heavy load of old wood which was taken from the old Allen house on Race street. Another wagon was secured to remove the wood

Mrs. Ross, of West Seventh street, entertained friends from New York and New Brunswick at lunch on Tuesday.

Edward Stewart has returned from the west, and is now visiting at the home of his father, J. E. Stewart, of West Seventh street.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

C. E. Hepburn, of East Second street, is in Trenton today, calling on friends.

Mrs. E. P. Williams and Miss Florence Williams, of West Seventh street, have returned from a visit at Chicago.

Ludlow Squiers, one of the old residents of New Market, is very ill at his home in that place. He is suffering with pneumonia.

Edward Mosher, of Elmwood place, went to Morristown yesterday with the Somerville firemen and participated in the firemen's parade.

Didn't Pay His Board Bill.

Frank Hale, of this city, was arrested last evening on the complaint of a boarding house keeper who charges that Hale boarded at his house and represented himself as being employed by Wyman & Haberle. Hale got behind in his board and made promises that he would pay up. This he failed to do, hence his arrest. He will be given a hearing on Saturday before Justice Mosher, who issued the warrant.

PROVED THEIR CAPABILITIES.

How a Colorado Man and Wife Secured Political Jobs.

Ex-Gov. Thatcher of Colorado, tells this: "I had been in charge of my office but a few days when I received one day a large bear that had been recently killed, accompanied by a note telling me that it was 'mighty fine b'ar meat.' This note did not give the name of the giver. A few days later a dozen wild turkeys arrived at the executive mansion. The next gift was a large box of fine mountain trout, along with some fresh berries. By this time I was a little curious, but had no way of learning who they came from. One day I received an extra large box. There was a large cake, some pies, bread, jams, and jelly, with small pieces of different meats finely cooked. This time the note informed me the unknown would call on me in a few days. I was anxious to see the person, and when one Saturday a long-haired man from the mountains came in I was somewhat surprised. 'Well, Governor, what do you think of my ability as a hunter and of my wife as a cook?' asked the stranger. Without any more talk he said he wanted the job of furnishing my household with fresh meats and his wife wanted the position of cook. As they had shown their abilities, I gave them the positions at once. He never failed to keep a good supply of meats on hand, and his wife furnished good home cooking. If all the office seekers were like that man a Government official's life would be a happy one."—Omaha Bee.

ENGLISH PUBLIC DOCUMENTS.

The British Government More Economical Than Our's.

The British Government sells all its publications. It gives nothing away. If you want a copy of a bill that has been introduced into the House of Commons, or a report that has been presented to the House of Lords, or any public matter in the London County Council or the Board of Aldermen of the city, you have to pay postage if it is sent through the mails. In our country nearly all official documents of this kind are given away, and are sent free through the mails under a frank. The British plan seems to be the more sensible. It saves millions of dollars every year that are wasted in the United States to furnish public documents to people who do not care anything for them, and who throw them into the waste-paper basket as soon as they are received. The charge for official publications is only sufficient to pay the cost and a small margin for wastage. Thus the Government Printing Office is self-supporting and the postal service pays a profit of $10,000,000 of $12,000,000 annually into the Treasury. On the contrary, on our side of the Atlantic, it costs $5,000,000 or more to pay for printing for which no one is the wiser, and our Post Office Department declares an Irish dividend of $9,000,000 or $10,000,000 every year, much of it is due to the transportation of "pub. docs." —Chicago Record.

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Executor's Settlement

Notice is hereby given, That the account of the subscriber, Executor of John A. Briant, deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphan's Court of the County of Union, on Wednesday, the Twentieth day of October next.

NATHAN J. COMPTON.

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An Unfair Advantage.

Dr. Lasker, the great chessplayer, when in London, is in the habit of occasionally visiting a certain restaurant in the city well known to many chess devotees. On one of these occasions just prior to his departure for St. Peterburg, to play Dr. Steinitz for the championship, a fussy old gentleman offered to play him for a box of cigars if he would concede him the odds of a queen.

The offer was good-naturedly accepted; and on Lasker's winning he became the recipient of a box of doubtful-looking cigars, which, however, the donor averred were of good quality.

On visiting the same restaurant, after easily defeating Steinetz, Lasker happened to meet his late opponent, who asked him what he had thought of the cigars.

"First-rate!" replied the champion; "in fact, I might almost say they won me the match."

"Indeed! I am delighted to hear it!" returned the old gentleman, much pleased.

"Yes," continued Lasker, with a merry twinkle in his eye, "I gave them all to Steinitz!"—From Answers.

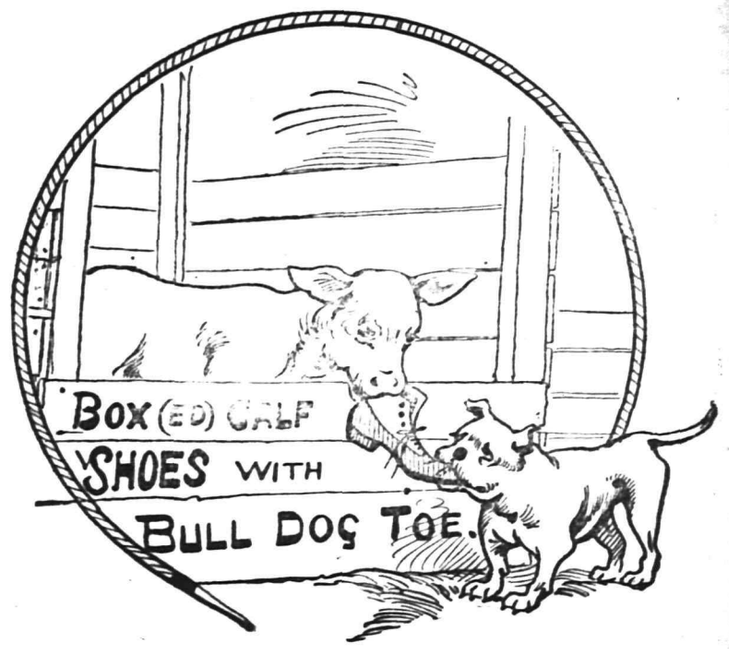
Alaska Steamship Arrives.

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 21.—The steamship Bertha has arrived here from St. Michael's, Alaska, which place she left on Oct. 5. Fourteen passengers came down, with about $30,000 in gold, most of this being in the possession of Arthur W. Pope and Harry Wright. The Bertha brought no late news from Dawson, her passengers coming from Minonk and Circle City.

Four Hundred Natives Perished.

(Cable Dispatch to The New York Sun.)

Madrid, Oct. 21.—A dispatch from Manila says that a cyclone and tidal wave have devastated a part of the island of Leyte, one of the Philippine group. The towns of Tacloban and Hernani and several villages were destroyed, and it is estimated that 400 natives perished.



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Men's Pants	1.75	.98
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" "	1.37	.75
" "	2.50	1.48
Men's Suits	9.50	5.48
" "	8.00	3.80
" "	9.00	6.98
" "	8.00	5.00
" "	5.50	2.98
Men's Working Shirts	.50	.29
" Shirts and Drawers	.50	.39
" Neckwear	.50	.39
" Sweaters	.50	.18
Men's Derby Hats (large assortment)	2.00	1.30
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PLAINFIELD GOT ONE PLUM FROM REPUBLICANS.

Roger F. Murray Nominated For Assembly Without Opposition in the County Convention.

Except for the Dissatisfaction of the Summit Delegation the Convention Was Harmonious—A Set of Resolutions Adopted Praising Republicans All Along the Line—Participation of the Plainfield Delegates.

A "happy family" of Republicans went down to Elizabeth yesterday afternoon to attend the county convention of the party. They gathered in the wished-for plum, the Assembly nomination for Roger F. Murray, without opposition and returned home ready for an active campaign. Altogether the convention was a very harmonious affair, except for a sulkiness shown on the part of some of the Summit delgates, who felt rather sore because their town was not remembered in the distribution of the Assembly plums.

It was understood from the start that Plainfield ought to have one of the Assembly nominations. She had the Sheriff last election, but her big Republican majority entitled her to something else. For the last two terms W. R. Codington has had the nomination without much opposition. This year he did not withdraw until two weeks before the convention and left the nomination for Roger F. Murray, one of the most active workers in the Republican party in Plainfield. It was then conceded through the county that Murray ought to have it, and the Elizabeth politicians agreed to back him for the nomination. The Elizabethians were gunning after the *other* two Assembly nominations, however. Robert G. Houston and George A. Squire were prominently mentioned and had the support of the all-powerful ones.

There were all sorts of rumors flying about to the effect that J. Martin Roll, one of the present Assemblymen, was going to try for renomination. That promised a fight, as neither faction was willing to allow their candidate to be crowded out, but Roll, at the last, declared that he would not run under any circumstances, and an unpleasant feature was removed from the path of the rest.

There were two booms that for a time threatened the harmony of the party. The friends of John A. Hicks, of Summit, demanded that he be

George T. Parrot, Candidate for Surrogate.

given a chance to run for the Assembly. They met with no enccurragement, however, from Elizabeth, Plainfield and Rahway, and so the boom gradually collapsed. Clarence D. Ward, of Rahway, was also mentioned prominently, but the Rahway delegation would not give him their united support, and Rahway decided that she only wanted the Coroner.

The Plainfield delegation held a caucus in the Board of Freeholders room before the convention and decided to support the slate composed of Parrott for Surrogate, and Murray, Houston and Squire for the Assembly unitedly and the chairman of the delegation, Mayor Charles J. Fisk, was given the power to cast the votes of the forty-six delegates in a bunch.

The convention convened at the Lyceum Theatre half an hour late, by which time all the inopportune booms had been thoroughly extinguished. Several of the Plainfield delegates, led by Councilman William N. Runyon, entertained the rest with a verse of "A Hot Time in the Old Time Tonight," while they waited for the meeting to open. The convention was called to order by Hon. Charles N. Codding, of Westfield, chairman of the county committee. S Rusling Ryno, of Rahway, was made secretary and R R Sinclair, of Westfield, George Ball, of Fanwood, and George W. Little, of Cranford, assistant secretaries. Senator Foster M. Voorhees was named as chairmain and was escorted to the platform by George Wilcox, of New Providence, and Dr. Harris, of Springfield, amid great applause.

Senator Voorhees made a brief speech in which, although he mentioned no names, he put in a good word for the present Surrogate. He also criticized the Democratic State platform. After the reading of the call, the committees were announced by the chairman as follows:

Committee on rules—James W. [illegible] chairman, Roselle; Moline W. Halsey, Elizabeth; John Robinson, Fanwood.

Committee on credentials—Eugene W. Austin, chairman, Cranford; Charles E. Reed, Rahway; Thomas M. Belknap, Elizabeth.

Committee on resolutions—Hon. Joseph Cross, chairman, Elizabeth; Francis S. Phraner, Summit; Wellington B. Morehouse, Westfield.

A call by wards showed no contested delegations and so the committee on credentials had really nothing to do. The reports of the committees, which had been prepared long before the convention, were then called for. The report of the committee on rules was

Roger F. Murray, Candidate for Assembly.

adopted and then Judge Cross read the following resolutions which were received and adopted:

The representatives of the Republican party of Union county, assembled in convention, congratulate the people on the return of prosperity, due to the decisive declaration of the voters last November in favor of sound money and the return to the Republican policy of protection to American industry.

We point with satisfaction to the fact that the pledges made by the Republicans of this State upon their return to power have been fulfilled. We are pleased to notice in a recent utterance of the New Jersey division of the Chicago Democracy that a healthy public sentiment has invaded that body and won its approval of the adoption of the amendment to the Constitution against gambling and its condemnation of the gambling dens still maintained in Hudson county under the protection of the same old gang.

We approve the conservative administration of Governor Griggs and commend his policy of appointing citizens of high character and capacity to responsible offices.

It is a fully recognized and serious fact that the benefits derived by the people from our municipal governments fall short of what we have a right to expect from the amount of taxes levied each year. Our municipal laws have become pitfalls, instead of guides. Officials with the best intentions are not able under existing conditions to render efficient public service. We therefore call upon our Republican fellow-citizens and other well-disposed people throughout the State to take up the problem of municipal government with sufficient energy to secure substantial success. The true limits of municipal duties should be clearly defined, and the laws relating to local governments made plain and strong, to the end that public service may be more efficient and the money raised by taxation wisely expended.

We favor legislation providing for the abolition of grade crossings at the earliest practicable moment, and hereby pledge the nominees of this convention to every reasonable endeavor to accomplish that result.

We commend the nominees of this convention to the voters, and if elected we charge them to remember at all times that their first and highest duty is to work for the interest of Union county.

John Farrell, of Rahway; Augustus K. Gale, of Westfield, and J Phraner, of Summit, were empowered to fill any vacancies in the ticket if any should occur.

The call for nominations for Surrogate was then made and Mayor Fisk wanted a chance to be given at once for the nomination of the one man that all wanted, but the chairman overruled him and, according to the rules, a call was made by wards and townships. The First ward of Elizabeth waived its right in favor of the Twelfth and Hon. Joseph Cross nominated George T. Parrot in an eloqent speech. The remainder of the delegations seconded the nomination and Mayor Fisk moved that the secretary cast a ballot, which motion was promptly carried.

Then came the nominations for Assemblymen. John D. Barr, of Elizabeth, named Robert G. Houston. Dr. Mack, of Elizabeth, seconded it and named Geo. A. Squire. Then Col. Morrell, of Elizabeth, seconded them both and added the name of Roger F. Murray, of Plainfield. Mayor Fisk, however, made the regular nomination of Murray. William Newcorn, of Plainfield, moved to cast a ballot for the three, but the disappointed one from Summit objected. The roll was then called and all the delegates voted for the three candidates, except three of the Summit delegates who refused to vote at all. The candidates received 232 votes and were declared nominated.

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HOSTS IN FULL UNIFORM

THE EIGHTH ANNUAL RECEPTION OF CYPRESS COMMANDERY.

Given in the Crescent Rink and Attended by Sir Knights From Many Other Towns—Finely Executed Military Drill Given.

The eighth annual reception of Cypress Commandery, No. 6, K. T., was held in the cycle academy last evening. The elite of the colored people were present. The Commandery was present in full uniform and at 12 o'clock the members, together with the visiting guests, gave an exhibition on the floor, which was followed with an exhibition drill by Cypress Commandery, in charge of Past Grand Commander William Douglass, of the State of New Jersey. Past Eminent Commander Brown and Captain General Gibson acted as escorts in arranging the members for the drill. They marched with a military precision. Frequently during the drill the large number of people present showed their appreciation by hearty applause.

The members of St. John Commandery, of New York, together with the other visitors, occupied a place of honor on the large stage. The music for the drill and dancing was furnished by Prof. Vanderveer, of Elizabeth. There were lady members of the Eastern Star Lodge, of Newark and New York, present, and they also occupied seats of honor. Eminent Commander William Jones, of Cypress Commandery, received the visitors in the name of the Commandery.

A feature of the evening was the presence of Most Puisant Sovereign Grand Commander Milton F. Fields, of St. Louis, Mo., who represents the eastern and western consistory of the United States. He made a short speech which was greatly enjoyed. In conversation, Mr. Fields gave the information that the Grand Lodge of Missouri is the largest lodge of colored Masons in the United States, and that the members of the Star of the western consistory is the largest body of Scottish Rite Masons in the United States. J. H. Pelham is the Grand Master of the Grand Lodge.

Among the visitors from St. John's Commandery, New York, present were: Lieutenant Commander August Goss; Richard Jenkins, T. P. Williams, George Bell and Henry Johnson. Lincoln Lodge, of Elizabeth, and Bethlehem Lodge, of Newark, were also represented. After the drill dancing was continued until 3 o'clock this morning, and everyone had a thoroughly good time. The floor managers were Walter Benn and William Fisher. The other committees were as follows:

Committee of arrangements, William H. Jones, Charles Barber, Burril Gibson, William Wright, James H. Walker, A. W. Brown, Arthur Venable, Nelson Batts, James Long, John Reed, Louis Randolph, Grant Cannon and Joseph Dunham.

Reception committee, William J. Douglass, James Connet, George W. Thompson, Benjamin Siles, Benjamin E. Johnson, Levi P. Williams, John Smuthers and Henry Johmer.

EVENING OF CLASSICAL MUSIC.

Finely Executed Piano Selections by William K. Bassford.

An evening of classical music, rendered by one whose ability as a pianist was unquestioned, was enjoyed by a large audience that crowded the parlors of the New Jersey Military Academy last evening. The recital was given by William K. Bassford, the well-known composer, who has recently come to this city. His touch was light and yet very expressive, and all his selections showed a thorough knowledge of technique. In Chopin he found a composer whose spirit he seemed to interpret with wonderful skill, and a number of his selections were by that famous composer. He also played from Mendelssohn, Gottschalk and Liszt. Two of his selections were of his own composition and they were particularly well received.

The audience also had a chance to see the interior of the Military Academy and found it a charming place. The parlors were handsomely decorated, while palms and other potted plants gave a finish to the rooms and hall.

Women's Society Elect Officers.

The Women's Society for Christian Work of the Seventh-Day Baptist church held a meeting on Wednesday afternoon in the church parlors when the officers for the ensuing year were elected. The election resulted as follows: President, Mrs. George H. Babcock; vice president, Mrs. J. D. Titsworth; secretary, Mrs. A. T. Maxson; treasurer, Mrs. F. A. Dunham. The committees will be appointed at another meeting to be held next week.

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THE SYNOD ADJOURNED.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE LAST SESSION YESTERDAY AFTERNOON.

Resolutions of the Temperance Committee Amended Several Times and Finally Adopted—Meet at Paterson Next Year.

The Synod of New Jersey continued its sessions in the Crescent Avenue church yesterday afternoon with the vice-moderator, Rev. W. R. Richards, D. D., in the chair. The question of enjoining the Presbytery of New Brunswick to discipline Rev. Charles Woodruff Shields, D. D., professor of the harmony of science and revealed religion, for signing the license application of the Princeton Inn, on May 1st, had not yet been settled, and the members began to wear anxious faces as if they feared that something serious would result from the controversy. Rev. Dr. Hollifield, of Newark, offered a resolution in which the Synod called upon all its Presbyteries in a general way to note the utterances of the General Assembly upon the temperance question, and to deal with all offenders in accordance with the law of the church. This resolution met the fate of nearly all compromises; it failed to satisfy either side. Members of the Presbytery insisted that notwithstanding the fact that the resolution did not specifically mention their Presbytery, that it was nevertheless a reflection upon it, and an insinuation that it had neglected to discharge its duty. Several members were upon their feet at once striving to gain the recognition of the chair, and the situation was for a time perplexing. Rev. Mr. MacMillen, of Paterson, caused a stir by stating that he was not in favor of any such wholesale restriction of personal liberty as the resolutions of the temperance committee called for. He had never had a liquor seller in his church and he had never been called upon to deal with the signer of a liquor license among his church members, but he could conceive circumstances under which it might be advisable and right for every member of his session to sign a license. Murmurs of disapproval of this remark were heard on all sides. It remained for Rev. P. W. Lyon, of Bridgeton, to solve the predicament in which the Synod seemed to have fallen. A resolution proposed by him as a substitute for the committee's resolution was passed by a vote of 72 to 12. This resolution, which ended the discussion, was as follows:

"The Synod of New Jersey finds occasion to reiterate the judgment often expressed by the General Assembly and the Synod, that the renting of property for the sale of intoxicants, and the signing of applications for licenses to sell intoxicating beverages is inconsistant with Christian character and harmful to the cause of religion, and calls the attention of all Presbyterian sessions teachers and its church members to the matter."

The report of the committee on unemployed ministers and vacant churches was submitted by Rev. Henry Reeves, D. D., of Gloucester City. The report recommended that the committee be discontinued as there was no longer any need for its services. The report was approved and the committee discontinued.

The following resolution was next adopted:

"Resolved, That the Synod shall place upon its records its keen appreciation of the fact that the questions connected with the stability of the institutions of modern society find their solution only in the application of the ethical principles and the humanitarian ideas inculcated by the Divine One of Nazereth, and that it becomes the ministry of the word to inform themselves concerning these pressing questions to the end that they may become competent guides and sympathetic counselors in the application of the social teachings of Christ."

The committee on election laws, before the Legislature, reported through its chairman, Rev. J. DeHart Bruen. The roll was called by the stated clerk and absences recorded. The number of delegates present was 258.

Before the reading of the final minutes by the recording clerk, Rev. J. T. Kerr, of Elizabeth, the following vote of thanks was passed:

"Resolved, That the thanks of the Synod are hereby tendered to the committee of arrangements for the very ample and delightful provision made by them for our entertainment, to the session and trustees of the Crescent Avenue church for the use of their buildings, to the Presbyterian people of this beautiful city for their generous hospitality, to the choir of the church, to the newspaper press for the interest displayed in our meetings and the space devoted to the reports of our proceedings."

The Synod will meet next year in the Third Presbyterian church of Paterson, of which Rev. J. B. Galloway is pastor.

FANCY STEPS TO BE SEEN

SOME OF THE DANCES ARRANGED FOR THE SPIELKARTENFEST.

This Year's Affair Will be Somewhat Like the Kirmess, Only Some of the Dances Will be More Novel in Their Appearance

The monster benefit for the Muhlenberg Hospital, which is to be known as the Spielkartenfest, is already attracting much attention. Many of the young people of the city are now spending several evenings a week rehearsing for the different dances that are to form the principal part of the affair to be held in the Crescent Rink next month. Everybody remembers the Kirmess of two years ago with great pleasure and it has been generally understood that the Spielkartenfest is drawn on the same lines as the Kirmess. Such is the truth, except that the attraction of this year is to include something of a novel character beside the many beautiful dances of the same order as those of the Kirmess. The new feature is a game of "living whist," which has already been mentioned in these columns.

The success of the dances two years ago resulted in the request that many of them be repeated but Miss Lila Agnew Stewart, who successfully conducted the Kirmess and has complete charge this year, has decided that the Plainfield audiences shall be treated to an entire programme of dances. Not that the old ones were not worth repeating but there are so many good ones that have not been seen on a Plainfield stage.

The game of living whist will introduce a series of dances by itself. The fifty-two cards all participate in dances before the game begins and they are all as delightful as the rest. The court cards take part in a charming dance appropriate to their rank. With slow and stately measure, the courtly knights and ladies move through the intricate maze of the dance, then comes the famous arch of steel and all is over. Miss Schipper and Mrs. A. C Vail are chaperones of this dance. The four aces form a pleasing quartette in another dance, under the chaperonage of Mrs. W. L. Saunders.

The rank and file of the rest of the cards are divided into the black and red cards, each class of which has its own dance. The black cards have an attractive dance. The youths come with mandolins and offer flowers to the maidens. They dance together and the music is soft and enticing and with it the swaying motion of the waltz. Far different is the dance of the red cards. It possesses intense life and action and has the stateliness of the minuet. Mrs. James T. Scott chaperones the black cards and Mrs F. H. Andrews the red cards.

Then the little pages, they are bound to be favorites with all. They are chaperoned by Mrs. W. J. Roome.

One of the prettiest of the other dances is called the mirror dance, with Mrs. F. S. Green as chaperone. The solo dance will be something out of the ordinary and will explain whence comes the name. The Spanish Cachuca, danced only by the young ladies, is full of fire and excitement. As its name implies, the dancers are the merry senoritas of sunny Spain. Mrs. August Kleineck is the chaperone. Bright in the colors of the chrysanthemum, a merry group of fair maidens will dance the chrysanthemum dance under the chaperonage of Mrs. George Randell and Mrs. L. H. Biglow.

The wild and brilliant gypsies appear in the tambourine dance of which Mrs. M. S. Ackerman is the chaperone. One of the most artistic effects of the Spielkartenfest will be produced in the Tyrolean peasant dance, of which Mrs. H. A. McGee and Mrs. J. C. Peck are the chaperones. The costumes are simple, but the dance is one of the prettiest of the evenings.

The Hornpipe, chaperoned by Miss Rose Verdon, tells of itself. It is sure to be popular The last in the list of the evening dances is the Jockey Club dance, of which Mrs. M. B. Long is chaperone. The music is bright and catchy, while the movement is light and free.

Interest in State Militia.

Sergeant Dickerson, of Westfield, and Seargeant Johnson, formerly of Hackettstown, of the State militia, have placed their names to the list now being prepared to form a company in this city. Mr. Johnson is now a resident of Plainfield. The interest in the company does not diminish, and each day new names are added to the list.

The First Connections.

A. M. Griffin, of this city, yesterday made the first connections with the pipes of the Middlesex Water Company, at Metuchen. Dr. A C. Hunt, State Inspector of the Board of Health, was the first to have his residence connected with the mains. The second was Geo. Greasom, and third was John Leahlein, all of Metuchen.

THEIR IDENTITY KNOWN.

POLICE SAID TO BE AWARE OF THOSE IN ALLEGED BURGLARIOUS GANG.

Rockafellow, Soper and Ralph Held to Await an Examination—First-named is Said to Have Made a Clean Breast of It.

The identity of the gang that raided Frucht's bicycle establishment, at the corner of Park avenue and Second street, Monday night, seems no longer in doubt. The sixteen-year-old lad who was arrested yesterday morning, as told in The Press, on the charge of being one of the burglars, has admitted that he was on the scene and knows about the whole affair, but claims that he waited outside while his companions forced their way into the cellar of the store next door and then up the rear stairs to the bicycle store itself.

Ferdinand Rockafellow made a complete confession to the effect of what has already been stated.

Albert Soper, who was arrested yesterday morning, was not charged with being one of the burglars, but for receiving stolen goods. It is claimed that the burglars sold him a watch, a pair of opera glasses and a pin for a small sum, he knowing that the goods were stolen. Then, it is claimed, when he learned that the police were after the burglars and were in a fair way to catch them, he gave the articles in question to Watson Ralph, a young man who is employed on one of Tier's ice wagons. It is claimed that Ralph knew that the goods were stolen but kept them for Soper. Ralph was arrested yesterday afternoon on the same charge of receiving stolen goods.

This morning was the time set down for the examination of the prisoners before Justice Newcorn. All three were arraigned before the Justice at the city court room in the lock-up at 10 o'clock. Rockafellow was represented by Senator Charles A. Reed, and Ralph by City Judge DeMeza. Soper had no lawyer.

Rockafellow confessed that he was at the scene of the burglary but his counsel explained that he was on the outside and so entered a plea of non-vult. He wanted an examination but as the witnesses for the State were not present, the hearing was adjourned for a week. Meanwhile Rockafellow was committed to the county jail to have his bail fixed by the court at Elizabeth.

Ralph did not have much to say and his examination was also adjourned for a week. He was held under $150 bail.

Soper was instructed by the Justice regarding his rights but he did not know what to do. The Justice advised him to ask for an adjournment with the rest of the cases and so held him under $250 bail for examination next week.

Now that Frucht has had time to make an inventory he can give some idea of what was stolen. The principal articles were two Morgan & Wright tires, three watches, six revolvers, opera glasses and other small sundries.

CELEBRATED BY BEING A HOST.

Miss Edna Lewis Gave a Party on Her Twelfth Birthday.

Miss Edna Lewis, of Somerset street, celebrated her twelfth birthday yesterday afternoon and evening by giving a party to a number of her young friends at her home. The time was spent in playing games. Supper was served to the guests. Among those present were Francis Montford, Grace Linbarger, Emma Powers, Minnie Nischwitz, Ursula Krewson, May Fairchild, Eva Higgins, Laura Linbarger, Viola Linbarger, Mildred Linbarger, May Fritz, Emma Fritz, Bertha Miles, Hattie MacLaughlin, Lillie VanWinckle, May Wyckoff, Ethel Wyckoff, Grace Powers, Marian Englehardt, Mabel Farlee, Mary Woolston, Edna Lewis, Willie Higgins, Edwin Loomis, Arthur Morrison, Earnest Powlison, Leslie Powlison, Leslie Ireland, Harry Hedden, Harry Josephs, Malcom Krewson, Charlie Powell, David Fairchild, Arthur Humble and Willie Nischwitz.

LODGE FRIENDS CAME.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Whitely Agreeably Surprised Last Evening.

Last evening Mr. and Mrs. Francis Whitely, of Steiner place, were agreeably surprised by the members of Friendship Lodge, No. 4, Daughters of Rebekah. The host and hostess were wholly unaware of the surprise, but proved themselves equal to the occasion. Sociability was the feature of the evening, during which a bountiful supper was served. Those present included Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Barbour, Miss Barbour, Mr. and Mrs. Peter VanFleet, Mrs. Jacob Kriney, Mrs. John Kriney, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Kittering, Mrs. Ford, Mrs. Charles Young, Mrs. Benjamin Moore, William E. Barbour, Mrs. Alexander Sargent, Mr. and Mrs. Walch.

THE REPLY OF SPAIN

Madrid Cabinet to Consider Their Note to the United States.

A DIVISION AMONG THEM

It Is Said the Answer Will Include a Formal Protest Against Filibustering Expeditions—Officers Wish to Leave Cuba.

Madrid, Oct. 22.—The Government's answer to United States Minister Woodford's recent note in regard to Cuba will be drafted by the Cabinet to-day. The reply will include a formal protest on the part of Spain against the many Cuban filibustering expeditions which have been organized in the United States.

Senor Gullon, the Foreign Minister, has communicated to Premier Sagasta the contents of a dispatch from Senor de Lome, the Spanish Minister at Washington, relative to the recent filibustering expeditions alleged to have departed from New York City and Jacksonville, Fla.

It is understood in political circles that there is a sharp difference of opinion between Senor Gullon, the Foreign Minister, and Gen. Correa, Minister of War, on the one hand, and Senor Sagasta and Senor Moret, Minister of the Colonies, on the other, as to the attitude the Government should take towards the United States.

El Correo, on the contrary, says that Senor Sagasta and Senor Gullon are "quite agreed as to international questions."

Officers Wish to Leave Cuba.

Havana, Oct. 22.—Many army officers, who consider that Sagasta's policy of autonomy for Cuba is dangerous to Spanish sovereignty, have applied for leave to return to Spain. Lieut.-Gen. Weyler has invariably refused refused these applications.

The word "treason" has been heard of late in several quarters where it is believed that the Government intends to deliver the public offices into the hands of the insurgents, which, in the opinion of critics of such a course, would be equivalent to granting independence.

Gen. Weyler has cabled the Government that although he has fixed upon the 30th as the day of leaving, he may embark a day or two earlier or later.

CHAINLESS WHEELS FOR $50.

Bicycle Combine Does Not Control All These Bicycles.

New York, Oct. 22.—The big bicycle combine to keep up the price of the chainless wheel to $125 will meet some snags. It is asserted that chainless wheels will be put on the market for $50.

The cheaper wheels will be put out by firms independent of the patents controlled by the firm which yesterday placed the first chainless wheel on sale.

Since the League chainless wheel was invented the firm which is the biggest manufacturer of bicycles in this country has been buying bevel-gear patents, and now has control of not only the patents covering the League wheels, but of most of the patents taken out for bevel gears which the firm could purchase.

As a result, the big firm has control of the most important bevel-gear patents, and many of those firms which will put similar wheels on the market will do it under patents leased from this firm. One of the stipulations of the lease is that no wheels will be sold under $125.

Although this price will prevail among the high-grade wheels at first, it is sure to fall, because of the competition of those firms which will put out chainless wheels independent of the combine's patents and at a much less cost than $125.

The war of the chainless wheel, when it once gets under way, is certain to be interesting and to result quite as favorably to the public as did the cut in price of the chain wheel.

FOR KLONDIKE'S CHRISTMAS.

Frozen Eggs in Cans and Poultry and Oysters to Be Sent.

Portland, Ore., Oct. 22.—On the steamship George W. Elder, which leaves to-day for Dyea, Alaska, Charles E. Vest, of this city, will ship 4,000 dozen eggs and about a ton and a half of poultry, fresh meats and oysters, which he expects to take over the Chilkoot Pass to Dawson City by dog train before Christmas.

The eggs were broken into cans, sealed up and then frozen. Vest and four others hope to realize $100,000 out of the venture. They expect to sell all the eggs at $35 per dozen and the poultry at fabulous prices.

Sons of the Millionaire Disinherited.

Chicago, Oct. 22.—The report that Robert T. Lincoln would be offered and would accept the presidency of the Pullman Palace Car Company is denied. No one will be tendered the position until the directors hold a meeting, and there is no immediate prospect of their getting together.

The twin sons of the late George M. Pullman have been disinherited. Such is the story which has gained currency since the arrival here of the widow. The story is to the effect that the barrier between sons and money was made only ten days before Mr. Pullman's death. Mr. Pullman believed in work. These sons showed no desire to indicate that they might succeed him in the direction of big affairs. For this reason, it is said, the father cut them off.

Maj. Handy Ill.

Paris, France, Oct. 22.—Maj. Moses P. Handy, the special commissioner of the United States to the French International Exposition of 1900, who has just completed his mission here, is so seriously ill that his friends are alarmed, and his return to the United States has been postponed.

Fast Horses Win a Parson.

Niles, Mich., Oct. 22.—Rev. J. W. Arney, familiarly known as "Parson Arney," has made a public confession that he is a backslider and says he never intends to preach the gospel again.

He admits that he loves fast horses better than the church. The parson has a stable of sprinters.

THOUSANDS PERISHED

The Phillipine Islands Devastated by a Tornado.

GREAT LOSS OF PROPERTY

A Hurricane Swept Several Islands of the Group and Laid Waste a Vast Area—Many Towns Were Razed to the Ground.

Madrid, Oct. 22.—A dispatch from Manila says that the hurricane and tidal wave which visited the island of Leyte, one of the Philippine group, on Oct. 12, swept inland and devastated a vast area of territory.

The advices say that the towns of Carigara and Burugo, on the island of Leyte, have been completely ruined. The town of Leyte, owing to its sheltered position, suffered little damage. The tidal wave engulfed entire villages and thousands of persons were killed. Information has been received from the ruined town of Tacloban that the wave also swept over the island of Samar, which is separated from the island of Leyte by the narrow Straits of San Juanico.

Leyte is one of the smaller of the more important islands of the Philippines, and is on the extreme east or Pacific side of the archipelago. The port and most important town is Tacloban, destroyed by this visitation, on the northeast side of the island, and before the war its commerce, which was with Manila entirely, was larger than that of any other town in the archipelago. Though the population is about 300,000, the island is less densely peopled than most of the western islands of the group. The island of Samar is considerably larger than Leyte and is close to it on the northeast. Mountains form the backbone of both islands, and the damage is probably confined to the comparatively narrow plains along the east coasts.

SURGEON-GENERAL OF THE ARMY.

President Will To-day Appoint Medical Director W. K. Van Reypen.

Washington, Oct. 22.—President McKinley will give a surprise to naval officers to-day in the appointment of Medical Director William K. Van Reypen to be Surgeon-General of the Navy, with the relative rank of Commodore, to succeed the late Surgeon-General Newton L. Bates. When the term of Medical Director James Rufus Tryon expired last month a great deal of influence was brought to bear on the President and Secretary Long to secure his reappointment for another term of four years. The President, however, had already promised the place to Medical Director Bates, second in seniority in the Naval Medical Corps and the physician to the White House family. Dr. Bates was ill when he received his commission on Oct. 1. When he died on Monday last, without having assumed the duties of his office, it was the general belief in naval circles that Dr. Tryon would be reinstated. Dr. Van Reypen did not want to become a candidate against Dr. Tryon, and it is understood that he did not make the application until Dr. Tryon urged him to do so.

The new Surgeon-General has been a member of the Medical Board of Inspection and Survey since July 13, 1894. He entered the navy from New York in October, 1861. His professional standing is of the highest, and the selection is considered excellent.

THE GERMAN ARMY.

A Large Increase in the Estimates. Old Officers Retired.

London, Oct. 22.—The German Government, according to a dispatch from Berlin published here yesterday, in addition to the sums of money which will be asked for to increase the strength of the navy, will soon ask for a large increase in the army estimates. While at Wiesbaden, the dispatch says, Emperor William struck the names of many officers off the active list of the army, in pursuance of his policy of placing younger men in the most important posts.

It has already been decided that the army monoeuvres of 1898 will be held in Alsace-Lorraine, and that they will be on an unprecedentedly large scale.

Disease Imported by Immigrants.

Washington, Oct. 22.—A circular has been issued by Commissioner-General Powderly, and approved by Secretary Gage, directing all Immigration and Customs officers to make careful examination for the discovery of cases of fovus, a loathsome contagious disease of the scalp, among immigrants arriving here, and instructing them to return all such afflicted persons at the earliest opportunity at the expense of the steamship lines bringing them to this country. Commissioner Powderly says that the disease is a new one and made its appearance here among immigrants. It has proved to be stubborn in treatment, and easily communicated. It has been decided best to exclude all afflicted persons from our country.

Sherman Will Vote in Ohio.

Washington, Oct. 22.—Secretary Sherman has decided to follow President McKinley's example and vote at the coming election. He will not, however, be one of the Presidential party, but will leave Washington on the 30th. He will go direct to Mansfield and cast his vote, and return to Washington, reaching here the day after the election. Senator Sherman has disposed of his house at Mansfield.

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1897 Taxes

NOTICE is hereby given to the tax-payers of the City of Plainfield that the taxes assessed in said City for the year eighteen hundred and ninety-seven are now due and payable, and that if said taxes be not paid before the

20th Day of December

next, the names of the defaulters with their respective taxes will be returned to the City Judge for prosecution. The Commissioners of Appeal in cases of taxation in and for the said City will meet at the Council Chamber, No. 109 Park avenue, Plainfield, N. J., on the

4th Tuesday of November

next, (November 23rd, 1897,) at two o'clock p. m., to hear complaints relating to assessments.

E. H. BIRD,
Collector.
Dated, Plainfield, N. J., October 1st, 1897.
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Dealer in choice fruit of all kinds, of Confectionery, Peanuts' Cigars, etc. Soda Water of all flavors and always ice cold. Branch store corner Front and Somerset streets.

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Made of fine black novelty goods, interlined of best material, workmanship of highest grade, we have just 21 to sell at $3 19. We are confident they cannot be equalled for less than $4.25.

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Kersey fly front jackets trimmed with Kersey straps, silk rhadame lined, black and green, 26 inch long.

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There is "a something" about the designing, the trimming that is pleasing to our patrons. Success has attended us in our efforts to conduct a first-class millinery store. Our prices are reasonable, in fact much less than you would expect. Each day brings something new, newest shapes, newest novelties in trimmings, always something to satisfy the most exacting.

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—West Front street beyond Clinton avenue is being patched in places by the city employes.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

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—There was no initiation at the meeting of Franklin Council No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., last evening, but other matters of importance were discussed.

The Grandest Remedy.

Mr. R. B. Greeve, merchant, of Chilhowie, Va., certifies that he had consumption, was given up to die, sought all medical treatment that money could procure, tried all cough remedies he could hear of, but got no relief; spent many nights sitting up in a chair; was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery, and was cured by use of two bottles. For past three years has been attending to business, and says Dr. King's New Discovery is the grandest remedy ever made, as it has done so much for him and also for others in his community. Dr. King's New Discovery is guaranteed for Coughs, Colds and Consumption. It don't fail. Trial bottles free at L. W. Randolph's drug store. Regular size 50 cents and $1.00.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Although Edward F. Randolph, of West Front street, is somewhat improved from his illness, he is yet unable to go to work.

Something to Know.

It may be worth something to know that the very best medicine for restoring the tired out nervous system to a healthy vigor is Electric Bitters. This medicine is purely vegetable, acts by giving tone to the nerve centres in the stomach, gently stimulates the Liver and Kidneys, and aids these organs in throwing off impurities in the blood. Electric Bitters improves the appetite, aids digestion, and is pronounced by those who have tried it as the very best blood purifier and nerve tonic. Try it. Sold for 50c or $1.00 per bottle at L. W. Randolph's Drug Store.

Fred Dunavan, of Randolph's pharmacy, will start next Monday on his vacation of one week.

A few weeks ago the editor was taken with a very severe cold that caused him to be in a most miserable condition. It was undoubtedly a bad case of la grippe and recognizing it as dangerous he took immediate steps to bring about a speedy cure. From the advertisement of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the many good recommendations included therein, we concluded to make a first trial of the medicine. To say that it was satisfactory in its results, is putting it very mildly, indeed. It acted like magic and the result was a speedy and permanent cure. We have no hesitancy in recommending this excellent Cough Remedy to anyone afflicted with a cough or cold in any form.—The Banner of Liberty, Libertytown, Maryland. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Dr. Rushmore, of Park avenue, went to Philadelphia yesterday morning to visit relatives.

Those who believe chronic diarrhœa to be incurable should read what Mr. P. E. Grisham, of Gaars Mills, La., has to say on the subject, viz.: "I have been a sufferer from chronic diarrhœa ever since the war and have tried all kinds of medicines for it. At last I found a remedy that effected a cure and that was Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy." This medicine can always be depended upon for colic, cholera morbus, dysentery and diarrhœa. It is pleasant to take and never fails to affect a cure. 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Editor Runyon and wife are planning a trip to Old Point Comfort, Va.

A pain in the chest is nature's warning that pneumonia is threatened. Dampen a piece of flannel with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bind over the seat of pain, and another on the back between the shoulders, and prompt relief will follow. Sold by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

TRYING TO END THE STRIKE.

Board of Trade, on Behalf of the Government, Submits a Plan.

(Cable Dispatch to the New York Sun.)

London, Oct. 22.—The Board of Trade, acting on behalf of the Government, has written to the Employers' Federation and the Amalgamated Engineers' Society, submitting a plan for ending the strike in the engineering and allied trades. The board asks, in view of the lamentable results to the country produced by the long-continued dispute that the employers and the employes consider the draft of a settlement that is submitted to them.

This provides, first, that the members of the Employers' Federation, while disavowing any intention of interfering with the legitimate action of the trades unions, will admit no right of interference in the management of their business. The members of the trades unions, while maintaining the right of combination, disavow any intention of interfering with the management of the business of their employers.

Secondly, the demand for a working week of forty-eight hours is withdrawn.

Thirdly, a conference between representatives of the Employers' Federation and the Amalgamated Engineers' Society will be held forthwith to discuss and settle the question of the hours of labor.

WHAT WOMEN MOST NEED.

Miss Willard Puts a Better Physique Ahead of Woman Suffrage.

Toronto, Oct. 22.—Miss Frances E. Willard, who is here to attend the World's Convention of the W. C. T. U., which opens to-day, says the woman's suffrage movement is booming. She believes that England will be the first country to grant suffrage. She says: "Lord Salisbury is for it, and Mr. Arthur Balfour, who is certainly the coming man in England, is for it. In the British Parliament one man's nod controls 150 majority votes, while in America we have fifty States and a complication of Legislatures to besiege. Blessed be unity in parliamentary bodies when a general evil has to be fought."

Referring to the international peace treaty, she said President McKinley was for it, and she believed that such a treaty between England and the United States would be signed by the Spring, and that within a decade there would be a universal national commission created to deal with all international matters and prevent international hostilities. "What women to-day most need is a better physique, and that means nutritious diet, simpler food, loose corsets, larger shoes, fresh air at night and a good supply of red corpuscles."

Four Persons Indicted for Murder.

Saratoga, Oct. 22.—The Grand Jury has indicted four persons for murder in the first degree and one for manslaughter in the first degree. All will be tried the week beginning Nov. 3. Guiseppe de Vivo, an Italian railroad laborer, is charged with murdering Michael Radigan, Sr., his foreman; Rethebha Tacka, Nizha Tacka, Abood Barhoun and Shidih Barondy, Syrians, will be tried for killing an infant in Woodlawn Park, Saratoga, and Eliza Wilson for killing her husband in the town of Wilton with a chair.

Another Ohio Man for the Cabinet.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 22.—A statement was made yesterday that in the event of the retirement of Attorney-General McKenna, of California, from the President's Cabinet, Solicitor-General Richardson, of Ohio, might be promoted to Attorney-General. Except in the event, however, of the retirement of Secretary Sherman from the Cabinet, it is not believed another Ohio man will be appointed to the Cabinet. Richardson and the President have been fast personal friends for many years.

Danbury Fair Buildings Destroyed.

Danbury, Ct., Oct. 22.—The chief exhibition buildings on the Danbury Fair Grounds were destroyed by fire at 1 o'clock yesterday morning. An explosion, the cause of which is now known, shattered the main building. A northeast gale was blowing and the flames swept over the three acres of wooden buildings. The bench and poultry-show building, machinery hall, the art gallery, agricultural hall and the ampitheatre were among the buildings destroyed.

Suicide After Killing a Girl.

Scranton, Pa., Oct. 22.—Achilles Felker, who murdered Cora Gress at Gouldsboro, Wayne County, Wednesday, because she refused to marry him, and then escaped, was found dead at Snydersville, Monroe County, yesterday morning, having killed himself.

After the murder he had gone to his brother's home at Snydersville, where he blew out his brains.

Fourth-Class Postmasters.

Washington, Oct. 22.—Fourth-class postmasters were appointed yesterday as follows:

New Jersey—Manhattan Park, Essex, Charles Kunz.

New York—North Granville, Washington, John B. Davis; Woodside, Queens, S. M. Johnston.

Pennsylvania—Anselma, Chester, Oliver E. Moses; Ryet, Bedford, W. H. Morris.

Leo XIII. and French Politics.

Rome, Oct. 22.—The official journal of the Vatican declares, in reference to the report that the Church will participate in the future in political elections in France, that the Pope will seize every occasion to reunite all Frenchmen on a constitutional basis in the interests of religion and society.

NO VERDICT IS FOUND

Luetgert Jury is Discharged by Judge Tuthill.

COULD NOT POSSIBLY AGREE

The Vote Stood Nine for Conviction and Three for Acquittal—Case Dismissed on Motion of the State's Attorney.

Chicago, Oct. 22.—The jury before whom Adolph L. Luetgert was tried for wife murder has disagreed and has been discharged. The trial, which was one of the hardest-fought battles in the history of the Chicago criminal court lasted nearly nine weeks and cost Cook county $30,000. And all the effort and all the expense have been wasted.

The jury stood on the last ballot as it had stood almost from the time of its retirement—nine for conviction and three for acquittal.

Court was called to order at 11 o'clock yesterday, and the jury, haggard and worn, filed in.

There was a short delay pending the arrival of Luetgert and State's Attorney Deneen. Luetgert arrived, looking as if he had slept well and with a look of eager expectancy on his usually stolid face.

When he was seated Judge Tuthill nodded to Foreman Heickhold, who announced that the jury had been unable to arrive at a verdict. He said there had been an absolute deadlock for thirty-eight hours.

Judge Tuthill had questioned each of the jurors and had become convinced that there was no possibility of an agreement, so he accepted the report and discharged the jury.

Luetgert expressed no opinion of the result, but he appeared well pleased, as did his attorneys. He was taken back to jail with five minutes after the jury had been discharged.

Counsel for Luetgert yesterday afternoon gave State's Attorney Deneen notice that they would to-morrow make formal application before Judge Tuthill for the admission of the prisoner to bail.

Judge Tuthill will be asked to fix the amount of bail at $15,000, but Luetgert will enter court prepared to furnish bonds of $20,000 if necessary. State's Attorney Deneen could not say whether he would resist the application.

The wife of A. L. Luetgert disappeared from her home on the night of May 1, and her husband, who was the proprietor of a sausage factory, was arrested on May 1, and charged with killing her in his factory and afterward destroying her body in a vat by the agency of chemicals. The motive given by the prosecution for the alleged crime was that Luetgert was in love with another woman and wished to be rid of his wife. Luetgert was indicted on June 4 and the trial began on Aug. 23.

LORD SALISBURY'S NOTE.

His Reply Relative to Reopening the Indian Mints.

London, Oct. 22.—It was learned yesterday afternoon that Lord Salisbury's note to the United States Commissioners said that by far the most important proposal submitted was that concerning the reopening of the Indian mints, adding:

"The Government of India points out that it can hardly be expected to give up a policy which, for four years, it has been endeavoring to make effective in the absence of substantial security that the system to be submitted for it is practically certain to be stable. If, owing to the relative smallness of the area over which the bimetallic system is to be established to the great divergence between the proposed ratio and the present gold price of silver, or to any other cause, the legal ratio of silver were not maintained, the position of silver might be worse than before, and the financial embarrassment of the Government of India greater than any with which it has as yet had to contend."

Threw Vitriol on Two Girls.

Norwalk, Ct., Oct. 22.—Shortly after 6.30 o'clock last night Jennie Kinsella with some friends, was coming down Plattsville avenue on her way home from the Norwalk Mills, where she worked. Alice Troy, Maggie Troy, and Bridget Silk were walking together slightly in advance of Miss Kinsella and Mary Troy. Twenty feet from the Kinsellas' gate they met a man who peered at the girls ahead and passed. Then he approached the girls behind and looked closely into Jennie's face. Mary Troy says she saw his right hand move toward Jennie, and then she felt a terrible burn on her own cheek. She remembers clearly nothing more. Both girls had been burned with vitriol. Miss Kinsella may lose her eyesight.

A good-for-nothing fellow, known as "Tumbler" Kelly, was arrested by Miss Troy's brothers on suspicion of being the acid-thrower.

When policemen were taking him to jail Jennie Kinsella's sweetheart and and his excited friends tried to drag him from them.

Last night there was hot talk of lynching by the mill hands, and hundreds of them are searching for the perpetrator of the crime.

Appeal to Americans.

London, Oct. 22.—The Executive Committee of the Amalgamated Society of Engineers is about to send to the leading newspapers and labor organizations in the United States a statement, giving the details of the strike of engineers now in progress and declaring that the sum of $100,000 is required weekly to pay the men on strike and meet other expenses.

This amount, the statement says, can only be raised by subscriptions, and the committee appeals to the liberality of the American friends of labor to assist the engineers to defeat the employers' attempt to crush their organization.

Armstrong to Meet Maher.

St. Louis, Oct. 22.—An eight-round contest between Peter Maher, the Irish champion, and "Bob" Armstrong, the negro giant, is being arranged for by the St. Louis Press Club.

Armstrong has accepted, and if Maher agrees will go into training at once. The contest will come off Nov. 17 if ultimately arranged.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

(Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Cloudy, Followed By Generally Fair Weather Tonight and Saturday; Stationary Temperature.

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 58 Degrees.

COMING EVENTS.

October 22—Organization of Spanish class at Y. M. C. A.

October 24—Bible study rally at Y. M. C. A. at 4:15 p. m. Speaker, W. D. Murray. Special music.

October 25 William Blaikie at the Y. M. C. A. "How to Get Strong."

October 26—Entertainment Plainfield Mandolin and Guitar Club at Monroe Avenue church.

October 28—Illustrated missionary tour lecture by Rev. H. K. Samuelian for the Y. M. C. A.

NEW JERSEY EXECUTIVE PATRONAGE

Governor Griggs has made most of the important appointments falling within his official term. Next winter he will name six Law Judges and seven County Prosecutors. His principal State appointments will be Superintendent of the State Board of Education and Chief of the Labor Bureau. The successor of Gov. Griggs, to be elected in November next year, and to fill the executive chair in the calendar years 1899, 1900 and 1901, will appoint a Chancellor, three Supreme and two Circuit Judges, a Chancery Clerk, State Prison Supervisor and Inspectors, the whole Riparian Board, two members of the State Board of Canvassers, a State Factory Inspector, with other State officials and important boards, ten County Judges, eleven Prosecutors, and ten District Court Judges.

NEW JERSEY TAXATION.

The returns of assessable property in the State, compiled for the State Board of Taxation, show a total valuation of $812,616.240, an increase over last year of $15,211,738. Six of the twenty-one counties show a decrease. These are Burlington, Cumberland, Gloucester, Hunterdon, Salem and Sussex, all rural counties. Other rural counties show only slight increases. This is due to a depreciation in the value of farm land. The increase in the non-agricultural counties is quite marked, notwithstanding there is little of the increase due to personal property. In Union county the valuation is $37,975,600, an increase over last year of $1,203,500. In Somerset the valuation is $17,812,700, and increase of $54,046.

"Low: Foe of the Schools." Such is a headline in the New York Sun. That looks like a statement of campaign inebriety, since it was Seth Low that gave $1,000,000 all at once to an educational institution.

We wonder if the Republican Parrot will Crowell after election day.

Roger Murray got there in a hurry.

AN AFTERNOON OF WHIST.

Miss Bowers Entertained Pleasantly in Honor of a Friend.

An informal afternoon of whist was given yesterday by Miss Delphine Bowers, of Franklin place, in honor of her guest, Miss Emilie Oakley, of Rutherford. There were four tables and the afternoon passed very pleasantly. The first prize was won by Miss Maud Lowry and the second by Miss Mary French. Besides the hostess, Mrs. B. O. Bowers and Miss Oakley, those present were Miss Clara Brewer, of Illinois; Miss Mabel Coard, Miss Alice Coard, Miss Ella Murray, Miss Lulu Patton, Miss Arline Crane, Miss Mary French, Miss Maud Lowry, Miss Ethel Green, Miss Genivieve Daniel, Miss Ella Blish, Miss Covert, Mrs. George O. Stevens.

Home-made Cake Sale.

The Young Women's Mission Band of Trinity Reformed church will hold their first sale of home-made cake at the home of Mrs. J. Fred Mac Donald, corner of Front street and Watchung avenue, on Saturday afternoon, October 30th, from 3 to 6 o'clock. Orders for cake may be left at the store of G. L. VanEmburgh & Son each day, not later than Thursday afternoon, and they will be filled by the ladies. The band takes this method to assist in furnishing the new Sunday-school room of the church and at the same time provide their friends with delicious home made cakes, and they ask the liberal patronage of their friends.

The engagement is announced of Miss Etta VanBuskirk, of North avenue, and S. M. Seely, Woodbridge.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Miss Henrietta Bonnell, of Manning avenue, is spending a week at Asbury Park.

A baby daughter has been born to Mr. and Mrs. Langford, of West Front street.

Alfred Garland, of New Brunswick, was the guest of Plainfield friends yesterday.

William Jones, of Randolph's pharmacy, is enjoying his annual two weeks vacation.

Mrs. Leonard Bunn, of Elmwood place, has entirely recovered from her recent severe illness.

Miss Brewer, of Illinois, is a guest at the home of Mrs. Seymour G. Smith, of Putnam avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dryden, of West Seventh street, have returned from a trip in southern Maryland.

Gordon Burton, of Philadelphia, is a guest at the home of his father, C. W. Burton, of Watchung avenue.

Miss Minnie Floor, of Brooklyn, is on a two weeks' visit with Mrs. Richard Menzel, of West Front street.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Winckler, of Westervelt avenue, attended the wedding of a relative in Brooklyn yesterday.

Mrs. Randolph Dunham, of Madison avenue, who has been visiting her daughter at Cartaret, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Smalley, Jr., of Somerset street, have stored their furniture and will leave for the south next week.

Miss Lizzie Flanagan, of West Fifth street, has entirely recovered from her recent illness of appendicitis, and is able to be out again.

Mr. Hyer, of Orchard place, was able to be out yesterday after being confined to the house for a long time with a serious illness.

Miss M. G. Morse, of Franklin place, left this morning for Cranbury, N. J., where she will spend several days with Mrs. Charles F. Taylor.

Miss Sadie Randolph, of West Eighth street, attended the wedding of Miss Morris and Herbert Bowne, which was celebrated Wednesday afternoon at the home of the bride, Stelton.

Rev. and Mrs. Chas. Francis Taylor, of Cranbury, N. J., returned to their home today after spending several days at the home of Mrs. Taylor's mother, Mrs. A. E. Whiting, of East Sixth street.

TRINITY'S WOMEN GAVE A TEA.

An Event That Provided Pleasure for Guests and Profit for Church.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Tier, of Bank place, was the scene of a delightful event last evening when a tea was held under the auspices of the Ladies' Christian Work Society of Trinity Reformed church, for the purpose of securing additional money for the furnishing of the church.

As usual, the tea was largely attended by members and friends of the church, who lent energy toward making the affair a success. Mrs. E. T. VanWinkle, Mrs. P. M. Demarest and Mrs. E. H. Bird composed the committee in general charge. Benjamin LaVere was in charge of the musical portion of the programme. The hours were from 6 until 10 o'clock, and during that time the spacious home was crowded with people. At the door were stationed H. W. Marshall and E. T. VanWinkle, who received the guests, as well as their money, in their usual happy manner.

There were piano selections by Bert Harold, cornet solos by Benjamin LaVere, comical vocal solos by Harold Barret, of London, England, and selections on the guitarzither. Mr Barrett was obliged to respond to several encores, and his selections won admiration from all.

In the dining room Mrs. P. M. Demarest and Mrs. E. H. Bird poured coffee, and Miss Grace Smith, Miss Minnie Smith and Miss Gertrude Tier served as waitresses.

The decorations in the dining room were pink and white. These colors were obtained through the use of cosmos flowers, attractively arranged.

Mr. Tier very generously donated to the ladies' society the ice cream served, and they appreciate the efforts of the host and hostess, which materially made the affair the success it was. Nearly $25 was left at the door with those in charge.

Elizabeth, N. J., Oct. 19, 1896.

ELY BROS., Dear Sirs;—Please accept my thanks for your favor in the gift of a bottle of Cream Balm. Let me say I have used it for years and can thoroughly recommend it for what it claims, if directions are followed. Yours truly, (Rev.) H. W. HATHAWAY

No clergyman should be without it Cream Balm is kept by all druggists. Full size 50c. Trial size 10 cents. We mail it. ELY BROS., 56 Warren St., N. Y. City.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Mrs. Flaag, of Hasbrouck Heights, has returned home after a visit with Plainfield friends.

—Next Tuesday morning there will be a meeting of the Town Improvement Association.

—Ihren freunden und meine freunden und alle von uns werden gehen zu dem Spielkartenfest.

—Perseverance Lodge, Knights of Pythias, meets this evening and will initiate one candidate in the third rank.

—Next Tuesday an entertainment will be given in the W. C. T. U. rooms under the auspices of the committee on soldier and sailor work.

—Flynn Brothers, 318 West Front street, Schepflin building, can sell you shoes that are comfortable, economical and serviceable. All sizes; popular prices.

—The rehearsal of the Court Cards in the Spielkartenfest will be held tomorrow evening instead of this evening. Those taking part in that dance are requested to take notice.

—Rev. A. J. F. Behrends, D.D., LL.D., of Brooklyn, will occupy the pulpit of the Crescent Avenue church next Sunday, both morning and evening. He is a distinguished orator and divine.

—The Christian Endeavor meeting at the Park Avenue Baptist church this evening will be led by the new president of the society. Mrs. W. S Lowry. Rev. C. E. Herring will conduct a "Question Box."

—J. R. Blair, hatter, of Park avenue, has on sale a full line of men's fancy colored bosom shirts, which include all the newest novelties in colors. He also has all the newest novelties in high class neckwear.

—The committees who have in charge the reception and entertainment of the 300 delegates that are expected here next Tuesday to attend the district meeting of the Epworth League, are doing good work. All arrangements are now about completed.

—One week from tomorrow the members of the King's Daughters of Grace M. E. church will hold a sale in the store now occupied by Julius J. Stahl, on Somerset street. Mr. Stahl has leased the store formerly occupied by Titus, the baker, and will move there very soon.

—Marsh, Ayers & Co., the Park avenue wall paper dealers, have just received 25,000 rolls of wall paper suitable for all tastes and all pocketbooks. Their prices are low and they do first class work. They will be pleased to show you their styles whether you buy or not.

THEATRICAL.

Donnelly and Girard will make their first appearance in Music Hall next Tuesday evening in the spectacular operetta, "The Geezer," and promise their many friends and admirers one of those old-time enjoyable productions. 'Tis said the cast, with which they have surrounded themselves, is the strongest they have ever had and 'tis the largest company they have ever carried, comprising forty people. With special scenery for each act and magnificent electric effects, rich and handsome costumes of entirely new design, the play is said to be especially adopted to Messrs. Donnelly and Girard, for 'tis full of opportunities for comedy and all lovers of comedians know the ability of this clever team to find all the funny things there is attendant with new and catchy songs, sweet and cheerful music, and the cast comprises some of the cleverest artists of the day.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury.

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by druggists, price 75c per bottle.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Dr. Jones, of Grove street, is not much improved from a critical illness.

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THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Rev. A. I. Martine has been the guest of Plainfield friends.

C. M. Thorpe, of Plainfield, was in town yesterday on business.

Mrs. Isaac Laing entertained company from Plainfield yesterday.

James Bulkley, of New York, spent Wednesday with friends in town.

W. H. Terry is suffering with an attack of asthma which is very severe.

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Farlee are entertaining company from Bound Brook.

Samuel Merrill is laid up for a few days with a severe attack of hip trouble.

Rev. Mr. Hasbrouck, of Peapack, will preach at the Presbyterian church next Sunday.

Edward Bellis, of North Plainfield, called on former acquaintances in the borough today.

Lewis Bird and William Thiers, of North Plainfield, were the guests of borough friends yesterday.

Mrs. A. N. Randolph, of Washington avenue, has returned from a short visit with New York friends.

Mrs. Harry Swackhamer and her sister, Miss Fenner, were entertained by friends at Stelton yesterday.

P. V. Matthews, of North Plainfield, passed through the borough yesterday on his wheel making miles for a record.

Several members of the Presbyterian church attended the meeting of the New Jersey Synod at Plainfield yesterday.

A. N. Randolph and Adam Dealaman have returned from their hunting expedition, but they brought no game with them.

On the evening of Tuesday, October 26th, the Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church will hold a social and entertainment in the chapel of the church.

Frank Humpston and J. Newton Apgar will represent Wm. G. Holton Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., at the annual State meeting to be held at Trenton next Wednesday and Thursday.

SCOTCH PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Miss Louise Stillger is confined to the house with illness.

Mrs. Thomas Paff, Jr., is spending a few days with friends in Dover.

John L. Darby, tax collector, was around town yesterday distributing tax bills.

Mrs. Sarah Hinnman, of Catskill, N. Y., spent yesterday with Miss S. L. Parse.

Miss Squiers and Miss Adams enjoyed a run to Sprinfield on their wheels yesterday.

Mrs. Charles Grant, of Plainfield, spent yesterday with her mother, Mrs. Thomas Paff, Sr.

William Collins and family have rented the Ackerman house, on Park avenue, and will take possession November 1st.

The Book of the Royal Blue.

The "Book of the Royal Blue," issued by the passenger department of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, has made its initial appearance with the October number, and is, undoubtedly, the most creditable magazine of its nature published. Aside from being a model example of modern typography, it is most interesting as to its contents. A field for interesting literature is certainly offered by the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, because it is the oldest railway in the United States; is foremost in historical prominence, and is rich in magnificent scenery. The latter especially affords an endless scope for illustrations, and the magazine has started on its venture with all these points full in hand. Copies can be obtained by enclosing four (4) cents in stamps to the Advertising Department, Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, Baltimore, Md. 10-21-2

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WESTFIELD

VARIOUS BITS OF NEWS.

WESTFIELD HAPPENINGS SERVED UP TERSELY FOR THE PRESS.

Many People Go and Come in the Pretty Suburban Town—Items Interesting Because of Their Brevity

Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Smith are the guests of Mrs. James R. Ferris.

Mrs. Newton Hoffman, of Mountain avenue, has returned from a visit with relatives in New York city.

The Westfield Junior football team will play the Scotch Plains Juniors at Scotch Plains tomorrow afternoon.

Rev. Joseph Greaves will meet the Normal Bible Class in the Public Library rooms this evening at 8 o'clock.

The A. O. V. will take a bicycle run to Elizabeth tomorrow afternoon to witess the Westfield-Elizabeth football game.

Rev. George A. Francis and Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Conant will attend the Baptist State convention to be held at Trenton next Tuesday and Wednesday.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Congregational church will hold a business meeting and social at the residence of Miss Carberry, on Westfield avenue, tonight.

The social committee of the I. O. S. held a meeting last night and decided to hold a progressive hearts party at the residence of R. V. Hoffman, on Mountain avenue, next Friday evening.

John Kettyles, a well-known character, was arrested by Constable Chamberlain for being drunk and disorderly on Broad street on Wednesday afternoon. He was placed in the lockup to sober up and was then discharged upon a promise of good behavior.

The Westfield Club football team will play a game in the Journal trophy series with the Elizabeth Y. M. C. A. team at Elizabeth tomorrow afternoon. The Westfield team is now at the head in the contest for the trophy, it being the only team which has not lost a single game. It has defeated every team in the league except Elizabeth.

The I. O. S. held its monthly business meeting at the residence of Charles R. Foster, on South Broad street, last evening. A committee was appointed to organize a glee club, and the offer of Westfield physicians to give lectures before the club on the subject of first aid to the injured, was accepted and a committee was appointed to arrange the places and dates for the lectures. The name of William Bastable was proposed for membership.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist church gave a successful social in the church parlors last evening. The musical and literary programme began with a piano solo by Mrs. Charles Thorn; Wm. H. Ruth, Jr., rendered a vocal solo entitled, "On the Deep;" Miss Marie Simpson gave a reading, "Little Crystal;" Alfred E. Pearsall gave an excellent representation of Joseph Jefferson's tavern scene in Rip VanWinkle, and recited Will Carleton's "First Settler's Story." The Epworth League orchestra, consisting of J. S. Burhans, Herbert Pearsall, Lee Pearsall, Ralph Pearsall and William Townsend, gave a number of selections, to which Miss Allie Crosby gave piano accompaniments. After the musical and literary programme a social hour was enjoyed.

The Westfield Township Committee will hold a meeting in the township rooms this evening, and will probably announce its decision upon the application of the Elizabeth and Westfield Railway Company for a franchise to run its trolley line to Westfield upon the county road. The committee has already held at least one private conference upon the matter, and it is said that a member of the committee has stated that he does not consider the resolution passed at the citizens' meeting two weeks ago as an expression of the public sentiment. The resolution instructed the Township Committee not to grant a franchise for a trolley upon the county road. If the committee ignores the resolution and grants the franchise, it will be a case similar to that of a few years ago when the citizens at a special election voted about three to one in favor of having the town construct and own a water plant, and the Township Committee in opposition to the vote signed a contract to take water from the Union Water Company, which was then just seeking entrance to the town.

An Aged Cyclist.

Mr. Spriggs, of Newark, aged 83 years, rode his wheel to Plainfield and Dunellen last Wednesday and returned home yesterday. Considering Mr. Spriggs' age the feat is a remarkable one. He rides an old fashioned Victor wheel and makes excellent time. Last summer he rode a distance of thirty-four miles in four hours. While in this city he called on his friend Mr. Vanderhoff, of Front street, manager for the Atlantic and Pacific Tea Company.

Two Kinds of Stores.

There probably always will be two kinds of stores. One kind is conducted in the belief that the way to win trade is to make the store the best one for people to come to. In the other kind of store all attention is given to specious methods of drawing trade and little concern given to the interests of customers when they come.

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PLAINFIELD GOT A PLUM

CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1.

It had been generally understood that Rahway was to have the nomination for Coroner. Her delegation named Dr. Charles S. Holmes, of that city, and Mayor Fisk seconded it. There was a general movement of surprise when the Cranford delegation put up the name of Dr. Charles B McConnell. The vote was taken by delegations and the Cranford man secured 17 votes from Clark, Cranford, Summit and Linden. Dr. Holmes was declared elected, as he received the remainder of the votes. There was a hurried consultation on the stage between the leaders and then Senator Voorhees electrified the whole convention by saying that Dr. Holmes was not eligible for the office. Then he went on to explain that he held the office two years ago and the law says that three years must elapse before the same person can hold the office of Coroner. The former vote was reconsidered and then the Cranford delegation again named Dr. McConnell, the Rahway delegation seconded it and the nomination was made unanimous, Rahway expressing a willingness to give way to Cranford now that her chosen candidate was not eligible.

Ernest R. Ackerman, of Plainfield, was one of a committee of three appointed to escort the nominees to the stage. While they were gone, there were cries for more singing and Runyon and his friends again struck up the familar air. The song was received with great applause. It was repeated and the candidates marched in and they were tendered a hearty welcome, the Plainfield delegation being especially demonstrative in their welcome to Roger Murray.

Surrogate Parrott made a short speech and then Mr. Houston and Mr. Squire addressed a few words to the delegates. In introducing Mr. Murray, Senator Voorhees said that he was always busy and always doing some good. It's a very hard thing, he remarked, to get everybody in Plainfield to like you, but Roger has that happy faculty.

As Mr. Murray came forward the Plainfield delegation rose in their seats and gave three tremendous cheers and a tiger. Murray looked worried, but he pluckily began and thanked his audience for the nomination and promised to do all he could, if he was elected, to further the interest of the county. He would give every measure his full attention and vote according to his convictions. The delegates cheered him again and then the convention adjourned.

The Plainfield delegations were composed of the following.

First Ward—J. W. MacMurray, chairman, D. S. Dunavan, J. F. Buckle, R. I. Tolles, C. H. Herring. J. E. Flannery, William Douglas, Fred. Stack, H. C. VanEmburgh and Fred Beekman.

Second Ward—William N. Runyon, chairman, Nelson Runyon, John B. Dumont, J. Hervey Doane, Charles Smith, Robt. Guttridge, Wm. H. Drayton, John E. Keeley, Lewis Croom, Edwin H. Frost, Joseph A. Robinson.

Third Ward—J. Frank Hubbard, chairman, Charles J. Fisk, J. Caspar Kirkner, Ernest R. Ackerman, A. I. Littell, J. W. Murray, Jr., Spencer Conway, F. E. Marsh, B. Frank Coriell, G. J. Tobin.

Fourth Ward—William Newcorn, chairman, George W. DeMeza, Harry C. Runyon, Albert W. Demarest, James H. Stewart, Willam A. Westphal, Albert H. Leivers, Daniel J. Galbraith, Joseph Chapot, Edward McCray, Robert Lee, Alonzo T. Ayers, John Kavanaugh, Arthur Venable and Frank Nelson.

—Additional locals on page 3.

—By next week the new bridge erected by Dr. Cooley in front of his sanitarium on Somerset street will be completed.

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Golden Text: Whosoever therefore shall Confess me before men, him will I Confess also before my Father which is in heaven.—Matt. x: 32. Oct. 24, 1897.

19. "Whereupon, O King Agrippa, I was not disobedient unto the heavenly vision." When he heard one speaking to him from heaven, saying, "I am Jesus, whom thou persecutest," he could no longer doubt but that he had been greatly mistaken and that Jesus of Nazareth was actually alive and in heaven, and at once he yielded to Him, saying, "Lord, what wilt thou have me to do?" We cannot expect such a vision or a voice from heaven, but the word of God should be to us as much a voice from heaven as that which he heard.

20. "Repent and turn to God and do works meet for repentance." This he preached everywhere, proclaiming that God was in Christ, God manifest in the flesh, and that the only way to turn to God was to turn to Christ (I Cor. iii, 11), and then let your life prove that you had really turned to Him, for while no works of ours can save us, yet if saved by His finished work we will surely show it by our works.

21. "For these causes the Jews caught me in the temple and went about to kill me." Jesus was the cause of all their hatred. There are gods many and lords many in Christendom as well as in heathendom, but there is only one living and true God, who so loved us as to give His only begotten Son for us, and when we receive Him, He and His Spirit will be manifest in us and will provoke more or less opposition from the world and also from religious people who do not truly Know Him, for the carnal mind, whether religious or otherwise, is enmity against God (Rom. viii, 7).

22, 23. "From Moses and the prophets he continually proclaimed that it had been foretold that the Messiah should suffer and die and rise from the dead before He could be Israel's Messiah or a light to the gentiles. So also our Lord Himself, for Moses and the prophets set forth that His sufferings must precede His glory (Luke xxiv, 25-27). We receive Him, and by His finished work are saved eternally, but if we would reign with Him in glory we must be content to suffer with Him this little while, and by life and doctrine proclaim Him to all the world (Math x, 37-39; Rom. viii, 17; II Tim. ii, 12).

24. "Paul, thou art beside thyself. Much learning doth make thee mad." He had not been speaking the wisdom of men, but had been telling earnestly the story of Jesus, and to this day those who are much in love with Jesus and carried away with Him are accounted beside themselves. They said of Christ, "He hath a devil and is mad" (John x, 20). The prophets testified that people said, "The man of the Spirit is mad." "He that departeth from evil is accounted mad" (Hos. ix, 7, margin, and Isa. lix, 15, margin).

25, 26. "I am not mad, most noble Festus, but speak forth the words of truth and soberness." Yet these are the very words that are not palatable to men of the world. The time will come, is even now come, when many who bear the name of Christ will not endure sound doctrine. They have a form of godliness, but deny the power thereof (II Tim. iv, 3; iii, 5). Like Festus, they know all about it, but they will not yield to it and be obedient to it. They know all about Him who is the only Savior, but will not submit to Him or be ruled by Him.

27. "King Agrippa, believest thou the prophets? I know that thou believest." From verse 3 it would appear that the king was well acquainted with the Jews and their affairs and the promises concerning them and their Messiah, but it is not what we know that helps us, but only the knowledge we make use of. It is not the food we look at and can talk about and even prepare for others that benefits ourselves, but only that which we personally appropriate. We must receive Him.

28. "Then Agrippa said unto Paul, Almost thou persuadest me to be a Christian." Another translation is, "Lightly art thou persuading thyself that thou canst make me a Christian." The word "Christian," so common with us, is not a word much used in the Bible, being only found in two other places (Acts xi, 26; I Pet. iv, 16). The word "saint" or "believer" or "brethren," is much more common.

29. "I would to God that not only thou, but also all that hear me this day, were both almost and altogether such as I am, except these bonds." He was addressing the king, and the governor and the chief captains and mighty men, and yet felt that with the exception of his bonds he was better off than they and that what he had they might well desire to have. What could it be? What but this, that their position and honor were but temporary and transient, while he, though for a time their prisoner, was one with Him who was at God's right hand, a joint heir with Christ, a king and a priest unto God (Rom. viii, 17; Rev. i, 5, 6; v, 9, 10), and that he would surely in due time enjoy His heavenly kingdom.

30, 31. "This man doeth nothing worthy of death or of bonds." This was the conclusion of the king and governor, and the others as they went aside after Paul had finished. Pilate bore the same testimony concerning our Lord Jesus, and yet the Jews had Jesus crucified and Stephen stoned and James slain, and they would have killed Paul. Oh, how they hated Jesus of Nazareth!

32. "This man might have been set at liberty if he had not appealed unto Caesar." Shall we say, What a pity he appealed to Caesar? Or shall we say, "Yes, my Father, this is so, because that Thou hast found it good?" (Math. xi, 26, French Testament). Sometimes God does directly, and sometimes He permits to be done, but He always overrules and controls for His glory and the highest good of His people whom He unchangeably loves even in their perverseness. If Paul erred, as I think from the testimony, in going to Jerusalem at this time, the Lord still loved him, appeared to him and will surely get him to Rome, as He said.

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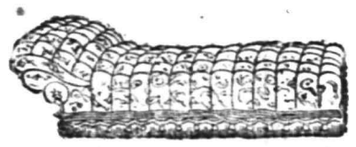

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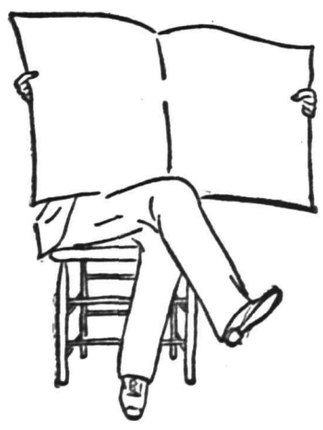

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Leave New York, foot Liberty street, at 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00 a. m.; 12 00 m., 1 00, 2 00, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 4 p. m.; 12 15, 1 00 night. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00, 9 00 a. m.; 12 m.; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 6 30, 7 00 9 15, 9 00, 10 00 p. m.; 12 15 night; 1 00 a. m.

Leave New York from Whitehall street at 7 00, 7 55, 8 25, 8 55, 9 55, 11 55 a. m., 1 00, 1 25, 2 25, 3 25, 3 55, 4 25, 4 55, 5 25, 5 55, 6 25, 6 55, 7 50, 8 25, 9 25, 9 55, 11 30 p. m., 12 10 night. Sundays—At 7 00, 8 55 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 2 30, 3 55, 5 25, 6 25, 7 25, 8 25, 9 50 p. m., 12 10 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 50, 8 00, 8 33, 9 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 9 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 01, 52, 10 08, 11 16 a. m.; 12 26, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 18, 7 55, 8 38, 9 03, 10 05 a. m.; 12 10, 1 15, 1 38, 2 35, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 42, 6 19, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 05 p. m. Sunday, 7 15, 9 05, 9 20, 10 35 a. m.; 1 10, 1 38, 3 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 20, 10 20 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a.m 12 11, 2 22, 3 35, 4 36, 5 03, 5 15, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 54, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p. m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 06, 9 55, a. m; 2 03, 3 39, 4 38, 5 30, 10 15, 11 14 p. m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35 8 13, 9 02, 9 48, 11 45, a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05 3 25, 4 25, 5 28, 6 08, 6 40, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05 p. m Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a. m; 12 05, 1 20, 5 15, 6 15, 7 53, 8 05, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a. m., 1 01, 2 11, 4 55, 5 16, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 9 06 a. m; 2 03 6 35 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a. m; 12 32, 4 04, 7 00, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 52 a. m; 6 30 p.m.

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7 10 a. m—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

9 16 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

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2 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, MauchChunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

4 55 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Scranton, Wilkesbarre, Tamaqua, Shamokin, (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

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6 39 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

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The said bill is filed to foreclose a mortgage given by Catherine H. McClure and husband to the Trustees of the Episcopal Fund of the Diocese of Newark, dated October 10th, 1893, on lands in the city of Plainfield, and you are made a defendant because you hold an encumbrance on said lands.

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MGR. SCHROEDER RESIGNS.

Victory for the Liberals in the Catholic University.

Washington, Oct. 22.—The Board of Control issued a statement late yesterday afternoon to the effect that the Schroeder case has been "amicably settled."

This is taken to mean that the board has backed down from its original plan of first discharging Schroeder and then letting the case go to Rome on briefs. It will now let the offending professor remain undisturbed until the Pope has passed on the evidence.

Washington, Oct. 22.—The Board of Directors of the Catholic University yesterday held fast to their contention that for the peace of the university and of the Catholic Church in this country, Mgr. Schroeder, the professor of dogmatic theology, must leave the institution. So firm were the opponents to Schroeder in their demands for his removal, and so strong were the influences brought to bear, that when the final vote was taken only one vote was cast in favor of Mgr. Schroeder's retention. This is the most notable victory which the liberal element of the Church has obtained. It is remarkable for the display of backbone by the directors. As told in these dispatches yesterday, they had determined to regard the cablegram signed with the name of Cardinal Rampolla, the Papal Secretary of State, and the Steinhube letter as unofficial, both of which represented that the Pope did not want Mgr. Schroeder removed, and in the face of these documents they proceeded to exercise their rights and prerogatives as the administrative head of the university, and demanded the resignation of the German professor.

TO BENEFIT AGRICULTURE.

Proposal in Germany to Terminate Treaty with Us.

(Cable Dispatch to the New York Sun.)

Munich, Oct. 22.—The Lower House of the Bavarian Diet yesterday discussed proposals made by Herr Ratzinger designed to benefit agriculture. The proposal included a denunciation of the "most favored nation" treaty with the United States, and, if possible, the similar treaties with other transatlantic nations, especially Argentina. Herr Ratzinger urged that new treaties should be negotiated, and an increase be made in the corn and timber duties.

Baron von Grailsheim, the Prime Minister, contended that the interests affected by the treaty with the United States were not so great as was frequently represented. The whole circumstances, he said, would be exhaustively considered by the proper authorities at Berlin. The treaty with the United States might possibly be denounced, but he was unable to say anything definite. The Chamber might safely rely upon the Imperial Government to protect German interests.

SHOT A NEGRO HIGHWAYMAN.

He and Two Companions Held Up Seven Men in One Night.

Altoona, Pa., Oct. 22.—James Lee, one of the three negro highwaymen, was shot mortally on Main street, Tyrone, about noon yesterday, by Policeman Simler, of Phillipsburg. Wednesday night Lee and two companions held up and robbed seven men on the road between Phillipsburg and Tyrone. One of their victims, David Bailey, was shot when he attempted to resist robbery.

A posse of citizens, headed by Simler, of Phillipsburg, and James Watchman, of Houtzdale, overtook the highwaymen in Tyrone. The negroes drew revolvers to shoot, but Lee was shot by Simler as he was drawing his pistol. The injured man was brought to this city. He is at the hospital in a dying condition.

Dispute Over Increased Wages.

Pittsburg, Oct. 22.—A wage conference between window-glass workers and manufacturers adjourned last night without agreement. The manufacturers were willing to restore the wages paid under the McKinley tariff, but the four trades represented in the workers' association could not agree on the proportion of the increase each trade was to get. There will probably be a window-glass "famine" this Winter.

Old Constitution's Birthday.

Boston, Oct. 22.—The one-hundredth anniversary of the launching of the frigate Constitution ("Old Ironsides") was observed in Boston yesterday by memorial services at the Old South Church and a parade in which the officers and men of the North Atlantic Squadron participated. The day was given up to the celebration, stores closing and the school children having a half holiday.

Distinguished Guests in Washington.

Washington, Oct. 22.—Princess Kiualani, accompanied by her father, Mr. Cleghorn, arrived in Washington from New York last night en route to Hawaii. They registered at the Ebbitt House, where ex-Queen Liliuokalani is stopping. Evangelina Cossio y Cisneros also reached here last evening in company with Mrs. J. Ellen Foster.

A Singular Death.

Myerstown, Pa., Oct. 22.—Prof. Samuel Miles Hemperly, a well-known instructor at the Palatinate College, met with a singular death yesterday. While pruning vines from the roof of a shed, he slipped and fell to the ground. One of the blades of the shears pierced his neck, severing the jugular vein. He died in a few minutes.

"Cyclist's Eye."

Paris, Oct. 22.—The Little Review of Practical Knowledge asserts that opthalmia is increasingly frequent among bicyclists, and contends that it is engendered by the dust and impurities raised by the wheel. It designates the affliction as "cyclist's eye," and recommends washing the eyes with a solution of boric acid and warm water before and after riding.

Hawaiians to Fight Annexation.

Honolulu, by way of San Francisco, Oct. 22.—Hawaiians opposing annexation have decided to send a commission of five men to Washington to fight the ratification of the treaty.

At least three Hawaiian societies support the movement. It is understood that J. O. Carter, a white man, will lead the commission.

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GOSSIP FROM GRIDIRON.

HAPPENINGS AMONG THE LOCAL FOOTBALL PLAYERS.

Games That are to be Played and Points About Teams and Individual Players That May Prove Interesting to Cranks.

Louis Darling, who was injured in last Saturday's game with the Long Branch boys, has recovered sufficiently as to be able to be around again and expects to resume his old place behind the line on Saturday.

The strongest team that ever lined up on the gridiron for Plainfield will be seen on Martine common, Election Day afternoon, when the San Remo team will play here. Among the cracks who will probably play on the Plainfield team on that occasion are "Shorty" Milne, Samuel Hall, George Cathcart, Tom Smith, and possibly Harry McGee and August Saltzman. They have been unable to get off from the business duties on Saturday afternoons but on holidays they will be able to line up on the gridiron as of old.

A powerful football eleven is scheduled to play the Plainfield A. A. on Saturday afternoon at the Martine common. They come from the Garfield Field Club and are well-known as a strong team, used to playing together, and with fast backs who have learned the game on the college gridiron. The team is partially composed of college boys and the rest are young Newark men, who are employed there or in New York city and spend their spare time at football. They come well recommended and have scheduled games with many of the leading teams in this vicinity. They are considered close rivals of the powerful Riverside Athletic Club, that held the Elizabeth A. C. team down to 16 to 0 last Saturday.

The results of the last game of the Plainfield A. A. were eminently satisfactory, although the association barely covered expenses. The Long Branch Athletic Club had a strong team and it cost considerable money to get them to come to Plainfield. They wanted a large guarantee, which the management had to put up, and then the other running expenses ate up all that was left. No charge was made for the ladies, of whom a large number were present, and that precedent will be followed the rest of the season, for the management consider them a drawing card and are very glad to extend the privileges of the grounds to them. With strong support from the townsfolk the club will be able to give the Plainfield public as good a game every Saturday afternoon.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Neuman Bros., the Watchung avenue grocers, have just received a shipment of 1,000 pounds of new crop fancy white clover and buckwheat honey.

—A special meeting of the official board of Grace M. E. church will be held this evening at 8 o'clock in the church. Business of importance will be transacted.

—At White's they will offer in their underwear and hosiery department some great values in hosiery and underwear for ladies and children. In the dress goods department they will offer a line of black worsted brocades, 40 inches wide, at half the regular price.

—Tickets for the entertainment of the Plainfield Banjo, Mandolin and Guitar Club, to be given at the Monroe Avenue M. E. church next Tuesday evening, are now selling fast, and those wishing to attend are advised to secure their tickets at once from members of the club, or from members of the Young Men's Association of the church.

Captain Rogers Dead.

Captain Ezekiel Rogers, who was well-known to many Plainfielders, died at his home in Waterford, Conn., yesterday. He was in his eightieth year. The funeral will be from the Seventh-Day Baptist church at Waterford Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

—The industrial school of the East Third Street mission will meet tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Lawyer William Newcorn attended a meeting of the Elks which was held at New Brunswick last evening.

LEADERS TO MEET HERE

STATE ENDEAVOR OFFICERS TO HOLD A CONFERENCE.

They Will Talk Over Work and Formulate Plans to be Carried Out During the Year in Ranks of Young Christians.

Plainfield is a favorite city for the New Jersey Christian Endeavorers. Now the different departments of the State Union of Christian Endeavor Societies are planning to hold their annual conference in this city some time next month. It is the custom of the departments to hold a conference every year at which the plans of that department are made and a general scheme of work for the year laid out. The meetings are held at the same time and place.

At the Paterson convention last month, E. E. Anthony, president of the local union, extended an invitation to the departments of the State to meet in this city this year. The invitation was accepted and the date will be fixed shortly.

Last evening, at the first fall meeting of the executive committee of the Local Union, plans for the reception of the different departments were discussed. The meetings will probably be held in the First Baptist church. A business session will be held in the afternoon when the different departments will arrange the work for the coming year. In the evening, there will be a public meeting at which the heads of the different departments will give five-minute speeches on the work of their individual departments.

A supper will be given to the visitors before the evening session and it will probably be held in the chapel of the Seventh-day Baptist church. A committee was appointed to look after the supper. It consisted of Miss Ernestine Smith, chairman, Mrs. W. S. Lowry, and Miss Florence G Hawkins.

Plans for the winter work in Plainfield were discussed and many of the suggestions made at the Paterson convention were repeated and their application in Plainfield discussed.

L. H. Biglow, Jr., gave a short talk on a systematic plan of Bible study that he hopes to introduce among all the local societies.

TALKED ABOUT FOREIGN CITIES.

Ancient Constantinople and Modern Stamboul Described by a Turk.

The fair sized audience which gathered in the Y. M. C. A. Hall last evening to listen to the lecture on "Ancient Constantinople and Modern Stamboul" by Rev. Hovhannes K Samuelian, a native of Nicomedia, Turkey, were given a rare treat. The lecturer is a graduate of Auburn Theological Seminary and speaks English fluently. His familiarity with his subject was evident, and the many views were excellent. Especial interest was awakened by the views of a Turkish school, slave bazaar and hippodrome, along with portraits of the present and former sultans. The lecture was so well received that a second lecture upon the subject, "A Missionary Tour in the Orient," will be given in the Y. M. C. A. Hall under the auspices of the association, next Thursday evening.

An Apt Advertising Idea.

W. Montgomery Smith, the well-known artist of advertising designs, who resides in this city, has just completed a beautiful design for the Ingersoll dollar watch, which will be used in a page advertisement which the company intend placing in the various magazines. The design is an exact view of the front of the watch alongside a time glass, with the words, drawn in bold and clear letters, "Always Even With Time." It is particularly appropriate and unique, and well depicts the talent of Mr. Smith to utilize his ideas in an apt and convincing way.

A SANITARY PLACE FOR PUPILS

Health Officials Say German Reformed Church Basement is All Right.

The Borough Board of Education last evening had a special meeting to devise some plan to permanently overcome the crowded condition of the school, but adjourned without action. The relief granted by renting the German Reformed church is clearly temporary as the primary departments are yet overcrowded.

It was reported to the board that a few parents had taken their children out of the school held in the German church because they had been informed that it was not perfectly sanitary. But the committee in charge reported that the Board of Health had, at the committee's request, examined the building and found it in perfect condition and had given a unanimous certificate to that effect, and this health certificate was presented and filed There are now forty pupils there. At present there are eight hundred scholars in the North Plainfield School. The two-session plan in the primary department seems to please all.

DINNER IN HONOR OF A GUEST.

Mrs. Charles Roberts the Hostess for a Social Gathering of Young People.

Mrs. Charles Roberts, of East Fourth street, gave a dinner Wednesday evening in honor of her guest, Miss Charlotte B. Strong, of North Hampton, Mass., that was marked for hospitality of the hostess and the sociability enjoyed by the guests. To make the affair doubly enjoyable the occasion was also the celebration of the birthday of the guest of honor. The house was festooned with white and pink roses and presented a charming appearance.

Among those present were Miss Genevieve Shute, of Fredonia; Misses Randall and Green, of Churchill, N. Y.; Dr. Olan, of New York; Mr. Bennett, of Philadelphia; Rev. Thomas Peterkin, of Fredonia; Messrs Brown and Franklin, of New York.

Told of Her Experiences in Japan.

The Woman's Association of the Congregational church held a meeting in the church parlors yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Green, a missionary from Tokio, told some of her experiences in Japan and pointed out to her hearers that there was much encouragement in the outlook there. A paper entitled "Luther Halsey Gulick, Missionary," was read by Miss M. G. Morse. Then tea was served by some of the younger members. At the business session, Miss Effie E Chase was elected secretary in the place of Mrs. M. E. Dwight, who had been elected president.

A Quiet Marriage.

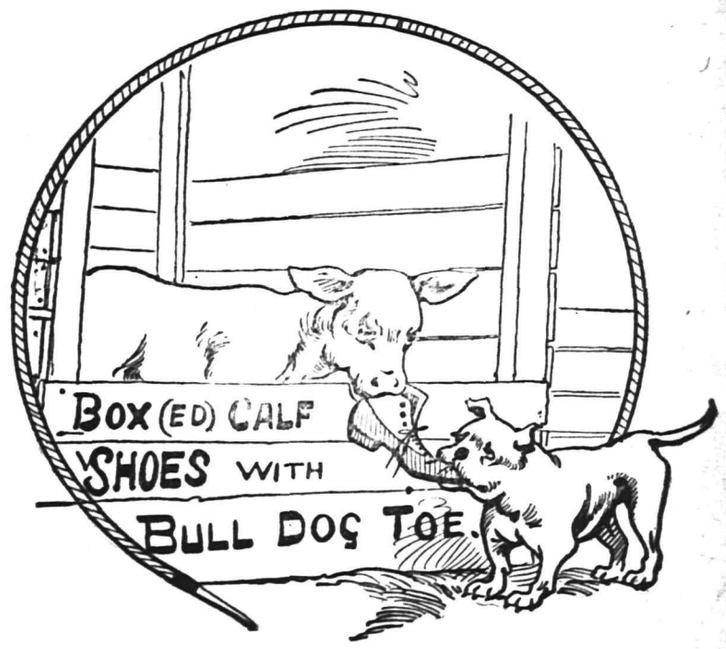
The marriage of Miss Lillian W. Ackerman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Ackerman of East Fourth street, to John Cooper, an employe of the Metropolitan Insurance Company, took place last evening at the home of the bride's parents. Rev. G. Kennedy Newel was the officiating clergyman. Mrs. Woolferston, sister of the groom, was bridemaid, and Mr. Hubbard, of this city, was best man. Mr. and Mrs. Cooper will reside on East Fourth street. Only the immediate relatives were present to witness the ceremony.

A Chestnutting Party.

A delightful chestnutting party was enjoyed yesterday afternoon by the Misses Saxton, Miss Margaret Coriell, Miss Laura Holder, Abram Holder and John Holder, of this city, and the Misses Gaskill, of Dunellen. The objective point was Dayton's woods near New Market, and everyone in the party secured a large supply of the chestnuts.

Charged With a Serious Offense.

Justice Clark, of Scotch Plains, yesterday issued a warrant for the arrest of Isaac Randolph, colored, of that place, who is charged with a serious offense.



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Men's box calf bals, calf lined, invisible cork sole, $3.

Rubber sole, English cap toe, strictly water proof, men's shoes, $3.

Milton calf bals, calf lined, bull dog toe, invisible cork sole, $3.

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California Evaporated Apricots 9c, 3 pounds	25c
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Fresh Hams	10c lb
Fresh Pork Sausage	10c "
Choice Spring Chickens	14c "
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Children's Knee Pants	150	1.00
" " "	1.00	.60
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Children's Overcoats	.35	.20
" "	4.50	2.18
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Children's Overcoats	6.00	3.98
Children's Suits	4.00	2.98
" "	2.98	.98
" "	4.75	3.37
" "	4.87	3.37
" "	2.75	1.98
" "	2.75	.98
" "	8.00	4.25
" "	6.00	3.87
Men's Pants	1.75	.98
" "	2.75	1.12
" "	1.50	1.00
" "	1.37	.75
" "	2.50	1.48

	Were	Now
Men's Suits	9.50	5.48
" "	8.00	3.80
" "	9.00	6.98
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" "	5.50	2.98
Men's Working Shirts	.50	.29
" Shirts and Drawers	.50	.39
" Neckwear	.50	.39
" Sweaters	.50	.18
Men's Derby Hats (large assortment)	2.00	1.30
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KERWIN FOUND GUILTY.

JUDGE DEMEZA IMPOSED A FINE OF $100 FOR ILLEGAL LIQUOR SELLING.

The Trial Held Yesterday Afternoon and Vigorously Prosecuted and Defended—It is Understood That it Will be Appealed.

After much delay and many postponements, the trial of Lawrence Kerwin, on the charge of illegal liquor selling, came up in the city court yesterday afternoon. The trial was held in the Council chamber before City Judge DeMeza and a jury of twelve well-known business men.

It has long been understood that there was an illegal sale of liquor being conducted in this city. The police were very sure that Kerwin was one of the offenders. Kerwin has a license in Middlesex county and his regular place is located at Dunellen. He also claims to be an agent of the Rising Sun Brewing Company, of Elizabeth, with the power of going about collecting orders for beer and then delivering the beer after the orders have been sent to the company's office at Elizabeth. The charge made against Kerwin in this instance is that he sold beer to George Gulanske on May 8th without an order being given beforehand.

At 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon the case came up for trial. Kerwin was represented by his counsel, Former Councilman Walter L. Hetfield. The city was represented by Corporation Counsel Craig A. Marsh. The jury was called and after several objections on the part of the defence, the jury was completed as follows: Olaf Saugstad, Laurens H VanBuren, Will F. Williams, Harry W. Marshall, James Manning, B. T. Barnes, Joseph Sattels, Fred Stack, Edward Petrie, Thomas Osment, John Hartpence and George Cole.

The first witness called by the city was Patrolman James Totten. He was present at the alleged sale and was the complaining witness. His story was that he was standing by the door of Gulanske's cobbler shop at the corner of Richmond street and Paradise alley on one Saturday night, May 8th, when Kerwin drove by. He testified that he called a young colored man who ran after the delivery wagon and stopped Kerwin. Kerwin then returned, the Patrolman went on, and the cobbler told him that he wanted a dozen bottles of beer. Kerwin went to his wagon and brought the bottles in a box, and in return received 50 cents, of which Totten contributed half. Then the bottles of beer were distributed among several of Gulanske's friends who were sitting in the shop at the time, while two bottles were given to Totten. These two bottles the officer testified that he had turned over to Chief Grant. The Chief then brought in two bottles which Totten could not identify positively, but declared that the bottles were similar.

The Chief testified that he received the two bottles from the Patrolman and had kept them locked up ever since. The Chief said that he was a poor judge of beer but, on testing the contents of the bottles, he declared the contents to be beer. Patrolman Totten also tested the liquid and was very positive that it was meant for beer.

The colored boy was called and told his part of the tale, then Leonard Bunn, who was at the shop that night, told of the arrival of the beer and remembered hearing Kerwin say something about that paying for the shoes and about their account now being square. Louis Peterson, colored, testified that he heard the beer ordered and saw it brought and that it was beer. Gulanske also told his story and said that he gave 50 cents for the beer.

The first witness for the defence was Kerwin and he was the cause for innumerable clashes between the lawyers. Mr. Hetfield constantly interrupted the cross questioning of Mr. Marsh and there were frequent tilts between them. The substance of Kerwin's testimony was that he frequently brought Gulanske beer and that he had intended going to his place that eventful Saturday evening when he was called. He admitted on cross-examination that he did not know how much beer Gulanske wanted that night until he went in and asked him. He said that he owed the shoemaker something on account for work done to shoes, but said that the price of the dozen bottles was 50 cents and he also said that he had received 50 cents that night. He told how his business was conducted and, on cross-examination, how it was possible to deliver beer to one person that had been ordered for another. Herman Beeker, collector of the Rising Sun Company, added but little to the important testimony.

The lawyers then summed up in eloquent speeches and the Judge charged the jury, who retired.

After the jury had been out for ten minutes they brought in a verdict of guilty, and the Judge sentenced Kerwin to pay a fine of $100 or go to jail for sixty days. It is understood that the case is to be appealed.

ENTERTAIN AND INSTRUCT.

AFFAIR GIVEN BY THE A. O. U. W.

Music and Literary Programme Rendered and an Address by Past Supreme Master Tate.

The entertainment and public meeting held in Reform Hall last evening under the auspices of Central Lodge, No. 48, and Columbia Lodge, No. 58, A. O. U. W., was attended by an appreciative and select audience. The affair was given for a two-fold purpose: to give the members and their friends a pleasant evening, and to instruct the latter in the principles of the order. Both purposes were successfully realized.

On the platform were seated the committee consisting of William Newcorn, Edward Mosher, of No. 48; Vincent W. Nash, John Bauersachs and Eugene M. Laing, of No. 58, together with officers of both lodges and visiting officers and brothers. The programme opened with a selection by the Ladies' orchestra, which was followed with a recitation by George Lees. Fred VanEps gave banjo selections, accompanied on the piano by William E. MacClymont. The next number was a well-rendered vocal solo by Mrs. W. A. Westphal, followed with another selection by the orchestra. Then followed a number of songs by Councilman W. N. Runyon.

The concluding number in part one was an address by Past Supreme Master Workman J. G. Tate, of Nebraska, who was introduced by Grand Master Workman H. S. Rutherford, of Cape May. Mr. Tate is amusing as well as instructive and he had little trouble in entertaining his audience. The principal part of his address was relative to the great benefits to be derived by joining the Ancient Order of United Workmen, and he told it in such a pleasant manner that he held the closest attention of all.

In part second there were mandolin solos by Fred VanEps, another solo by Mrs. Westphal and selections by the orchestra. The audience was generous in its applause.

Past Grand Master Workman J. W. Diefendorf, of Newark, was to have been present to make an address, but he was detained by illness. Among those who received the guests as they arrived were H. W. Marshall, N. C. Mague, R. H. Loughlin, W. H. Brokaw, Edward Mosher and a number of others, members of both lodges.

LEFT TO THE JUDGE.

An Intricate Point to Settle Over a Contract Dispute.

The appealed case of Charles Burnett, of this city, against John McGrath, of Berkley Heights, came up for trial on Thursday in the Morris county court at Morristown. There was so much altercation between the lawyers that the Judge was about to leave the case to a referee, saying that the question of law involved was one too deep for any twelve jury men to settle. The lawyers agreed to leave the case to the Judge alone, however, and the trial proceeded. The suit was brought by Burnett, the contractor from this city, to recover what he claimed was due for the erection of a barn for McGrath. The trouble arose over the fact that after the estimate was made the design of the barn was somewhat changed. The Judge reserved his decision.

An Epworth League Convention.

The annual convention of the Epworth Leagues of the Elizabeth district will be held in this city next Thursday. Services will be held in the Monroe Avenue church in the morning, in Grace M. E. church in the afternoon and in the First M. E. church in the evening. Supper will be served to the delegates in the basement of the First M. E. church. There will be a Junior demonstration during the afternoon.

A Bright Speaker.

Wm. Blaikie, Esq., who opens the Y. M. C. A. Star Course on Monday evening, has appeared in this city on three previous occasions. He is not only in demand as a lecturer but is well-known as the author of the book entitled "How to Get Strong and How to Stay So," which was given prominence in the course of the Chautauqua Literary and Scientific Circle. Mr. Blaikie is a bright and entertaining speaker.

Queen City's Anniversary.

Queen City Lodge, I. O. O. F., will celebrate its anniversary on Monday evening with an entertainment for its members and friends in Washington Hall. Admittance will be strictly by ticket. A number of professional entertainers have been secured for the occasion.

New District Deputy.

Mr. Borroughs, of Somerville, is the newly-elected district deputy of the Odd Fellows for this district. He was chosen at the district meeting held in Westfield last Wednesday evening.

CADETS TO TRAIN HARD.

MILITARY SCHOOL BOYS PREPARING FOR AN ACTIVE WINTER.

Accession of the Borough Boys Make a Strong Company—Henry Brower to Command—Captain Edwards to Instruct.

The Plainfield High School cadets are preparing to resume their active winter campaign. In fact, they have begun and the corps is now on a firm foundation with very bright prospects for the season which has just opened. This year sees the long-wished-for consolidation of the companies from the Plainfield and North Plainfield High Schools. The boys from the borough now come on this side of the county line and are regular members of the Plainfield company and drill with them regularly. The borough boys are considerably fewer in number than last year but they have increased the roll of the Plainfield company until it now musters over forty.

As usual, the company will be under the charge of Captain George F. Edwards. As regards the selection of the cadet officers a change has been made this year. Instead of electing the officers by ballot as has heretofore been the custom, they are appointed by the commandant, Captain Edwards, by the merit system. Last year's captain, George Proctor Smith, and the first lieutenant, Sydney R. Titsworth, have not returned and Captain Edwards has announced their successors. Henry W. Brower has been appointed captain, vice Smith, resigned, and will command the cadets this year. He took an examination in tactics and showed himself capable of assuming the position before he was appointed. First Sergeant Arthur W. Lederer, of last year's corps, has been appointed first lieutenant, vice Titsworth, resigned.

The selection for the other lieutenancy has not been made, although there are several candidates for it.

No regular appointments have been made among the non-commissioned officers. Second Sergeant William A. DeLong, Jr., is now acting first sergeant. The definite selection will be delayed until the ability of the different cadets can be seen at the regular weekly drills.

The cadets will drill every Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock. At present they meet in the school yard but on the arrival of stormy weather, the drill will be held in the Whittier building, the second floor of which is well adapted for such a purpose.

A Church Anniversary.

On Sunday, October 31st, the members of the Roselle Baptist church will celebrate its twenty-fifth anniversary with appropriate exercises. Dr. Weston, of Crozier Theological Seminary, will deliver a sermon, and other noted speakers will be present. The exercises will continue until Monday, when pastors from various parts of the State will attend and take part. The pastors of the Baptist churches in this city and vicinity will be among the guests.

A Novel Contest.

There is to be a novel contest at the meeting of Plainfield Council, Royal Arcanum, on Monday evening. A. E. Pearsall, Jr., of Westfield, is very certain that the graphaphone is far superior to the gramaphone, while L. B. Bromfield, owner of the grapaphone, is equally certain that the contrary is the case. The question will be left to the members on Monday night when both instruments will be shown at their best.

Interest at Volunteer Meetings.

Rev. W. C. O'Donnell gave an interesting talk at the Volunteer's-Hall last evening. The attendance was good considering the weather. Col. James W. Merrill, editor of the Volunteer Gazette, and Lieutenant Col. Crafts, of Volunteer Headquarters, New York, will take charge of the meetings Sunday at 3 and 8 p. m.

Borough Recorder Sued.

Milkman Charles Sage has brought suit against Borough Recorder Thomas for $100 damages for the fine imposed upon him by the latter a few weeks ago when he left his horse untied in the borough. The trial will take place before Judge Kitchen, at Somerville, next week Friday.

A Visit of a Former Pastor.

Rev. Jesse Lyman Hurlbut, D. D., at one time pastor of the Methodist church here, and long a resident of Plainfield, is the guest of Rev. W. C. Snodgrass, and will preach tomorrow at 10:30 a. m. in the First M. E. church. Dr. Hurlbut is one of the leading Sunday-school workers in this country.

A Bible Study Rally.

President W. D. Murray will address the Bible study rally at the Y. M. C. A. hall tomorrow at 4:15 p. m. Mrs. John Manley will sing, assisted by echo voice. A choir of mixed voices will lead the singing.

BOY BANDITS ARE THEY.

THREE YOUNGSTERS, IMPLICATED WITH ROCKAFELLOW, ARRESTED.

The Missing Goods Found Hidden Near Clinton Avenue—Lawyers Entered a Plea of Not Guilty—Held Them For Examination.

The three boys implicated in the story told by Ferdinand Rockafellow, regarding the Frucht burglary last Monday night, have now been captured and the police are satisfied that they have finally traced the matter to an end.

When Rockafellow was arrested for being concerned in the burglary, he made a complete confession telling what part he took in it and also giving the names of the other boys. His story was that he and Charles Westervelt waited outside the store and, it is assumed, kept watch, while Ira Riker and a colored lad, named Abram Connett, entered the back door of the store next door and found their way into Fruch's establishment by the way of the cellar stairs, breaking open the thin door that barred their progress. Then Rockafellow says that the stolen goods were carried out and a portion of them given to Soper to sell, which he did. The remainder was buried in a bag, the hiding place of which was known to the four. Rockafellow revealed the hiding place and Captain Grant found the goods.

It was learned that Riker and Connett were in town on Thursday night, but their hiding place was not learned until last night. Then the police were informed that they had been seen in the vicinity of the barn of Abram Cadmus, in North Plainfield, near Clinton avenue. The Chief and the Sergeant went after them last evening and found the boys, who were arrested without resistance.

Westervelt had disappeared at the first sign of trouble, but he also appeared last evening and gave himself up to Chief Grant who locked him up in the city jail along with the creeping and crawling things. Riker and Connett were also locked up.

This morning the three were arraigned before Justice Newcorn at the city court room in the lockup. Riker was represented by Walter L. Hetfield, and Westervelt by City Judge DeMeza. Both lawyers entered a plea of not guilty for their clients and the lads were held for examination next Friday morning at 10 o'clock. They were committed to the county jail until the Court at Elizabeth can fix the bail.

The colored lad did not seem to realize the danger of his position. He looked wonderingly about the court room but would say nothing and as he was not represented, the Judge held him for examination with the others. He was formerly employed about Frucht's place when it is claimed he gained his knowledge of the store and what it contained.

Rockafellow was released on bail at Elizabeth, last night. The bail was $500, which was furnished by George Cole.

Interesting Endeavor Meeting.

An interesting meeting was held in the Park Avenue Baptist church last evening by the Christian Endeavor Society of that church. Miss Adelia Runyon, J. M. Hawkins and Miss Brokaw, chairmen of last year's committees, told of the discouragements of committee work. Miss Spangenberg told of the encouraging features of the society, and new ideas for committee work were given by Miss Adelia Runyon, Miss Emma V Fish and David Runyon. The question box was conducted by Rev. C. E. Herring and proved a very helpful part of the service.

Reception to Missionaries.

The American Purity Alliance, of which Aaron M. Powell, of this city, is the president, will tender a reception to Dr. Kate C. Bushnell and Mrs. Elizabeth W. Andrew, around-the-world missionaries, at the parlors of the Y. M. C. A. building, Fourth avenue and Twenty-third street, New York, at 8 o'clock this evening. Dr. Bushnell and Mrs. Andrew will give an account of their personal investigation of State regulation of vice in India, and of the present revival of regulation in connection with the British army in India.

The Annual Institute.

The annual institute of the Plainfield Primary Union, will be held in the lecture room of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church on Monday afternoon beginning at 3 o'clock. An interesting programme has been arranged. We assure all a hearty welcome.

Joseph Berg, of East Fifth street, has secured a position with French & Thiers, the Front street real estate and insurance merchants

Rev. George Angleman and wife, of Port Richmond, are visiting Mrs. Angleman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Cory, of West Front street.

CAME TO BLOWS OVER AXE.

DISPUTE AIRED IN CITY COURT TODAY

Dora Parsons, a Paradise Alley Belle, the Complainant—The Judge Reserved His Decision.

There were a number of cases to come up in the city court this morning, but many of them were adjourned. Dora Parsons was the dusky heroine of the principal case. She appeared as the complaining witness in one case and the defendant in another, and was represented by John F. Brown, of Elizabeth.

The source of all the trouble was an axe, the ownership of which was variously claimed by three different persons, Dora, her father and her brother, Anthony. Dora went after the axe at Tony's house on Paradise alley and his wife, Helen, called names. Finally the two women scratched each other and then Dora went away with the axe. Tony went after it and brother and sister had a quarrel in which Tony was accused of assaulting her. S. S. Swackhamer was present to defend Tony Parsons and made an eloquent plea. The Judge discharged Parsons and reserved his decision in regard to the two women.

Morris Gallor, of South Plainfield, was fined $5 for being drunk and disorderly. Michael Bryan received the same sentence on a similar charge. Sentence was suspended on Emma Arrenson for being drunk.

COPS IN SHORT QUARTERS.

Police Officers Nearly Run Over by a Backing Coal Train.

The Plainfield police board came very near having to fill four vacancies on the police force today. Last evening, Chief Grant, Sergeant Kiely, Roundsmen Frederickson and Flynn, Patrolman Cash and Charles Westerfield were walking down the tracks en route to the hiding place of the lads who are charged with burglary. They kept a sharp lookout for a headlight but on account of a passing freight train did not hear the approach of a train that was backing along in the same direction they were going. Just before the train reached them Grant, who was behind turned and saw it. He pitched headfirst off the track with a yell to warn the others. Frederickson was precipitated down the embankment by his jump while Kiely and Flynn just escaped with their lives.

Visiting Tribe at Adoption Ceremonies.

A meeting of Miantonomoh Tribe of Red Men was held last evening. One proposition was received and the Hunter Warrior and Chief's degrees were conferred on one candidate. An invitation was given to Quinnipecac tribe, of Carteret, to be present at the adoption ceremonies next Friday evening. A committee was appointed to provide for the entertainment of the guests. Representative William Newcorn made his report of the action of the Grand Council regarding the funeral benefit association.

"Toby" Has Been Returned.

Toby has been returned. When the suit to recover the possession of that faithful equine came before Justice Nash, yesterday afternoon, Frank J. Blatz, of Murphy & Blatz, lawyers for the plaintiff, Mrs. Sarah Staats, declared that the suit had been settled. The defendant, Mahlon Mulford, agreed to return the horse and take his old one back again and also not to bring any action against John Staats who made the trade.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—A meeting of the Town Improvement Association will be held next Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock in the Y. M. C. A. building.

—Crane & Clark, hatters, No. 120 West Front street, have secured a large line of mill samples in heavy underwear. The prices are about half value.

—Elston M. French has disposed of eight of his lots in the vicinity of West Fourth street, near Hope chapel, and next spring new houses will be erected on each one of the lots.

—If you are looking for an investment, try the Plainfield Building and Loan Association. Books are open for subscribers to stock at the office of Lawyer W. R. Codington, corner of Park avenue and Second street.

—The Watchung Euchre Club was formed last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dryden, 929 Watchung avenue, and the club will meet every two weeks during the winter at the homes of the members.

—Woolston & Buckle, the North avenue decorators and wall paper dealers, received yesterday 1,500 rolls of the latest designed wall-paper. Several of the rolls are displayed in the show window, but the display in their new room in the rear of the store is something grand. The prices, too, are as low as any in the business.

PASTOR'S SIDE OF STORY

REV. P. S. GIBSON EXPLOITS HIS ARREST IN A PUBLIC LETTER.

Says He is the Victim of the Devices of Church Members, Who Are Bound to Drive Him Away at Any Cost.

The announcement that Rev. P. S. Gibson, pastor of the Mt. Olive Baptist church, would read a letter at the payer-meeting in the church last night, brought out one of the largest attendances in the history of the church. It was generally understood that the letter was to be about the trouble between the pastor and Miss Lucy Swan, who charges the pastor with a serious offense. After the prayer service, Pastor Gibson appeared and read the following letter, after which a collection was taken to help defray the expense of the case in court. In all about $19 was received by the officers of the church for that purpose. The letter was addressed to the Mt. Olive church, and reads as follows:

Dear officers and members:

Your humble servant wishes to make a statement before you tonight concerning a matter that has annoyed you for the last four or five weeks, which has now about come to a crisis, and as your direct attention has never been called to this matter I feel that I ought to make a clear statement of this matter to you, because it was you who called me and have supported me.

Firstly, I want to state to you the origin of this whole slanderous rumor as I know it. It originated from a sermon preached here in June last on the downward steps, etc., which was thought to have been an attack on a certain society, which is composed of some of our official members of this church. It was an insult as I learned to the whole organization. From that time certain men began to knife your pastor until he learned to dislike their ways.

Secondly, that spirit led to a tampering with the pastor's salary which matter was settled in form but not in reality, because certain men heard that the pastor was going to remove them from their official position, and they said then that they would remove him. So the plans were all laid, cut and dried to remove the pastor by fair or foul means, and in the little July trouble concerning a member whom we had to turn out, your pastor, after noting the different stories, said that the party who was in question was a professional liar if certain contrary statements were true. Members carried the statement back to the person who was turned out. Then for the first time the pastor's name came in question. Now, there are four men and one women who have stirred up all this confusion, when there is not three out of the five that believes the slanderous report which they are backing up by influence and money. Such persons need to be prayed for. I suppose they have their desired end now, but thank the Lord your pastor has not been locked up yet.

Thirdly, brethren and sisters, before my God whom I have got to face in judgment, these statements are all false from beginning until now. The fact is, if I am to yield to temptation I would have something to yield for. I can prove it by five members of this church that since 1895, if I went to a house where this woman in question was, I would not stay if she was there. I will confess that I have said some ugly things about the person shouting and annoying us in church which helped to kindle this flame, but brethren and sisters, believe it if you choose, since 1895 I have had nothing to do with those parties at no time. Now, brethren and sisters, I don't know how it will go with me, but don't you think that a man that has worked as hard as I have in three years and nine months, deserves your support, and if I live I am going to complete my four years. You know what condition the church was in when I took it. You know that I have worked, planned and prayed until now your church is second to none.

Fourthly, in 1894 and 1895 I walked these streets and avenues until today my feet bear marks which I will never recover from this side of the grave, trying to raise the $825 which was needed, of which $210 was raised in the church and $615 was raised by these hands, feet and head. Now, brethren and sisters, shall I, who has been your friend and pastor in the highest sense, be arrested and butchered up without your aid, prayers and protection? God will deal with those murderers to suit Himself. I shall ask the following favors: First, will you offer a concerted prayer tonight that the truth may be revealed tomorrow and that your pastor be delivered; secondly, will every member who knows of any truth which will help your pastor, tell it tomorrow; and

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BIMETALLISM DEFEATED

England Issues a Report on Senator Wolcott's Mission.

IDEA BACKED BY FRANCE

Official Documents Relating to the Effort to Have Great Britain Aid the Cause of Silver Made Public—Changes in India's Currency.

London, Oct. 23.—The Foreign Office yesterday issued the full correspondence, together with reports of the proceedings, in reference to the proposals made by Senator Wolcott, of the American Monetary Commission, to the British Government.

The correspondence shows that the United States made the following proposals to Lord Salisbury on July 27 last: The opening of the Indian mints to the free coinage of silver; the repeal of the order making the sovereign a legal tender in India; the placing of one-fifth of the bullion in the issue department of the Bank of England in silver; the raising of the silver legal tender from £5 to £10; the issue of one-pound notes based upon silver; the retirement of the half sovereign of gold and the substitution of paper therefor based upon silver; an agreement to coin annually a sum—not named—in silver, or the purchase of a sum—not named—in silver annually; the opening of the English mints to the coinage of rupees and the British dollar, which shall be a legal tender in the Straits settlements and other silver colonies and in Great Britain up to the limit; silver legal tender by the colonies and the coinage of silver in Egypt, and finally an agreement upon something having the general scope of the Huekisson plan.

France Backed Wolcott.

Conferences were held at the Foreign Office on July 12 and 15 to discuss the proposals with the American envoys, the French Ambassador participating in the discussion.

France announced her willingness to open her mints to unlimited free coinage of silver at a ratio of 15½ to 1 if Great Britain would co-operate with her, as in the plan stated in the foregoing.

Senator Wolcott announced that the United States was inclined to accept this ratio, upon which France insisted.

Baron de Courcell, the French Ambassador, suggested £10,000,000 as the sum of the British annual purchase of silver to fill the blank in the proposals, and Senator Wolcott approved the suggestion.

A Unanimous Refusal.

Sir Michael Hicks-Beach announced that the Government of Great Britain was unanimous in its refusal to open the English mints to the free coinage of silver.

The question of the reopening of the Indian mints was referred to the Indian Government, which on Sept. 16 returned a long and elaborate argument, culminating in a unanimous recommendation to refuse to entertain the suggestion. This reply was indorsed at the Cabinet council held on Sept. 16.

Lord Salisbury, in reply to United States Ambassador Hay, adds that it is unnecessary to discuss the remaining proposals until he is informed whether the views of the United States and France are modified by the decision not to reopen the Indian mints and whether they desire to pursue their negotiations under the circumstances, and also whether they have gained a more accurate estimate of the amount of assistance they had expected from other powers.

Lord Salisbury's reply does not mention a monetary conference or allude to any other proposal.

The Standard, in an editorial article on the Government's attitude to the silver question, will say to-day that widespread satisfaction will be felt because of the deadly blow the bimetallic craze has received and the decisiveness with which the British Government has extracted itself from a conference that would have been a mere waste of time.

The Daily News will say that the dispatch of the Indian Government puts an end to the bimetallic craze in this country, and adds that the amazing thing is that the home Government should have required so much elementary instruction from India.

FARMER BUNCOED.

He Pays $3,000 for a Farm to a Pretended Executor.

Middletown, N. Y., Oct. 23.—A slick-looking stranger buncoed Charles Van Duser, a farmer living near this place, of $3,000 Thursday afternoon. He represented himself as executor of the Bertholf farm, near Van Duser's. He said he desired to sell the farm to Van Duser, and offered to let it go for $3,000, a ridiculously low figure. Van Duser accepted the proposition, and, going to Warwick, forwarded a certified check for $3,000. He showed this to the executor, who declined it, insisting on having the cash. The two then drove towards the farm, and when nearly there they met a stranger in another rig, who drew a revolver and, covering both men, commanded: "Throw up your hands."

"Don't shoot this old gentleman; he's just got in to ride with me," said the executor.

"Let the old man get out then," was the reply.

Mr. Van Duser alighted and a box somewhat like the one in which his money had been placed was handed to him.

"That's not my box," he said, alarmed.

"Git up!" said each driver, giving his horse a cut with the whip, and away they drove, leaving the old man standing in the road. They were traced to a point near Sugar Loaf, a few miles from the Erie road, where the horses were found.

Mother Kills Her Child.

New York, Oct. 23.—Mrs. Katherine Smith, janitress of a flat at 770 Boston road, Morrisania, accidentally shot the youngest of her four children, a 2-year-old boy named Robert, yesterday afternoon. The child died a few hours later in Fordham Hospital. Mrs. Smith was arrested.

Mrs. Smith didn't know that the pistol she aimed at her little son in fun was loaded. He cried to her "Shoot, shoot, Mamma," and she pulled the trigger. The revolver went off and the bullet entered his temple. She was locked up, although ill.

DUN'S WEEKLY REVIEW.

Trade Is More Quiet After the Activity of the Past Month.

New York, Oct. 23.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade, issued to-day, says: "After the heaviest buying ever known in many branches during September and the first half of October it was both natural and desirable that a more quiet period should give time for testing the size and temper of retail trade and for distributing part of the enormous quantities bought. In textile goods the rush of orders went far beyond all distributive demand in August and represented great replenishment of stocks, and the similar rush for goods has been correspondingly great in other lines during the past two months. In iron and steel and in boots and shoes there was actual danger of a speculative inflation of prices such as was seen in 1895, but it has been avoided apparently for this season by the solid sense of leading men who regard a time of comparative quiet as essential to the coming and permanence of prosperity in their lines. As the buying for replenishment is partly satisfied and diminishes, there is some decrease in the volume of transactions, though at the same time the working force has further increased, the wages of labor have been in numerous cases advanced, especially in all woolen mills of Olneyville, R. I., where the rates of 1893 have been restored, and the foundation is laid more broadly every week for larger buying and business hereafter.

"Earnings of railroads during the first half of October have amounted to $14,869,634, and are 10 per cent. larger than last year and 2.8 per cent. larger than 1893, and all the classes except the minor Western roads report larger earnings than in 1892. With such substantial evidences of the gain in railway business it is natural that the long campaign to put down prices of stocks has been followed by an advance, averaging for railway stocks during the past week $1.35 per share and for trust stocks $1.37 per share.

"The iron industry waits, because possible production for the year has been practically ordered, while neither buyers nor sellers regard contracts at current prices for next year's business as quite safe.

"The severe decline in cotton to 6.12 cents from 8.25 cents on Aug. 30 is due to widespread confidence in large estimates of yield. It is considered that the prevalence of fever in Southern cities has much decreased deliveries, but it also greatly diminishes Southern speculation, which is at this season a potent force in sustaining prices. A natural consequence of the decline in cotton is the fall of print cloths to the lowest point in the history of the market, 2.37 cents, and cotton goods generally are easy with limited sales of staples. All woolen goods are firm, but there is no new business of note for Spring outside of dress goods.

"The produce market acted with as little apparent reason as usual. Although Atlantic exports of wheat were 3,576,607 bushels, flour included, and for three weeks of October 10,039,908 bushels, against 7,742,214 last year, with Western receipts not half a million bushels larger, the price advanced 2½ cents. Corn, with smaller receipts and exports, barely a quarter of last year's, declined a small fraction.

"The Treasury surplus gold fund of $151,000,000 is the largest since 1890, and banks of Eastern cities, holding $30,000,000 more gold than currency, attempt to employ it in current settlements. Another consignment of $2,250,000 gold has reached San Francisco from Australia. Failures in two weeks of October have amounted to $3,759,533, against $9,891,000 last year; manufacturing, $1,490,798, against $5,560,695 last year, and trading, $2,139,135, against $4,202,505 last year. Failures for the week were 224 in the United States, against 274 last year, and 36 in Canada, against 60 last year."

Cyclist Killed by the Cars.

Waterbury, Ct., Oct. 23.—Charles Fuchs was killed yesterday while trying to scorch across the railroad tracks on a bicycle directly in front of a train. Fuchs reached the West Main street crossing of the Naugatuck Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company just as a train left the local station for Naugatuck.

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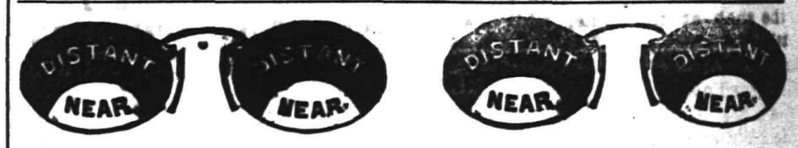

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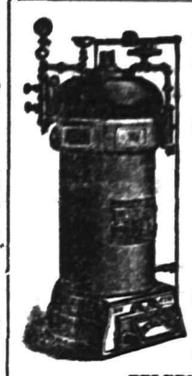

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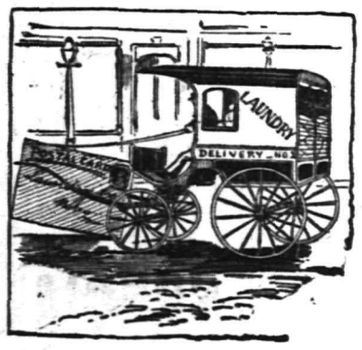

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Artificial preparations of iron, while widely used by physicians, are known by them to be inadequate. Strive as they would no method could be discovered by which this mineral could be dissolved so that it would not damage the teeth, rasp the stomach and fail of its purpose. Dr. Campbell recently discovered that bullock's blood and human blood contained iron in identically the same form. To extract this iron from the blood of the bullock and retain it in such form that it could be used by anyone was a difficult task, but to-day through science it is possible for the wornout man, the weak and ailing woman and the sickly child to have their blood reinforced with this vital element of life.

Dr. Campbell dissolved this natural iron and enclosed it in small pointed globes of pure gelatine which he named Capsuloids. In this form it is now sold throughout England in large quantities, being used in the largest hospitals and by the leading physicians in stubborn cases of anaemia, chlorosis, nervous prostration, nervous debility, indigestion, St. Vitus' dance, Bright's disease, locomotor ataxia and many other diseases due to impoverished blood.

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—At preseut there are over one hundred scholars in the kindergarten department of the North Plainfield Public School.

—Work has been started laying the foundations for the new bridge on Watchung avenue over the raceway. The foundations for the Sycamore avenue bridge are about completed.

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—A meeting of the Plainfield Camera Club will be held on Monday evening.

The Grandest Remedy.

Mr. R. B. Greeve, merchant, of Chilhowie, Va., certifies that he had consumption, was given up to die, sought all medical treatment that money could procure, tried all cough remedies he could hear of, but got no relief; spent many nights sitting up in a chair; was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery, and was cured by use of two bottles. For past three years has been attending to business, and says Dr. King's New Discovery is the grandest remedy ever made, as it has done so much for him and also for others in his community. Dr. King's New Discovery is guaranteed for Coughs, Colds and Consumption. It don't fail. Trial bottles free at L. W. Randolph's drug store. Regular size 50 cents and $1.00.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Councilman Harold Serrell and family, of Plainfield avenue, expect to move in their new house on Sycamore avenue in the borough, before long.

Something to Know.

It may be worth something to know that the very best medicine for restoring the tired out nervous system to a healthy vigor is Electric Bitters. This medicine is purely vegetable, acts by giving tone to the nerve centres in the stomach, gently stimulates the Liver and Kidneys, and aids these organs in throwing off impurities in the blood. Electric Bitters improves the appetite, aids digestion, and is pronounced by those who have tried it as the very best blood purifier and nerve tonic. Try it. Sold for 50c or $1.00 per bottle at L. W. Randolph's Drug Store.

James Brown, of Perth Amboy, is spending a few days with friends in this city.

A few weeks ago the editor was taken with a very severe cold that caused him to be in a most miserable condition. It was undoubtedly a bad case of la grippe and recognizing it as dangerous he took immediate steps to bring about a speedy cure. From the advertisement of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the many good recommendations included therein, we concluded to make a first trial of the medicine. To say that it was satisfactory in its results, is putting it very mildly, indeed. It acted like magic and the result was a speedy and permanent cure. We have no hesitancy in recommending this excellent Cough Remedy to anyone afflicted with a cough or cold in any form.—The Banner of Liberty, Libertytown, Maryland. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Patrick Marron, of West Second street, spent yesterday in Perth Amboy.

Those who believe chronic diarrhœa to be incurable should read what Mr. P. E. Crisham, of Gaars Mills, La., has to say on the subject, viz.: "I have been a sufferer from chronic diarrhœa ever since the war and have tried all kinds of medicines for it. At last I found a remedy that effected a cure and that was Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy." This medicine can always be depended upon for colic, cholera morbus, dysentery and diarrhœa. It is pleasant to take and never fails to affect a cure. 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

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A pain in the chest is nature's warning that pheumonia is threatened. Dampen a piece of flannel with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bind over the seat of pain, and another on the back between the shoulders, and prompt relief will follow. Sold by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

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SHAW IS THE SOLE HEIR.

The Doomed Man Will Get His Grandmother's Property.

Camden, N. J., Oct. 23.—The will of Mrs. Emma Zane, who, with her daughter, Mrs. Sarah M. Shaw, was murdered at their home in Line street, on Oct. 13, was admitted to probate yesterday.

Mrs. Zane was the owner of three houses at the time of her death. One of these houses she wills to her son, Edward C. Zane, and the other two, together with the residue of the estate and personal property, to her daughter, Mrs. Shaw, her heirs or assigns. The will also appoints Mrs. Shaw the sole executor.

The only heir of Mrs. Shaw, who met death at the same time as the testator, is her son, Eli Shaw, who is now in the county prison, accused of having murdered his two relatives.

Although Shaw, by the death of his mother and grandmonther, becomes the beneficiary to the greater portion of his grandmother's estate, his relatives and acquaintances are loath to believe that he committed the terrible crime of which he stands accused. He is 25 years old and has borne an excellent character. The evidence against him thus far made public by the authorities is purely circumstantial, but the police and the public prosecutor say they are fully convinced that the young man is guilty of the crimes.

SCHROEDER WILL RESIGN.

Says He Will Send in His Resignation as Demanded.

Washington, Oct. 23.—Interest in the case of Mgr. Schroeder was not abated in Catholic circles yesterday, notwithstanding the long and exciting contest has been settled by the conviction of the Monsignor of the charges filed against him, and the exaction of his promise to resign at the end of the scholastic year. He declares, however, in letters written yesterday, that he is between two fires. He cannot send in his resignation without being publicly vindicated against charges which he declares are false and calumnious, nor can he remain in the university at the expense of his health.

He says that if he is a stumbling block he is so because he has done what he thinks is his duty, but he realizes that on account of the sentiments and prejudices against him in this hour, peace will not be re-established without a sacrifice on his part.

MISS CISERNOS IN WASHINGTON.

The Cuban Maid Given a Reception Last Evening.

Washington, Oct. 23.—Senorita Cisneros' arrival in Washington Thursday night was in the nature of a surprise to Washingtonians. Mr. Decker was expected, but except to a very few intimate friends his plans were kept a profound secret.

The entire party are quartered at the Arlington Hotel, and spent the day quietly yesterday. The senorita is expected to visit the White House before long, and will doubtless be received by the President. Last night Mr. Decker and Senorita Cisneros were given a brilliant reception at the Columbia Theatre. To-night a popular reception will be held at Convention Hall, and a vast concourse of people is expected to attend. The hall will seat 5,000 persons, but arrangements are being made to hold overflow meetings.

KILLED WHILE FIGHTING.

Four Men Run Down While Struggling on the Track.

Altoona, Pa., Oct. 23.—Steve Kraus, John Voznek, Domineck Retznik and Jan Blatska, four miners, were run down and killed by a Pennsylvania Railroad train at Summerhill yesterday. The men were seen on the track a few moments before the accident engaged in a free fight.

So absorbed were they in their quarrel that the train rounded a curve unnoticed by them and ran them down. Coroner Livingstone identified the bodies by means of papers scattered on the tracks. Some money, contained in the men's pockets, was thrown up into the engine tender.

Stuyvesant Cleared.

Philadelphia, Oct. 23.—Sarah Young, the woman who on Wednesday made accusations against Marion Stuyvesant, now admits that they were false. Stuyvesant is the mulatto who was held on suspicion of being the murderer of Maj. William C. Wilson, the librarian, but who was discharged by the Grand Jury. The woman told detectives that she heard Stuyvesant threaten to kill Wilson. When questioned she said that she made the accusation for revenge, because Stuyvesant, with whom she had lived, had reprimanded her for drinking.

Paper Currency to Be Changed.

Washington, Oct. 23.—At yesterday's Cabinet meeting it was decided to change the designs upon the paper currency of the Government to make them more simple, distinctive and artistic. At present there are nine denominations of paper currency (Treasury notes, silver certificates and greenbacks), and twenty-seven different designs. Hereafter there will be but nine designs, and the various denominations will be worked by separate colors of the seals and numbers. The work of preparing the new plates will begin at once.

MINERS MAY STARVE

Reported Scarcity of Food in the Klondike Confirmed.

WHAT CAPT. HOOPER SAYS

Rich Discoveries on Minook Creek in a Much More Accessible Region—The Passes All Closed Now—No Change in Customs Laws.

Washington, Oct. 23.—Capt. Hooper, commander of the Behring Sea patrol fleet, who has arrived in Washington to attend the seal conference, says that the reports concerning the scarcity of food in the Klondike region are not, in his judgment, exaggerated. In the neighborhood of Dawson City there are, he said, about five thousand miners whose supply of provisions for the coming Winter is no greater than barely sufficed for half that number during last Winter. Great suffering would be the inevitable result of this scarcity of food. Although some of the more vigorous among the miners might attempt to get away on the rise of the Yukon, the chances were that a considerable number of these would perish from hunger and exposure.

All Passes Closed.

All of the passes were practically closed some weeks ago, and many hundreds of miners are now camped along the different trails with little or no shelter and with insufficient food supply.

Late reports, Capt. Hooper said, indicate that rich discoveries have been made on Minook Creek, a tributary of the Yukon, which empties into it about seven hundred or eight hundred miles from its mouth. If these new fields proved as rich in gold as is anticipated he thought the congestion in the Klondike region would be relieved as soon as Spring opened. Minook Creek is comparatively within easy reach of St. Michael's, as steamers have little difficulty in ascending the river to that point when navigation above it is impossible on account of low water. It was near Minook Creek that the last Klondike steamer was compelled to unload her cargo of provisions, so that the miners in that section are in little danger of the food famine that threatens other camps.

Big Rush Expected.

Capt. Hooper expects a great rush of people into the gold region as soon as Spring opens, and he has no doubt that the tales told of the immense gold deposits will be fully verified.

To Relieve the Miners.

Washington, Oct. 23.—Part of the big reindeer herd which the Government maintains in Alaska is to be used in carrying supplies up the Yukon River, and Secretary Alger, who has charge of the matter, hopes to have the deer at work this Winter.

Dr. Jackson, who was the originator of the scheme to establish a herd of reindeer for the benefit of the Alaskans, suggested that the animals could be profitably used this Winter in carrying supplies to St. Michael's. The views of Dr. Jackson and others on the subject impressed Secretary Alger, and after a consultation with Secretary Bliss, in whose department the care of the reindeer is vested, he directed Gen. Breck, the Adjutant-General of the army, to issue orders for carrying out the plan. Gen. Breck has sent this letter to Lieut.-Col. George M. Randall, commanding Fort St. Michael, the new post on St. Michael's Island, at the mouth of the Yukon:

"The Secretary of War desires me to inform you that the Secretary of the Interior has given instructions to his educational agent for Alaska, Dr. Sheldon Jackson, to send the one hundred reindeer in his charge, now within one hundred miles from St. Michael's, to St. Michael's and assemble them there. As it is not certain that the agent has been able to do this, the Secretary of War, with the concurrence of the Secretary of the Interior, direct that, if any or all of the reindeer in Alaska (there are about one thousand) are within your reach, and you think they will be needed for the purpose named below, you collect them, or as many of them as you judge needed, at St. Michael's, if practicable, or where they can subsist and will be available to you. If you should find it necessary and practicable to organize with them a means of transportation for supplies, employing the natives if you think advisable, during the coming Winter to relieve starving persons endeavoring to make their way down the Yukon, the Secretary of War directs that you do so, even sending as far up the valley of that river as old Fort Yukon, to relieve persons liable to die from starvation."

This letter was sent by mail yesterday in the hope that the Postoffice Department will be able to convey the mail to St. Michael's, though it is not altogether certain that it can do so.

No Change in Customs Laws.

Ottawa, Ont., Oct. 23.—The report telegraphed from Victoria that the Canadian Government had decided to charge a duty on every class of goods taken into the Klondike country, including miners' packs, is not correct. There has been no change in the customs laws affecting that country, and miners are still permitted to take in an outfit free of duty when not exceeding $100 in value.

Nick Engel Dead.

New York, Oct. 23.—Nick Engel, who kept a saloon on West Twenty-seventh street, near Broadway, which was much frequented by baseball players and sporting men, died yesterday.

Death occurred at Engel's home, 148 West Ninety-second street, of fatty degeneration of the heart. Engel was 54 years of age.

Pennsylvania's New Capitol.

Harrisburg, Pa., Oct. 23.—Henry Ives Cobb has been selected as the architect of the new capitol of Pennsylvania. He designed the Fisheries Building at the World's Fair and was one of the experts in architecture on the World's Fair Board of Judges. He has designed many buildings in Chicago.

Locomotives Sold to Japan.

Dunkirk, Oct. 23.—The Brooks Locomotive Works have just sold twelve Locomotives to the Kinshui Railway, of Japan.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

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Showers This Afternoon or Night; Fair Sunday; Cooler Tonight.

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 53 Degrees.

COMING EVENTS.

October 24—Bible study rally at Y. M. C. A. at 4:15 p. m. Speaker, W. D. Murray. Special music.

October 25 William Blaikie at the Y. M. C. A. "How to Get Strong."

October 26—Entertainment Plainfield Mandolin and Guitar Club at Monroe Avenue church.

October 28—Rev. H. K. Samuelian will give his second illustrated lecture for the Y. M. C. A.

Churchmen regard the Presbyterian Synod, which met in this city this week, as being a truly representative Christian body, and their session in the Crescent Avenue church as prolific of much good. The convention was considered a harmonious one as a whole. While there were some animated discussions, yet there were no differences of doctrine even in the background to cause any discussions. The showing of synodical home missions, the pet scheme of Synod, was excellent, not a voice having been raised against it.

If George is elected Mayor of Greater New York it will be a novel experience for him. For years and years he has been telling what he would do if he was this or that official, but it seems that the majority of voters have never been able to catch up with his ideas. Now, however, the voters seem to be trotting pretty close to the heels of the single-taxer.

The gross bonded indebtedness of New Brunswick is $1,500,000, secured by a sinking fund of $450,000. A re issue of $90,000 worth of bonds, paying 4 per cent, were sold at auction the other day for $103.41. This is the highest premium ever paid for New Brunswick bonds. That is a staggering debt for a city of 20,000 people.

The story of the Republican county convention printed in yesterday's Press was the subject of compliment among all the politicians for its fair, correct and localized details.

Everyone knows that there is humor in a political campaign, but just now it resembles the chorus of a comic opera—there are so many "fine figures" in it.

All hail to the growth and influence of Princeton University. It is the crowning pendant of New Jersey's cluster of splendid educational institutions.

Three political campaigns in four months ought to satisfy the yearning of Plainfield statesmen for excitement.

Henry George is worrying Tammany more than Low is troubling the Republican organization.

The brethren and sisters of Mt. Olive church ought to dwell in more harmony and happiness.

Bad Smashup.

A bad smashup occurred between a trolley car and the delivery wagon of Morey & LaRue's city laundry late on Thursday afternoon. The wagon was proceeding at a leisurely pace along West Fourth street, near Spooner avenue, when a car approached from the rear and crashed into it. The vehicle was badly damaged and was thrown upon its side against the curb. The driver, August Laggren, was hurled from his seat into the road and narrowly escaped being pinned beneath the falling wagon. He was badly bruised and cut about the head and body, and went to Dr. P. J. Zeglio and had the injuries attended to. Laggren states that the motorman of the car was to blame for the accident, as the bell was not rung to warn him of its approach.

Struck His Better Half.

Justice Mosher last evening issued a warrant for the arrest of John Ward, colored, of West Third street, upon a charge of assaulting his wife, Dolly Ward, on Thursday night. The couple attended the dance given in the Crescent Rink, and Ward, according to his wife's story, drank to excess, and upon their journey homeward he displayed a quarrelsome temper and struck his better half several blows in the face. In her complaint Mrs. Ward states that her husband has been in the habit of threatening her constantly, and she asks that he be bound over to keep the peace.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Charles J. McNabb has gone to Hartford, Conn., to spend several days.

Augustus Runyon, of Lafayette place, spent yesterday with his father at Dunellen.

Councilman W. N. Runyon received his last degree in the order of Red Men last evening.

Henry McCormick, of the street railway, is enjoying a few days' visit with out-of-town friends.

Franklin P. Noble, of East Fifth street, went to Mendham today to spend Sunday with his parents.

George Bogert, formerly of Plainfield, but now a resident of Pennsylvania, is visiting relatives in town.

Charles G. French, of Hackett, Carhart & Co., New York, will spend Sunday in Plainfield with his parents.

W. L. Smalley, Jr., and family, of the borough, will leave the city Tuesday for Ashville, N. C, where they will reside in the future.

Mr. Woodull, of the firm of Woodhull & Martin, spent Wednesday at his former home, Morristown, and witnessed the firemen's parade.

Frank Fulton, who has acted as clerk at Leggett's pharmacy for seven years, will leave on Saturday to accept a position in New York city.

George Weeks Sanford, instructor in shorthand in the High School and the Y. M. C. A. has been ill for the past few days and unable to meet his classes.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Volz, of Johnston's Drive, have returned home from Newark, where they attended the wedding of Mr. Volz's sister, Miss Emma Volz.

A letter received last evening from Miss Rachel Mair, who is in Africa states that her health is very much improved and that she may come home in 1898.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hall, who were married at Perth Amboy last Wednesday have returned to Plainfield and have taken up their residence on Duer street.

Rev. T. J. Chambers, formerly of German Valley, has leased a flat in the Babcock building where he has taken up his residence. At present Mr. Chambers has no charge.

Charles Willis and Edward Vanderweg spent Tuesday at Hudson, N. Y., where a reunion of the New York Engineering Corps was held. Mr. Vanderweg is a member of the Corps, and Mr. Willis was interested from the fact that his father was a member also.

John C. Whiting, formerly of this city, and now lay assistant to Rev. Howard Duffield, D. D., of the "Old First" church, of New York city, visited friends here yesterday. Mr. Whiting is just now busily engaged in organizing a young men's guild for the advancement of the interests of his church.

REVIVAL SERVICES TO BE HELD.

Grace M. E. Church to Try and Stir Up Interest Among its Attendants.

A meeting of the official board of Grace M. E. church was held last evening in the church, at which time it was decided to hold a series of revival services, commencing next Wednesday evening. Next Thursday the district meeting of the Epworth League will be held in this city, and the revival meetings will really start on Friday evening. A rally service will take place in the church on Wednesday in preparation for the convention. The services will be continued until Monday of the following week, and the Drew quartette from Drew Theological Seminary will have charge of the meetings They are fine singers as well as preachers, and their talents will be used in both directions. They will remain as long as Monday evening, Nov. 1st, and then other arrangements will be made for other meetings.

Rev. H. J. Johnston, the pastor of the church, and Dr. H. K. Carroll have the meetings in charge, with the assistance of the official board of the church.

TO INTRODUCE CANDIDATES.

Republicans Are Arranging for a Brief and Active Campaign.

The City Republican Executive Committee held a meeting last night and decided to shortly hold an informal meeting for the different candidates to have an opportunity to meet the workers of the party.

A new transparency was ordered with the names of the new candidates on it.

Edward J. Olssen applied to the city executive committee for an endorsement to his application to Congressman Fowler for re-appointment as money order clerk in the New York post-office. He claimed to have been turned out for being a Republican and old solder. A committee, composed of J. B. Coward, Sheriff W. T. Kirk and Judge William Newcorn, was appointed to investigate and report.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Curbing is being laid on East Seventh street near Park avenue.

—Stone Square Lodge, F. A. M., will hold a regular meeting Monday evening.

—James McCarty and family, of Elmwood place, have moved to West Sixth street.

—The painters have been improving the front of Cole's store on West Second street.

—The residence of L. E. Hart on West Front street was connected with the sewer yesterday.

—Next Thursday evening the Board of Education of North Plainfield will hold a regular meeting.

—Mizpah Lodge, United Order of Odd Ladies, will hold its regular meeting on Monday night.

—VanArsdale places on sale tonight a woman's button shoe, D. & E., for $1.50; an exceptionally good value.

—A stone walk is being laid on Pearl street next to the French property. The fence has also been taken down.

—The regular meeting of the board of governors of the Muhlenberg Hospital will be held at the Public Library on Monday evening.

—The Board of Chosen Freeholders of Somerset county will meet at the Watchung avenue bridge Tuesday, Oct. 26th, at 3 o'clock.

—Only three open cars are now being run on the street railway. The closed cars intended to take their place will soon be ready.

—Handsome badges have been ordered for the district convention of the Epworth League which is to be held in this city Thursday.

—When you want oysters cooked in all styles, don't forget Stephenson, North avenue. He has them just to suit the taste; also welsh rarebits.

—The New Jersey State Baptist convention will be held in Trenton next Tuesday and Wednesday. A large delegation will attend from Plainfield.

—Reference to another column in this paper will show the varied and interesting character of the entertainments in the Y. M. C. A. Star Course.

—City steam and hand laundry, 19 Somerset street, in connection with their laundry work, do mending. New neckbands, 15c.; new wristbands, 20c. a pair.

—J. J. Stahl, of Somerset street, will move today from his present store to the one formerly occupied by Titus, the baker, on Somerset street, corner of Manning avenue.

—The sewing school connected with the East Third Street mission is in session this afternoon. A cordial invitation is extended to all girls who desire to learn the art of making useful articles.

—The Plainfield Mandolin Club held a rehearsal at the home of Fred G. Smith, of Putnam avenue, Thursday evening, in preparation for the concert at the Monroe Avenue church Tuesday evening.

—VanArsdale has a shoe made for policemen, motormen, letter-carriers, or any other man who is out in all sorts of weather; a shoe made with a heavy double extension edge sole, broad toe and tip, calf lined. Best thing of the kind on the market.

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—George F. Brown, an old resident of the borough, has established himself at 43 Somerset street, where he will manufacture window shades, awnings, tents, canopies, etc. He was formerly engaged in business in New York and thoroughly understands every detail of it. His advertisement appears in another column.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS ITHAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Mrs. John Herbert spent yesterday with Jersey City friends.

Dr. Nelson, of New Market, is enjoying his annual hunting trip.

The women of the M. E. church held their regular meeting yesterday afternoon.

The women of the Episcopal church will hold a fair on the evening of November 9th.

The organ at the Presbyterian church was tuned yesterday and put in complete order.

A fair will be held in the chapel of the M. E. church on the evening of Tuesday, Oct. 26th.

Rev. A. I. Martine will occupy the pulpit of the Dutch Reformed church, Peapack, tomorrow.

Ludlow Squiers, of New Market, is very ill and slight hopes of his recovery are entertained.

Miss Bessie Benton returned today to her home in New York after a visit with friends in town.

Miss Fenner, of Pluckamin, who has been the guest of borough relatives, has returned home.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Presbyterian church will arrange a fair to be held Nov. 11th.

Mrs. John Wherely, of Somerville, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Swackhamer, yesterday.

Mrs. Mary C. Laing, of East Millstone, who has been visiting borough friends, has returned home.

Rev. Frank Fletcher will occupy the pulpit of the Baptist church tomorrow, morning and evening.

A variety entertainment was given in Friendship Hall, New Market, last evening, and was well attended.

This winter gives promise of being a lively one in this vicinity, so far as socials and entertainments are concerned.

At a meeting of the Raritan Ministerial Association recently held at Somerville, Rev. Frank Fletcher, of New Market, was elected as president. The association meets every month and Mr. Fletcher is the first Baptist to be elected to the chief office in a long time.

SCOTCH PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

The Jr. O. U. A. M. held a meeting last night.

Miss Emma Clark has returned from a week's visit in Lincoln.

Mrs. George Demarest, of Plainfield, spent yesterday here with her sister, Mrs. Myra Heath.

Frank Schwinefurth has made application to the court to become a citizen of the United States.

Robert Walpole took a hunting trip yesterday and returned with several squirrels and some other game.

Justice Clark has issued a summons in the landlord and tenant case of Hamilton against Elliott, returnable next Tuesday.

The fifteenth anniversary services of All Saints' church, of Scotch Plains, will be held on All Saints' Eve, Sunday, the 31st.

The case of Walpole against Kendal, in tort, has been postponed until November 3d, when it will be heard in Justice Clark's court.

The new railway station upon the south side is now nearly completed. The overhead passage-way is finished and a fence will be erected between the eastbound and the westbound tracks.

Judgments Awarded.

The contract cases of the Plainfield Beef Company against Warnock and the same company against Gilbert VanNest were tried before Justice Mattison, of the borough, and judgment was rendered for the full amount and costs in favor of the plaintiff. The lawyers for the plaintiff were Murphy & Blatz.

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TROLLEY ORDINANCE UP

TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE PASSES IT TO A SECOND READING.

Protest From Property Owners—Statement of the Road Account and Other Public Business—News of the Churches, Etc.

The Westfield Township Committee at its meeting last night took up the all important question of granting or rejecting the application of the Elizabeth and Westfield Railway Company for a franchise to run its tracks upon the county road in the township, and passed the ordinance to a second reading. Col. E. W. Hein, of Newark, secretary of the company, and A. A. Gaddis, its representative, were present in the interests of the ordinance, stating that they had secured the consent of the owners of a majority of the property along the proposed route, and that the company only asked concessions similar to those granted in Plainfield and elsewhere. Dr. J. B. Harrison offered the strongest piece of opposition in the form of a protest from property owners on Middlesex, Broad and Elmer stseets, which is the route the trolley people propose to take through the village. The protest was read and placed on file. The ordinance granting the franchise cannot be passed until after its third reading. Engineer H. C. VanEmburgh stated to the Committee that Contractor Johnston, of Plainfield, could not finish the work of curbing Broad street by this evening, the date set for the completion of the job, and an extension of time was granted. A communication was received from C. A. Smith stating that he had placed a fire hydrant at the corner of Spring street and South avenue, and requesting the committee to assume the charges for the hydrant as soon as possible. The monthly report of E. W. Chamberlain, superintendent of the sewers, was rendered, showing the system to be in good condition. Township Treasurer Morehouse made a report of the road account, showing a balance from last year's account of $850.94 which, with the appropriation for this year of $5.000, made total assets of $5,850.94. The expenditures for the year have been $3,925.33, leaving the balance on road account $1,925.61. The treasurer was authorized to renew a note of $1,000 for three months, and bills amounting to $991 95 were ordered paid. The next meeting of the Committee will be held November 5th.

Miss Florence Miller was given a party in honor of her seventeenth birthday, at her home on Mountain avenue, last evening. The time was pleasantly spent in games and dancing, and refreshments were served.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Congregational church held an enjoyable social and business meeting at the residence of Miss Carberry, on Westfield avenue, last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William B. Ostrander have returned to Omaha, Neb., after a visit of two weeks with Mr. Ostrander's sister, Mrs. S. W. Reese, of Elm street.

The Westfield Club football team goes to Elizabeth this afternoon to play a game in the Journal trophy series with the Elizabeth Y. M. C. A. team.

Mrs. McIntyre, of Carlisle, Pa., and Mrs. John Wagner, of Shippensburgh, Pa., are the guests of Col. and Mrs J. B. Morrow, of Park street.

A party of Westfielders attended the entertainment given in Plainfield last evening by Columbia and Central Councils, A. O. U. W.

The Universal football team, of Westfield, plays a game with the Scotch Plains Junior team at Scotch Plains this afternoon.

The A. O. V. Society took a bicycle run to Elizabeth this afternoon to witness the Elizabeth-Westfield football game.

Rev. Henry Ketcham will preach on the Fourth Commandment in the Congregational church tomorrow morning.

Nathan Mowrey has returned to his home in Little Falls after a visit of several weeks with friends in this place.

Mrs. Dodge, of Towanda, Pa., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James T. Pierson, of North Broad street.

An offering for foreign missions will be taken in the Presbyterian church tomorrow morning.

A. Willis Lightborne, of Dudley avenue, has returned from a business trip to Washington, D. C.

Miss Luella Bennett, of Elm street, is the guest of Rev. and Mrs Dyer, at White Plains, N. Y.

Mrs. Joseph H. Crosby, of Summit avenue, is visiting friends in New York city.

Mrs. C. W. Peek and Miss Peek, of Prospect street, have returned from Belmar.

Miss Bessie Knight, of Elm street, is visiting friends in Washington, D. C.

—Perseverance Lodge, No. 74, Knights of Pythias, at its meeting last evening worked the third degree upon one candidate.

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THEATRICAL.

Every theatre-goer will hail with delight the coming of Donnelly and Girard, who appear at Music Hall Tuesday. They present to us for the first time the greatest hit of 1897, the spectacular operetta, "The Geezer," the very funniest of all funny presentations they have previously favored us with. To try and explain the many funny and mirth-making situations in the amusing operetta would be impossible. Suffice it to say Donnelly and Girard have secured forty of the best people of the profession, with special scenery for each act, magnificent and costly costumes and the most improved of electrical effects, and will, with the accomplished aggregation they have comprising this company, give such a treat as they have never given before, even in the days of "Natural Gas" and "The Rainmakers."

The Society of American Dramatists awarded James A. Herne the palm for having written the best play of native life known to the American stage. "Shore Acres" has certainly proven exceedingly attractive and the sixth year of its existence finds the public still interested in the guileless humor of Uncle Nathaniel and love of Helen Berry and Sam Warren. The story Mr. Herne has selected to set forth in his New England idyl is extremely simple, but it is told in such a straightforward and honest way, that its very simplicity appeals to the patron of the drama and almost unconsciously one is made to sympathize with the characters introduced in the play, 'Shore Acres" will be given a satisfactory representation at Music Hall next Friday evening.

LINCOLN.

The first religious exercises were held at Lincoln last Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in a large spacious building, opposite the depot. Twenty-four men, women and children were present. After singing a hymn Miss Emma Egel asked S. D. Drake to lead in prayer. Silas like of ancient times was equal to the emergency. Mr. Drake then made a few remarks, saying he was delighted to see so many present, and it spoke well for the future of Lincoln that so many men should attend religious exercises. That in building a town, it was as building a house, if the foundation was built strong and good the building would stand, so if the inhabitants of a new town came together for religious exercises that town would grow and prosper, as God would help it. The following were elected officers of the Lincoln Sunday-school: T. W. Sheldon, superintendent; Miss Emma Egel, assistant superintendent; Miss Mattie Moore, secretary; Miss Gulick, treasurer.

American Whist League Trophy in Newark

The American Whist League challenge trophy, won by a team from the New Jersey Whist Club, of Newark, is now on exhibition in a window of the Lauter Company's piano warerooms, Broad street, Newark. The meeting of the American Whist League took place at Baltimore on Saturday last and the trophy, which constitutes the championship of the United States, was won by the Newark team after a hard battle. When it is considered that forty other crack teams from all parts of America took part in the contest, the importance of the Newarkers' victory is evident. The trophy, which is in the form of a handsome three-handled silver cup, fourteen inches high, will remain on view during the week. Messrs. Otis, Cameron, Eagles and Aymar were the members of the winning team.

—Additional locals on page 3.

—The trial of Wallace and others for fighting was adjourned for one week in the city court Thursday afternoon.

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Proceedings of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Union County.

[OFFICIAL.]

Regular meeting of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union held on Thursday, Oct. 7, 1897, at 2:30 p. m.

Roll call showed all members present—17.

The minutes of the previous meeting, (reading of bills being omitted) were on motion approved as read.

COMMUNICATIONS, PETITIONS, ETC.

From Jas. J. Manning, City Clerk, Elizabeth, as follows, viz:

Mr. S. Rusling Ryno, clerk of Board of Chosen Freeholders, Union County, N. J.

DEAR SIR: At a meeting of the city council of the city of Elizabeth, held on September 23, 1897, the following resolution was adopted, viz:

By Mr. Berry:

WHEREAS, the free flow of water through the old water course, between Orchard and Sayre streets has been almost entirely prevented by reason of the stoppage of the outlet at the southerly end of the bridge crossing Sayre street and the filling in with dirt of the water course leading therefrom to the Elizabeth River, therefore be it,

Resolved, That the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Union County be requested to notify the owner, or owners of the lands between the southerly end of the Sayre street bridge and the Elizabeth River, to excavate the filling alluded to, so that the water flowing through the said bridge may have free unobstructed passage to the Elizabeth river and be it further

Resolved, That the city clerk be directed to send a copy of this resolution to the chairman of the said Board of Chosen Freeholders.

Respectfully yours,
JAS. J. MANNING.
City Clerk.

Freeholder Brucklacher moved that the communication be received and placed on file, after some discussion it was so ordered.

From James W. Fink, County Road Inspector, as follows, viz:

Westfield, N. J., Oct. 6, 1897.

To the Honorable, the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Union County, N. J.

Gentlemen: The undersigned would respectfully report to your Honorable Body, the following report of repairs on county roads

Since report of September 1st., there have been 1,806 lineal feet of road repaired with 1½ inch stone; 10,368 lineal feet with 2 inch stone, 44,912 feet of road top dressed with fine stone, 17,960 feet of gutters cleaned; making a total amount of work on roads to this date viz:

3½ miles of 1½ inch work, nearly 2 miles of 2 inch work, 2¾ miles ¾ inch work, 13¼ miles top dressed with fine stone, 15½ miles of gutters cleaned, 1¾ miles of washouts filled. 15 miles top dressed with clay. The total expenditure for repairs on county roads to date is, $14,523 64. The work of repairing the county roads is still in progress.

Very Respectfully submitted,
James W. Fink, Inspector.

On motion of Freeholder Clark, received and placed on file.

From James P. Connolly, S. W. Whitehead, and ten (10) others, residents and business men in the vicinity of Broad and West Grand streets, and the Elizabeth river, in the city of Elizabeth, a petition, representing that prior to the depression of the streets under the tracks of the Central and Pennsylvania Railroad Companies, in the neighborhood referred to, the surface water in said vicinity flowed in different directions, to different outlets but since the depression of said streets, the surface water from Broad, East Broad, West Grand, Union, and other streets, flows into the said Elizabeth river, at a point near the bridge of the Central Railroad Company.

The petitioners further represented, that at every heavy rain storm, said river overflows to the great damage of your petitioners, and to the injury of the city at large.

The petitioners believed that one of the causes of said overflows was the fact that the bridges over said river, where the same is crossed by the public streets of said city, are too low, with arches too small to allow the water to run off rapidly. The Board of Chosen Freeholders was therefore petitioned to take some action with the city of Elizabeth, to cause the streets to be raised where the same cross the river, and to build such bridges across the said river, as will allow the water to run off in an unobstructed manner.

Freeholder Bruchlacher moved that the petition be received, and referred to the special committee heretofore appointed to confer with the Elizabeth City Council on bridge matters, which was so ordered.

From Louis Quien, C.E., as follows:

Elizabeth, October 6, 1897.

To the Honorable the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Union county, N. J.:

Gentlemen—The undersigned respectfully reports that Mr. John Rehill, contractor, has completed the contract of regulating and paving with macadam stone pavement, St. George's avenue from Lake avenue, Rahway, N. J, to the Middlesex county line, and is entitled to the following moneys:

To 5,467 sq. yds. pavement at 49c. yd	$2,678.83
Less 10 per cent. retained	$267 83
Less previous paym'ts	$825.00 1,092 88
Amount now due	$1,585 95
Amount payable by county	$1,785 89
Am't payable by city of Rahway	892 94
Total	$2,678.82

Respectfully submitted,
Louis Quien, C. E.

On motion of Freeholder Roll received and placed on file.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Freeholder Swain reported progress on matters relative to trolley lines on county roads

NEW BUSINESS.

By Freeholder Ehrlich:

Resolved, That $100 be paid to A. Gerlach on account, for building the bridge at Riverside Road, Rahway, N. J.

Freeholder Krouse moved the adoption of the resolution, and on roll call it was adopted unanimously.

By Freeholder Roll:

Whereas, There is some question as to the duties of the clerk of this board regarding the vacating of the ballot boxes used at the various polling places throughout the county at the last special election; therefore be it

Resolved, That the matter be referred to the county attorney with power to proceed to obtain an order of Court if deemed necessary, so that said ballot boxes may be had for use at the coming November election.

On motion of Freeholder Robison, the resolution was adopted without dissent.

By Freeholder Farrell:

Resolved, That an ordinance or ordinances be prepared by such committee as the director of this board may designate, relating to the protection of the roads of this county, now maintained by the county, as is provided for in Chapter 165 of Laws of 1897, and that said ordinance or ordinances be submitted to this board for consideration

Freeholder King moved the adoption of the resolution, which was seconded.

Freeholder King said his attention had been called to the chapter of laws as stated in the resolution and in view of the protection which would be afforded to county roads from many minor nuisances, he urged the adoption of the resolution.

County Attorney W. R. Codington read the chapter of laws referred to, which showed that the board had power to pass such ordinances as referred to, after which the resolution was adopted without dissent.

The director appointed Freeholders Farrell, King and Brucklacher as a committee to prepare the ordinance provided for in the resolution.

By Freeholder Farrell:

Resolved, That the bill of John Rehill for paving St. George's avenue when said bill is properly audited, be paid to the extent of $693.01.

Freeholder King moved the adoption of the resolution, and on roll call it was adopted unanimously.

By Freeholder Littell:

Resolved, That when this board adjourn, it adjourns to meet on Thursday, October 14th, 1897, at 2:30 p. m.

On motion of Freeholder Brucklacher, the resolution was adopted without dissent.

Freeholder Littell stated that his attention had been called to a matter of common report, relative to the crossing of the county road at Aldene by steam or electricity or both. He was not aware that permission had been asked of the Board of Chosen Freeholders to make such crossing, and he thought the matter was of sufficient importance to justify such action being taken, as would determine the county's rights in such matters, he therefore moved that the matter be referred to the county attorney for investigation, which was so ordered.

The following bills, audited and approved, were read and on roll-call ordered paid, viz:

Members' Pay Account—J. Martin Roll $138 80, W. H. Swain $40, Jas. A. Burnett $51 50, Addison S. Clark $44, J. F. Wahl $32, Geo. W. Little $94, James C. Ogden $66 55, Benjamin King $82, Henry Krouse $38, W. H. Hulskamper $46, Frank Miller $42.

Committee Expense Account—W. H. Barton $6, Addison S Clark $3.30, Benjamin King $5 52, W. H. Swain $14 40, J. F. Wahl $7.75, Henry Krouse $5.70, J. Martin Roll $54, M. E. Tatham $9.25.

Schools Account—B. Holmes, $200.

Salary Account—E. M. Wood $125, S. Ruslin Ryno $25.

Stationery Account—John C. Rankin Co., $109 20.

Publication Account—Freie Press Publishing Co. $25.

Elections Account—I. M. Hewitt $5, S Rusling Ryno $35, Advocate Publishing Co. $28 50, Chas. A. Lehmann $108.75.

Jail Account—Wm. H. Neefus $74 08, James O. Brokaw $14.25, Henry J. Schmidt $15 40, Thos. B. Smith $6.85, J. W. Hildebrandt & Co. $102 08, J. P. Hanifin $40.40.

Public Buildings Account—The N. Y. & N. J. Telephone Co. $4.25, $50, $23.50, $29.50, Wm. Meyer $14.67, Diehl Manufacturing Co. $58, Hall & Carlton $1,466.50, John C. Blore $26 80, Wm. B. Tucker, attorney $23 38, Mulford Coal & Lumber Co. $1 52, $9 60, $15.40, J. P. Brophy $35, Elizabethtown Gas Light Co. $72.15, Frederick W. Brucklacher $12.43, Elizabeth Telephone Co. $28.79, Protection Engine Co. $50.

Incidentals Account—Advocate Publishing Co. $20, Louis Quien $64, $97, $75.50, Wm. S. Smith $35, Wm. Howard $940 80. Egineering News Publishing Co. $14.40, D. K. Ryno, $45, $140.

County Road Repairs Account—Louis Quien $18, Commonwealth Quarry Co. $19.72, $53 06, Jas. W. Fink $60, H. L Fink $4 15, A. F. Huffman $106 45, Wm. H. Weldon $1,006 91, $4,238.16, $477.49, Stewart Hartshorne $314.41, Ira Woodruff $62.40, $149.45, Wahl & Hetfield $552 06.

Court Account—Wm. T. Kirk, sheriff, $289 80, Geo. R. Rockafellow $26.80, $3 65, E. D. Moffett $8 90, Henry J Schoppe $15, James Ritchie $75 Fred C. Marsh $250, T. J. McCormick $391.67, John Keron $115, John Keron & Son $136, Wm. Howard $133.72; W. W. Mindell $14 55.

Bridge Account—Lawrence Dumbach $22.50, Wm. Chamberlain & Son $23.65, Louis Quien $8; J. Bryant $12, F. B Ham $5, Everett & Pierson, $113 26, C. C. Winckle $8, Chas. J. Fox $21.14, $19.97, Louis Quien $18, $20, David Busch $51.11, James Halley $148, Wm. R. Ogden $10, J. P. Glasby $126.75, John Sheridan $390, Chas Thorn $9 98, Wm. H Terry $17, Chas. Trents $36 75, David Bowden $51, Smith Roll $75 50, George H. M. Krouse, $12.50, John Conrad $25, Wm T. Kirk $736, Edward A. Bauer, $42, C B Trimmer $55, $25, A F. Clark $34.84, Frank Ellis $2 50, Jas. Reilly $8 75, Charles Ellis $4, Robert Clark $20, D. W Day & Son $81 90, John Maxwell $14 31, P. W. Young $1.88, Wm. Farrier $500, William. T. Kirk $2,000, Boice, Runyon & Co, $14 55, Wm. H. Brokaw $41.15, Wm. H. Smith $135.43, Jacob Stell, Street Commissioner, $20, C. E. Hatfield $24.90, C. W. Schomp $11, John S. Parssell $7 75, Frank Murphy $130.25, Wm. H. Briant $23 14, Peter Depue $23 45, Work & O'Donnell $21.94, Louis Quien $48, Henry C Dow $63.35, James G. Moore $17.25, $815, Noah Woodruff $90, T. C. Faltoute $8 50, J. B. Miller $22 42, John T. Lightfoot $7, M Perrine $15, M. V. B Clark $24. C H. French $5, John Nestor $9, $12 50, J. M. Leidley $34.15, Louis Quien $43.

Freeholder Krouse moved to adjourn, which was carried.

The Director declared the board adjourned until Thursday, October 14, 1897, at 2:30 p. m.

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4th Tuesday of November

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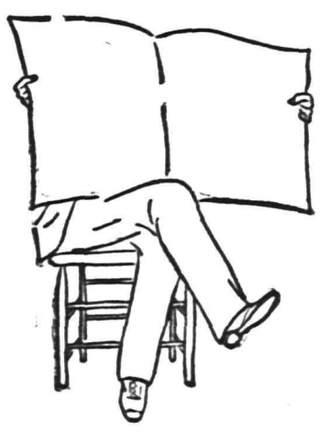

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Notice is hereby given that the several Boards of Registry and Election of the City of Plainfield will meet at the various polling places in the said City on

Tuesday, the 12th Day of October,

1897, at 10 o'clock in the morning and continue in session, (recess from 1 to 2 o'clock,) until 9 o'clock in the evening, for the purpose of making such registration of voters and that the said Boards of Registry and Election shall also meet on

Tuesday, the 26th Day of October,

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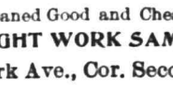

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Washington, Oct. 23.—If, as announced in the Madrid dispatches, the answer of Spain to Minister Woodford's communication is in the form of a demand that the United States Government put an end to filibustering expeditions to Cuba, it will provoke a sharp rejoinder from Secretary Sherman. A more irritating reply could hardly be made by Spain than one which attempts to put upon the United States the responsibility for the prolongation of the Cuban struggle. In the face of a clamorously expressed public resentment, this Government has refrained from any recognition of or active sympathy with the Cuban insurgents, and the power of the Government has been used to prevent filibustering to an extent far beyond what Congress has regarded as warranted, even if American sympathies had been with Spain. For Spain to demand still more effective police service of this Government, and to attempt to fix on the United States the responsibility for the strength and endurance of the rebellion, will be irritating, even exasperating, to the Administration.

Will Be Resented.

Those who thoroughly understand the President's attitude in this matter know that he and his Secretary of State are neither timid nor vacilating, nor are they amiable beyond the demands of propriety. If Sagasta shall make any such demand as the Madrid dispatches outline, Spanish sensibilities will receive a shock in the prompt rejoinder which will be made. The suggestion that this Government has been insincere in the efforts to prevent filibustering and that the Administration is conniving at violations of the neutrality law will be regarded as an insult not to be passed by without notice. Such an imputation will be promptly resented and Spain will be reminded of the forbearance of the American Government and people, who have not only been horrified by the deeds of barbarity on the island of Cuba, but have endured the insulting insinuations and hostile demonstrations of the Spanish, the imprisonment of American citizens in Cuba and the utter disregard and even malicious injury to American interests, while American naval vessels and vessels of the revenue marine have at great expenditure of money and energy been performing police duty at the behest of the Spanish Minister at Washington. This statement of facts will be coupled with a very clear intimation that there is an end to American toleration.

The facts of the case make the insulting suggestion of insincerity conveyed in Sagasta's alleged reply peculiarly exasperating. Senor Dupuy de Lome, the Spanish Minister at Washington, has during the entire period of the Cuban rebellion had spies located at every port along the Atlantic coast, from which an expedition might be sent, and in many of the large cities of the country where it was known that strong sympathy with the Cuban insurgents existed. Upon the least suspicion of a movement in behalf of the insurgents he has called upon the Administration, both during Mr. Cleveland's term and since the advent of President McKinley, to use the strong arm of the Government to suppress the Cuban sympathizers. He has demanded the prosecution of American seamen and has employed the Federal officials in police service. He has had vessels of the American navy and revenue-cutter service sent on wild-goose chases up and down and round and about the Atlantic coast, following some imaginary filibustering expedition.

Time and Money Spent.

Frequently these vessels have been called into service on nothing more than vague suspicion, suggested to Senor Dupuy de Lome by some of his spies, and to comply with the Spanish demands has cost upward of $2,000,000 and has involved great annoyance, even hardship, to American citizens, besides offending public sentiment.

If Sagasta makes any such reply to Minister Woodford as is indicated from the Madrid dispatches, these facts will be laid before him in very plain language. The suggestion that the President can do more than has been done in the interest of Spain will be indignantly repelled, and the Spanish Government will be given to understand that this condition of affairs cannot much longer be tolerated.

Gen. Miles' Report.

Washington, Oct. 23.—Gen. Miles' report to Secretary Alger of the operations of the army for the year ending June 30, 1897, was made public yesterday. It reviews the recommendations of the department commanders and closes with the renewal of the suggestion made by Gen. Schofield and other commanders that the strength of the army be fixed at a figure ranging from a maximum of one soldier for every 1,000 population to a minimum of one for every 2,000 of the population. Gen. Miles unites with Gen. Wilson, chief of engineers, in the recommendation that the expenditure for coast defences be put under the direction of the Secretary of War, without regard to the contract system of improvements.

Mrs. J. W. Forney Dead.

Philadelphia, Oct. 23.—Mrs. G. W. Forney, who died at her home in this city yesterday morning of apoplexy, was the widow of Col. John W. Forney, the politician and owner of the Washington Chronicle and the Philadelphia Press. She was 77 years of age and was a leader of Washington society during President Pierce's Administration.

Big Guarantee Offered.

New York, Oct. 23.—The Active A. C., of Maspeth, through its matchmaker, P. Dougherty, has offered 60 per cent. of the gross receipts or a guarantee of $20,000 for a fight between Peter Maher and Jim Corbett. If the Corbett-Maher fight cannot be secured the same offer is open to Maher and Gus Ruhlin or Maher and Tut Ryan.

PASTOR'S SIDE OF STORY

CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1.

as your pastor has to pay for a jury $5.75, will you help me meet that requirement tomorrow?

Dear church, I ask that you all will unite in prayer for me in this meeting, as a number of you know that I have labored hard and successful for the salvation of souls and for the upbuilding of the cause of our Lord and Master, which results are seen in every direction. Can you, with Christian hearts filled with love and Christian sympathy, see a man who has watched and cared for your souls and the general good of the Master's cause, maliciously accused and slandered by enemies of everything in the church that is moral, just and good.

My brethren and sisters, there are some people in the Mt. Olive church who have been regenerated and born again. I appeal to you for your prayers, sympathy and support in this trying ordeal in anyway that you can give it, that the devil may be disappointed and that the truth and victory may perch on our banner. We have many people who have helped nobly in their contributions and other ways. I feel that I owe you all a debt of gratitude which only God can pay when we appear before His Throne. The acts and deeds done by Deacon Robison and wife, Brother Conroy and many other sisters and brethren whose names we will not call now, I shall never forget this side of the River.

Now, on tomorrow, I am to be arraigned where I never expected to be in the ministry, though the Bible says I shall undergo these things, it is nothing to the credit of anyone. The cause of all this grew out of one sermon preached on the fourth Sunday in June last, an attack on the devil kingdom. Since that time there has been a malicious spirit among those who think more of their own way than they do of Christ. Now church, let me go or let me stay, God is going to deal righteously with these murderers.

The trial of Rev. P. S. Gibson, the colored pastor of Mt. Olive Baptist church, did not come up this morning. A conference of the lawyers interested in the case was held and an adjournment until next Thursday was agreed to. The case came before City Judge DeMeza. The trial will take place at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon in the Council chambers. A jury has been called.

Deacons Make a Statement.

The following statement is made at the request of the deacons of the Mt. Olive Baptist church, concerning their pastor, Rev. P. S. Gibson:

To whom it may concern—This is to certify that Rev. P. S. Gibson is pastor of the Mount Olive Baptist church, corner of Third and Liberty streets, and has been for three years and nine months. During this time he has proved himself a Christian gentleman, and is certainly a successful pastor. As there has been some public gossip which is aimed at the character of Pastor Gibson, we, the deacons, wish to speak on behalf of our church. We have no charge against him of any kind, and we have no occasion to make any. The pastor is held in high esteem by us. The rumors that have reached the newspapers recently, are unfounded, and on account of our knowledge of Pastor Gibson and his Christian integrity, we believe the reports to be maliciously false. We shall do what we can for his protection and the vindication of his character, and the purity of the church. Signed: S. J. Whindleton, A Wilson, M. Robinson, P. Gordon, R. Yetman, deacons.

Staking Out a New Switch.

The engineering corps of the Central Railroad were in this city yesterday, staking out the new switch for Ivins & Co., and also making plans for the elevating of the tracks of the switch along East Fourth street.

Union Bible Class.

Rev. D. N. Stearns will speak in the First Presbyterian church Monday night at 7:45. He will in addition to teaching the lessons give an account of his Oriental travels.

SPORTS

Sun Rises: 6:20 a. m.
Sun Sets: 5: 9 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be lighted at 6: 9 p. m.

CYCLING COMMENT.

Pred J. Keer, senior partner of the Keer & Martin Cycle Company, of Newark, in which F. L. C. Martin, of this city, is the junior partner, returned Thursday morning after a three months' trip abroad. Mr. Martin met him at the wharf on his arrival.

STRIKES AND SPARES.

In a short time the members of the Plainfield Catholic Club bowling team will meet to arrange for a series of matches to be rolled this winter. The members are now practicing every night.

WITH ROD AND GUN.

The members of the Climax Gun Club will hold a shoot next week, probably on Wednesday.

LIVES LOST IN A FIRE.

A FORMER PLAINFIELD MAN BURNED TO DEATH.

The Fire Was in the Big Laundry of Gardner & Vail on Broadway—Many Very Narrow Escapes From Death.

New York, Oct. 23.—Two lives were lost in a fire that was discovered early this morning in Gardner & Vail's laundry, at 773 Broadway. The charred bodies of the victims were found in the ruins after the fire was put out. Patrick Callopy, an unmarried man, thirty-five years old, who had been in the employ of the laundry for many years, was one of the two who were lost, and Henry Haight, a widower, who has a daughter living near Plainfield, N J., was the other. He had also worked in the laundry. Both men slept in the building. Callopy formerly lived in Plainfield.

The building was rapidly burning as the firemen directed their streams of water into the flames, when Mrs. Hutton, of 63 East Ninth street, an employe of the laundry, came up breathless to Chief Bonner and said:

"Two men are sleeping in the building. Can't they be rescued?"

"Nothing can hurt anybooy who is in there now," said the Chief sadly, as he saw that every room in the building was already in flames.

"Poor Pat! Poor Henry!" sobbed the woman, as she retreated hopelessly before the scorching flames.

It was 5:30 o'clock before the firemen could enter the building to look for the dead bodies of the two employes who slept there. The body of Patrick Callopy was found on the second floor, where it had fallen when the third floor caved in. He had occupied the bed-room on the third story front. There was every indication that he had been suffocated in bed before his body was burned.

The body of Henry Haight was found on the third floor. It had not fallen to the second floor as only the front part of the floor had gone down Haight's body was found in a peculiar position. It was leaning over a beam.

The loss to the machinery and other contents of the building is estimated at $15,000, and to the building itself $5,000.

A. C. Vail, of the firm of Gardner & Vail, lives at the corner of West Eighth street and Madison avenue.

Mrs. Asa Willis and Miss Hattie Willis, of Johnston's drive, have returned from Jersey City, where they have been spending a week with relatives and friends.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

[Notices under this head are published by The Daily Press free of charge, when supplied fresh each week by authority. Copy must be in hand by 10 a. m. Saturday to insure insertion, and should be supplied Friday when possible.]

St. Joseph's (R. C.) Church—Rev. William H. Miller, pastor. Masses at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school, 2:30; evening devotions, 8.

St. Mary's (R. C.) Church—Rev. P. E. Smyth, pastor. Masses at 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:30 a. m.; evening devotions at 8. Sunday-school, 2:30 p. m.

Trinity Reformed Church—Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph. D., pastor. Services will be held in Y. M. C. A. Hall. In the morning at 10:30 Rev. Charles E. Herring will preach in exchange with the pastor. In the evening at 7:30 the pastor will preach. Subject, "Better than Gold." Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m.

Monroe Avenue M. E. Church, Rev. William C. O'Donnell, pastor—Preaching at 11 a. m. and at 8 p. m. Morning subject, "Raising the Stone;" a sermon from the recently discovered "Sayings of Christ." Sunday-school at 3 p. m.; Epworth League, 7:15 p. m.

St. Stephen's Church, Rev. S. P. Simpson, rector—Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m.; morning prayer, litany and sermon, 11; Sunday-school, 9:45 a. m.; evening prayer and sermon, 7:45.

Grace Church, Rev. E. M. Rodman, rector, Rev. F. Appleton, curate—Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m.; morning prayer and sermon at 10:30; Sunday-school at 3 p. m.; evening prayer and sermon at 7:30.

Reform Hall—James Hewson will lead the 4 p. m. meeting tomorrow.

First Presbyterian Church—Rev. Chas. E. Herring, pastor. 10:30 a. m., Rev. Dr. Schenck preaches. 7:45 p. m., "The Story of a Young Man's Life."

Congregational Church, Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor.—Morning service at 10:30. Subject of sermon, "The Transfiguration of the Thorn." Sunday-school at 2:45 p. m. Christian Endeavor service at 7:30 p. m.

W. C. T. U. Rooms, Watchung avenue and Fourth street, 9 a. m.—There will be held the usual gospel service led by Mr. Bodine.

First M. E. Church, Rev. Winfield C. Snodgrass, pastor—10:30 a. m., Rev. Jesse L. Hurlbut, D. D., corresponding secretary of the Sunday-school Union, will occupy the pulpit; 2:30 p. m., Sunday-school; 6:45 p. m., Epworth League prayer service; 7:30 p. m., preaching by the pastor. Subject, "The True Woman."

First Church of Christ—Brother Tier, of New York, will preach morning and evening.

Park Avenue Baptist Church, Rev. J. W. Richardson, pastor—Preaching by the pastor. Morning, 10:30; evening, 7:30. Sunday-school, 2:45 p. m. Morning theme, "The Body Beyond the Grave;" evening, "The Stupendous Injustice of Licensing Liquor Saloons." All sittings free.

Grace M. E. Church, Rev. Henry J. Johnston, pastor—Preaching services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Morning subject, "Repression or Expression." Sunday-school, 2:30 p. m. Epworth League at 7 p. m.

First Baptist church, Rev. D. J. Yerkes, D. D., pastor—Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m.

All Souls' Church, Park avenue, (Unitarian,) Rev. A. C. Nickerson, pastor—Preaching service at 10:30 a. m. by the pastor. Subject, "Change." Sunday-school, 11:45 a. m. The pastor will give the third in his series of addresses on the religious teaching of Dr. James Martineau. Subject for tomorrow, "God in Humanity." All interested are cordially welcome.

—Mrs George C. Needham will lead the East Third Street mission tomorrow evening.

—Oh! Such lovely goods as they have got at Peck's! Have you seen them? Well, you should, for they are just lovely!

—J. F. Sheppard, secretary of Plainfield Lodge, No. 44, I. O. O. F., has the invitation cards for the various members sent by Queen City Lodge for their anniversary exercises Monday evening. They can be secured from Mr. Sheppard.

Mrs. Spencer Conway, of West Fourth street, who has been visiting during the past three months at West Moreland, Va., Washington and Baltimore, has returned home. Mr. Conway was awaiting her return and he gave his wife a pleasant surprise.

No Application for Bail for Luetgert

Chicago, Oct. 23.—Adolph L. Luetgert was brought into court yesterday morning, as it was expected that application would be made for his admission to bail. No formal application was made by his attorneys, and he was returned to jail. It is possible that he will yet go free. The County Commissioners, disgusted with the result of the murder trial, which has cost the county between $20,000 and $30,000, will refuse to appropriate money for another trial if Luetgert is admitted to bail.

Robert T. Lincoln Pullman's President.

Chicago, Oct. 23.—Robert T. Lincoln has accepted the presidency of the Pullman Palace Car Company, a position made vacant by the recent death of George M. Pullman, the millionaire founder of that vast enterprise.

Fifty New Cases of Fever.

New Orleans, Oct. 23.—There is no improvement in the yellow-fever situation here. Yesterday's record shows fifty new cases and five deaths. The total cases number 1,074 and total deaths reach 117.

CLEVELAND'S VIEWS.

The Ex-President Speaks at Princeton's Celebration.

Princeton, N. J., Oct. 23.—The one-hundred-and-fifty-first birthday of Princeton University was celebrated here yesterday. A throng of visitors was on hand, and more than usual interest was manifested in this year's commemoration on account of the presence of Grover Cleveland and Lord Aberdeen, Governor-General of Canada.

The ex-President was accompanied by Mrs. Cleveland, while with the Earl of Aberdeen were Lady Aberdeen, their daughter, Lady Marjorie Gordon, and Lieut. Keane. Others present were President Gilman, of Johns Hopkins University, and Mrs. Gilman; Provost Harrison, of the University of Pennsylvania, and Mrs. Harrison; President Patton, of Princeton University; Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Dodge, and Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Cook.

President Patton presided and introduced the speakers. The exercises began with the invocation by Dean Murray, which was followed by an address by ex-President Cleveland. The degree of doctor of laws was formally conferred upon the Earl of Aberdeen, who responded with an address. A benediction by President Patton closed the exercises.

Mr. Cleveland took for the subject of his address "The Self-Made Man," saying in part:

"In the few words I shall speak today there will be no attempt to lead you into untrodden fields of thought or point out new truths. I not only believe that if I should enter upon such an undertaking I would be guilty of bold presumption, but it seems to me we can quite as profitably improve the time we spend together in renewing our acquaintance with some old truths and recalling their relationship to human life and effort. In following this suggestion we shall manifestly find it easier if we start from familiar ground and take our departure from some well-known landmark. With this introduction I hope I may be tolerated in the announcement that I propose to submit on this occasion some simple reflections concerning the self-made man.

"We have all seen handsome and quite elaborately carved articles or trinkets which were made entirely with a pocket knife. As curiosities they challenge our interest, because of the ingenuity of their construction with such a simple tool, but we do not regard them as more useful for that reason, nor do we for a moment suppose that the pocket knife was essential to their construction, or that their beauty or merit would have been diminished by the use of more effective and suitable tools. It is well to remember, too, in considering those who succeed, notwithstanding difficulties, that not all successes, even though so gained, are of that useful and elevating kind that should excite our admiration. The churlish curmudgeon who by sharp practice and avaricious dealing has amassed a fortune should not be permitted to cajole us by boasting of his early privations and sordid self-denial; we are at liberty to resent in any case the attempt to cover a multitude of sins with the cloak of the self-made man, by playing upon our regard for the worth and labor that conquers a useful and honorable career; nor should the successful political hack be allowed to distract attention from a damaged character by parading his humble origin, his lack of early advantages and the struggles of his boyhood as independent and sufficient proofs that he is entitled to our suffrage."

NEWS IN BRIEF.

A letter from the Klondike reports six suicides, three hangings and eleven killings.

Gen. Miles, in his annual report, states that the army was never in a higher state of efficiency.

State Auditor Mayhew, of South Dakota, and two others have been arrested, charged with embezzlement.

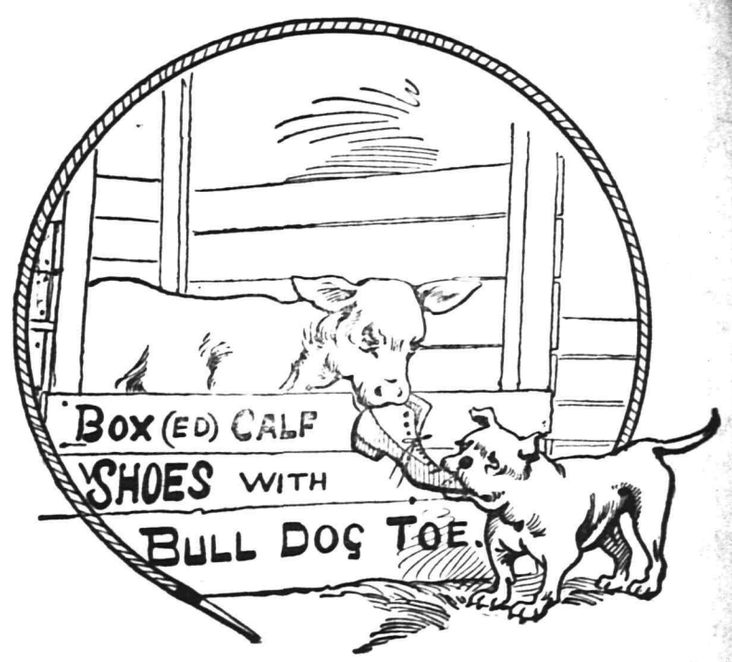
A novel Bavarian revolver has been received in San Francisco which fires six shots at a single trigger motion.

The meaning of the promise of Prof. Schroeder, of the Roman Catholic University, to resign is disputed by the two factions.

Maj. Moses P. Handy will leave Southampton to-day for home. His condition is no longer serious, but absolute rest is needed.

Congressman Hinrichsen, of Illinois, has announced that he will ask Congress for a ship canal from Lake Michigan to the Mississippi River, to cost $26,000,000.

The Illinois Presbyterian Synod has denounced Princeton University for using wine at banquets and the faculty for permitting the sale of liquor at Princeton Inn.



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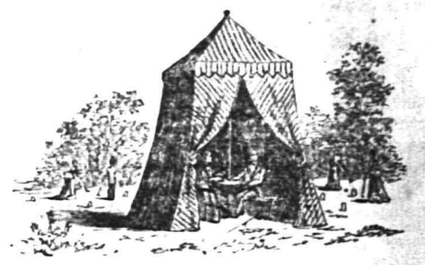

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—Additional locals on page 3.

—The Primary Teachers' Institute, to be held in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue church next Monday afternoon and evening, will interest everyone who is interested in Sunday-school work. All are invited.

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There has not been an increase made in the price of our

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Men's Overcoats and Ulsters	$5.50	$3 98
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Boys' Overcoats and Ulsters	4 50	2.75
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Children's Knee Pants	150	1.00
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Children's Overcoats	4 50	2.18
" "	3.25	1.98

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Children's Overcoats	6.00	3.98
Children's Suits	4.00	2.98
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Men's Pants	1.75	.98
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	Were	Now
Men's Suits	9 50	5.48
" "	8.00	3.80
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Men's Working Shirts	.50	.29
" Shirts and Drawers	.50	.39
" Neckwear	.50	.39
" Sweaters	.50	.18
Men's Derby Hats (large assortment)	2.00	1.30
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MORE THAN DANCES.

A GREAT VARIETY OF ATTRACTIONS AT THE SPIELKARTENFEST.

Elaborate Booths, Prettily Decorated and Filled With Handsome Articles—Some of Those Who Will Be in Charge of the Affair

Don't get the mistaken idea that the dances are to be the only attractions at the coming Spielkartenfest, which is to be held in the Crescent Rink on November 8-13. There will be other things to please old and young. Perhaps you have wondered how the interior of the rink is to look when that monster benefit in aid of the Muhlenberg Hospital begins. It will be transformed into as near a "fairyland" as human efforts can make it. Willing hands and ingenious minds can accomplish much and the most talented workers in the city have promised their aid on that occasion.

Evarts Tracy, the well-known architect, whose ingenuity contrived many wonderful things for the Kirmess two years ago, is planning for the arrangement of the booths. There are going to be booths, and handsome ones too, that will prove a prominent attraction. As in the Kirmess, they are to be located along the sides of the great auditorium, but the designs will be entirely different. While the appearance of the different booths has not been definitely settled, it has been decided that there are to be three on a side, occupying the spaces between the roof supports.

The rest of the space on the north side is to be devoted to the sale of ice cream and soda water. Those who are planning for this part of the Spielkartenfest will not be satisfied with anything ordinary, so this department may be looked upon as something new. The restaurant, it's to be a good one, too, will occupy a corresponding place on the south side of the building. The room in the rear of the ticket offices will be devoted to the same purpose, while the rooms of the W. C. T. U. are to be converted into one grand kitchen, where the supplies are to be prepared.

Now it is no easy task to prepare for the different booths and it takes an experienced and able hand to manage each one, but the chairmen have been well chosen and have already begun to organize their army of assistants.

The fancy booth is in the hands of a committee of which Miss Elizabeth R. Cock is the efficient chairman. The name emplies the nature of the booth. Then there is the stationery booth with Mrs. John Gray Foster as chairman. Cut flowers and potted plants will form the attractions at another booth at which Mrs. Lewis G. Timpson will be in charge.

The little ones have not been forgotten but will have a special booth, known as the children's booth. The novel attractions there will interest the older folks as well. One of the features is to be a very modern grab-bag. It isn't a grab-bag at all, however, but a little electric railway with a real train on it. The youthful purchaser deposits his coin in one of the cars and the miniature train disappears in the tunnel at the rear of the booth. When it emerges at the other side, the coin is gone and the package for the purchaser now occupies the car. Then there are other attractions for the young that promise to be equally popular. Mrs. Leonidas Dennis is to superintend the workings of this department.

The Spielkartenfest wouldn't be complete without a candy booth. There Mrs. Hugh Hastings and Miss Emilie Schipper will divide the honers. The lemonade well is out-of-date, so they say, and something new and artistic in that line is being prepared. Mrs. S. S. Guoin is the leading spirit.

That vast domain, the ice cream and soda water department, is to be ruled over by Mrs. Lapsley, chairman of that committee. The army of assistants and cooks at the model restaurant are to be led by Mrs. O. T. Waring and Mrs. George VanBoskerck. They will have charge of that department and see to the preparation of the host of good things that will make the tables groan beneath their weight.

These are among the attractions that are to make the Spielkartenfest a thing long to be remembered.

The True Woman.

Rev. Dr. W. C. Snodgrass, pastor of the First M. E. church, preached a very able sermon on "The True Woman" at his church last evening. While he said that some women were fitted by the force of circumstances to go forth into the world, the object of women as a class was as the principal figure and ruler of the home. The ideal of "The True Woman" was, he said, a woman and not a man.

—Park avenue is now being repaired in parts between Randolph road and the county line.

AN ACTRESS' PITIABLE TALE

NERVOUSNESS CAUSED FRIGHT.

Said She Had Been Accosted by a Colored Man—Was Walking From New York to Chicago.

It was just at dusk Saturday evening that a well-dressed young woman, breathless and sobbing, came running down Watchung avenue, in the middle of the street. Two men were closely following her. Special Officers Giese and Dagnell, who happened to be at the corner of Watchung avenue and Fifth street at the time, saw her and stopped the three to learn the cause of the excitement. The woman was unable to speak coherently and was taken into Hall's pharmacy to recover, while a crowd collected there.

One of the men, who had followed her, was a colored man and he explained that he had seen her running and had followed to see what was the matter. The other man had joined in the pursuit.

When the young woman had recovered her breath she told the officers that the colored man had jumped at her and said something. That happened at the corner of Franklin place and she had run down to Fifth street. Her name, she said, was Gertie Price and her home was in Wisconsin. She had been a member of a traveling threatrical company and had played "Uncle Tom's Cabin," "Ten Nights in a Bar Room" and kindred shows. She remembered having played in Plainfield on one occasion. The troupe had finally disbanded at Chelsea, Mass., last week, after an unsuccessful trip and she had been thrown on her own resourses.

She had money enough to take her to New York and she had then started afoot for Chicago, where her brother lived. Friday she walked to Elizabeth and Saturday she had come to Plainfield. Her money was all gone and she had not had anything to eat all day. She said she was subject to fits and had several on her way to Plainfield.

It is supposed the colored man had seen her walking in the middle of the road and spoken to her and she, tired and nervous from her long walk and lack of food, had become frightened. The colored man is a well-known ash-carter.

She said that she intended asking for a night's lodging at the station house. Chief Grant was notified that she was was at the pharmacy. Before he arrived a collection was taken for her benefit and she was taken to McVey's Hotel and given board and lodging for the night. Yesterday morning she left the hotel after breakfast and started on her long and weary walk to Chicago.

SAVED THE BABY.

John Burnett's Heroic Action at a Fire Over the Mountain.

Jinkstown is a small settlement back of Washingtonville. Among the residents of the place are William James, who supports himself, wife and large family of children by peddling vegetables in and about Plainfield. Existence has been a hard one for them but they have succeeded in making both ends meet and all went well until last Friday morning.

Friday morning early, James went to town as usual with his wagon. His wife remained at home attending to the housework. It was almost 11 o'clock in the morning when Ed and John Burnett, who were working in a field nearby, saw flames break through the roof of the James domicile, a little one-story-and-a-half structure. They hurried to the house and told Mrs. James and tried to save as much as possible of the contents.

The fire burned rapidly and they were only able to save part of the furniture. They were standing in front of the doomed dwelling. Mrs. James surrounded by her frightened children, when she remembered that in the excitement she had forgotten her baby that lay in a crib in the midst of the burning house. With a scream, she started for the door but John Burnett stopped her and struggled with the frantic woman while Ed Burnett rushed into the house to find the child. In a moment he appeared enveloped in flames but with the child wrapped in a blanket in his arms.

Burnett was badly burned about the face, neck and hands while part of his hair was singed completly off. The child was not injured. The house burned to the ground and Theodore Duver, one of the neighbors, took in the homeless ones until they could make some other arrangements.

Rev. Mr. Richardson's Sermon

Rev. J. W. Richardson, pastor of the Park Avenue Baptist church, preached a sermon last night on the "Stupendous Injustice of Licensing Liquor Saloons." The sermon will be printed in The Press tomorrow, being crowded out today by other imperative news.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

TROLLEY TRACKS LAID OVER A COVETED HIGHWAY

NEW YORK AND PHILADELPHIA TRACTION COMPANY RESORTED TO HEROIC ACTION TO GAIN POSSESSION.

A Thousand Laborers Came at the Beck of the Capitalists and Led on by Lawyer They Built the Road in Defiance of Courts, Township Officers and Sheriff.

Station Agent Osborne, of Finderne, was awakened from his sleep Saturday night at 11 o'clock and beheld a sight that made him rub his eyes, and perchance pinch himself once or twice, to really convince himself that he wasn't dreaming. Standing on the eastbound passenger tracks in front of the station over which he presides as the most patriarch-looking employe in the service of the Central, there was a train of seventeen cars that stood out in shadowy relief as dozens of torches flared up at regular intervals and illuminated a scene of hundreds of dusky laborers skurrying here and there at the task of unloading great numbers of picks, shovels, carts and other pharaphernalia used in railroad construction.

What the aged station agent beheld was no illusion; it was a stern reality—an invading host of creatures coming at the beck of a powerful combination of capitalists who were determined to brook no defeat in the cherished plans to acquire a franchise that seemed to be slipping from their grasp. They were set in their idea to defy even the laws which they had previously been prostrating themselves before in trying to peaceably get what they were now about to acquire by force—the privilege of building a trolley railroad over a section of a highway that was coveted by rivals.

The invading army was championed by the New York and Philadelphia Traction Company, promoters of the cross-state line. For months and months this aggregation of capitalists has been striving to get the right of way between Bound Brook and Somerville, a pivotal link in the chain from which was to dangle, they thought, success and profit. It was a prize worth getting at even extraordinary cost.

Euchred at nearly every move that might result in desired ends, they had at last determined on heroic measures. Engaging the services of a big contractor in Baltimore, who had at his service a thousand husky laborers, they planned to descend upon the disputed ground at a time when the legal machinery could not be drawn upon by their enemies and to build the road that would at least result in applying the old adage that "possession is nine points of the law" By doing this they figured to let their opponents fight it out afterward.

And so it was that the old station agent at Finderne awoke to find the territory around his depot literally alive with men and things calculated to defy the law.

The invasion had been well planned, the workers well-trained. Every man knew his business and they worked in a concord that showed results quickly. The hundreds of laborers were divided into gangs in charge of experienced bosses. As quickly as possible they were out upon the highway working with might and main under direction of those who knew just what and how to do.

The rivals of the New York and Philadelphia Traction Company, the Brunswick Traction Company, has friends, and one of their supporters was soon aware of the work. He hurried to the officials and they in turn hurried to the courts.

At 2 o'clock Superintendent Herbert, of the Traction Company, was served with a stay issued by the counsel of the Bridgewater committee, but he disregarded it on the ground that no courts are open on Sunday and that the Traction Company could not be enjoined by law before Monday.

Before daylight a dynamo was spirited into the power plant at the Finderne Hotel and set up ready for use.

Superintendent Herbert said that his men would complete the tracks over the four miles of disputed territory, erect the trolley poles, place a car on the tracks and have it running by the power furnished by the dynamo at the Finderne plant before 1 o'clock this morning. This was a big job, and William V. Steele, one of the counsel for the Township Committee, Theo. Hoffman, and Judge G. Bartine, lawyers for the Brunswick Traction Company, started in early in the day to prevent it. Sheriff Wyckoff, of Somerset county, and the Township Committee, consisting of Peter Gulick, David Bartles, and William Hardgrove, were hastily summoned. Hardgrove, who is friendly to the New York and Philadelphia Traction Company, said he would not interfere. Bartles, who supports the Brunswick Traction Company, was six miles away at his mountain home. Gulick, who has assumed a neutral position, but who has recently been accused of flopping over to the Brunswick Traction Company, was afraid to act. It was 3 o'clock in the afternoon before Gulick and Bartles decided on action and started for the scene, accompanied by Sheriff Wyckoff and a small posse.

At the request of Suprintendent Radel, of the Brunswick Traction Company, the Sheriff arrested William Taylor, a liveryman, of Bound Brook, a score of section bosses, and several engineers.

Two hundred Italian laborers under Superintendent Radel began to tear up a section of track which Radel alleged was on property owned by the Brunswick Traction Company. As many negroes hired by the New York and Philadelphia Traction Company knocked the handles from their pick-axes and rushed at the Italians, who sought shelter in a barn. Radel was hissed and threatened.

He backed out of the mob under the protection of his friends and drove away. His laborers were loaded in wagons and taken away. Lawyers Alvah A. Clark and John C. Shaw, acting for the New York and Philadelphia Company, ordered the work resumed and advised Superintendent Herbert to defy the Township Committee and the Sheriff, as they were acting illegally. This was done and at 8 o'clock last night a trolley car was hauled from the Finderne station and placed upon the track amid cheering by the crowd.

The Township Committtee gave up the fight at 9 o'clock and the Sheriff and his deputies were called off. At 11:30 the line was completed and ten minutes later the current was turned on and the car was started over the line. Word was received before starting that a gang of men, who were concealed along the track near Bound Brook, would attack the car. Superintendent Herbert and a number of officials were in the car, which was strongly guarded by negroes armed with clubs.

The work was only marred by one accident which occurred about 9:45 last night when "Ollie" Howard, a Baltimore lineman, fell from a hanger thirty feet to the ground. He was carried to a house nearby and a doctor summoned. His injuries were some very ugly cuts about the head and a bad shaking up.

The work was done it is said by J. G. White & Co., general contractors, who have offices in New York, Baltimore and other cities.

Attended Corner Stone Laying.

About two hundred members of the Ancient Order Hibernians, accompanied by the Independent Fife and Drum Corps, went to Roselle yesterday afternoon on the 1:45 train to participate in the exercises incident to the laying of the corner stone of the Catholic church at that place. Rev. Father Smyth, pastor of St. Mary's church, accompanied the delegation and took a prominent part in the exercises.

Pastors Exchanged Pulpits.

"Joyful in My House of Prayer," was the subjeet of a very helpful sermon by Rev. C. E. Herring to the congregation of Trinity Reformed church yesterday morning, he having exchanged pulpits with Dr. Schenck. His convincing argument of the necessity of holiness, honesty, constancy and humility in prayer was firmly and lovingly established, as was the joy of him or her who takes everything to God in prayer.

His Wife Begged for Leniency.

John Ward, colored, of West Third street, was arrested Saturday on a warrant issued by Justice Mosher. He was charged by his wife, Dolly Ward, with beating her while they were returning from a dance in the Crescent Rink last Thursday night. Saturday evening when Ward was given an examination his wife announced that she had relented and did not wish to press the charge. Both Ward and his wife begged the Justice not to punish him, and a promise was made that the offense would not be repeated. After giving the offender a severe lecture and telling him what he might expect if he came up again on the same charge, the Justice released Ward.

For the Ushers Benefit.

The production of "The Geezer," by Donnelly and Girard, the well-known comedians, in the Stillman Theatre, tomorrow night, will be for the benefit of the ushers of the theatre and they are hoping for a strong support from the townsfolk.

NEW HOME DEPARTMENT.

AN ADJUNCT TO SUNDAY SCHOOL.

The Plan Explained by Rev. Jesse L. Hurlbut in the First M. E. Church Yesterday.

A home department, one of the adjuncts of the modern Sunday-school, was organized at the First M. E. church, in connection with the Sunday-school of that church, yesterday morning. Rev. Dr. Jesse L. Hurlbut, of New York, one of the leading workers in the Sunday-school department of the M. E. church, was present and made an address explanatory of the home department movement. Dr. Hurlbut was a former resident of this city where he resided for many years and is very well known. The fact that he was to speak attracted an unusually large congregation.

The opening devotional services were conducted jointly by the pastor, Rev. Dr. W. C. Snodgrass, and Rev. Dr. Hurlbut. The sermon was preached by Dr. Hurlbut on the text "Search the Scriptures." He told of the advice of the late Charles A. Dana in an address to journalism to young college men in which he declared that thorough study of the Bible was an important perquisite in the preparation for a journalistic career. He told of the universal popularity of the book and how, while the popular demand for other books rose and fell, there was an ever increasing demand for the Scriptures which far exceeded that for all the others combined.

He told of the necessity of studying the Word and how much was to be gained by it. He said while an irregular study of the Bible was often productive of much good, a systematic comprehensive study was far better. Most of the Bible study, he said, was done in the Sunday school. There was a large class, however, who for various reasons did not come. It was to give them the privileges of the Sunday-school as far as possible that the home department was organized.

He then explained the workings of the home department. How the members of it were expected to spend half an hour weekly in the study of the Sunday-school lesson. Lesson helps were to be furnished by the Sunday-school. The pastor announced that Mrs. J. R. Joy would act as superintendent of the department, assisted by others of the church, who would call on the members at stated intervals with the new quarterlies. The ushers then passed among the congregation and enrolled the names of all who cared to join. About fifty expressed a desire to become members of the home department.

Dr. Hurlbut was present at the session of the Sunday school in the afternoon and made a short address, telling something of his experiences while traveling through Palestine.

THE JUDGE WAS LENIENT.

One an Inoffensive Character and the Other in Hard Luck.

Two offenders were arraigned before City Judge DeMeza this morning. One was John Whitehead, who has been in the employ of the Potter Press Works until a short time ago. He has been in hard luck and was arrested by Patrolman Vanderweg on Saturday night for stealing coal from the cars of the Jersey Central Railroad. He was a good workman and had never been arrested before, so the Judge suspended sentence on him.

The other offender was a German who gave his name as Robert Hondloser. He was an inoffensive character who had merely taken refuge in a car of the Jersey Central Railroad on Sunday night to get out of the storm. Patrolman Watson had found him and locked him up. Sentence was suspenoed on him.

RAID BY CHICKEN THIEVES.

Michael O'Day Finds His Coop Spotted With Blood and Twenty Fowls Gone

Chicken thieves played havoc among the occupants of the chicken-coop of Michael O'Day, of South Plainfield, Friday night. O'Day is employed at the coal storage plant of the Lehigh Valley Coal Company. He has been working nights. O'Day owns a number of valuable game cocks besides an assortment of other fowls. Friday evening at 10 o'clock his wife came hurrying over to the coal yard to tell him that there was trouble in the chicken-coop. He went over and found that some twenty of the most valuable of his stock had been caught, their throats cut and then carried away. The coop was covered with blood. There were several clews to the identity of the thieves and several arrests are expected to follow at once.

Somerville Man Dead.

John Polhemus, aged fifty-four years, died at his home in Somerville yesterday, after a prolonged illness. He was the father of Mrs. Peter B. Hodge, of Plainfield avenue, and was well known in this city.

SPEEDY HORSES TROTTED

A SATURDAY PROGRAMME THAT ENTHUSED HORSEMEN.

Several Pretty Spurts in Which the Entries Showed the Speedy Qualities—One Foul Claimed—The Race Summaries.

The trotting contests held at the Plainfield Driving Park Association's track on Saturday afternoon drew a crowd of about three hundred, including a number of ladies. The entries included horses from this city and from Woodbridge, and the events were intended to be a repetition of those held on the Woodbridge track on the previous Saturday.

The entries were fewer in Saturday's events, however, and one race between horses of the 2:35 class, did not take place at all. The winner in the 2:30 class at Woodbridge, "Alda H.," was not entered, but the four heats were prettily contested between Judge W. A. Coddington's "Belle," Douglas Darby's "Sunday," and C. A. Campbell's "Lady C." "Belle" won the first and second heats; in the first half of the third she broke badly and "Sunday" came in first. The fourth heat was a neck to neck contest between "Belle" and "Sunday," and at the finish the two horses seemed to pass under the wire at the same second. "Sunday," however, had done considerable running, which the owner claimed was caused by a foul from the wheel of "Belle's" sulky. The crowd yelled that it was a "dead heat," but after a consultation the judges awarded the heat to "Belle," which gave her the race.

In the 2:25 class "Myrtle Twig" and "Breastplate," who were first and second in the Woodbridge race, were not entered. W. E. Brock's "Active" won the first heat in fine style in 2:29, but in the second heat the animal made a rather poor showing, breaking in the first quarter mile and losing to "Barney Williams." When the third heat was called notice was sent to the judges' stand that "Active" was withdrawn and would not trot again during the afternoon. As there was only one other entry, this action on the part of Mr. Brock compelled the judges to award the race to "Barney Williams."

The third race was between steppers of the 2:40 class. "Little Dick," belonging to John Taylor, of Rahway, was given a trial heat with N. B. Smalley's "Bolette," and was then withdrawn. "Bolette" then won three straight heats from "General Benham." The last of these heats furnished the most exciting episode of the afternoon and sent a thrill of satisfaction through all the horsemen present. In the beginning of the second half mile, as the trotters were making the turn "General Benham's" driver tried to gain the pole, and in doing so it is alleged that he foulded "Bolette." Whatever the cause the latter made a bad break and had to be pulled down almost to a walk.

The driver had confidence in "Bolette," however, and although "Benham" was over a sixteenth of a mile ahead at the three-quarter post, the plucky little trotter in the rear settled down to about a 2:30 pace. She came up the stretch overhauling "Benham" at every step, and won by a nose amid great cheering.

The track was in perfect condition, and the only things which detracted from the pleasure of the spectators was the cold, damp wind which made everyone shiver, and the intolerably long waits between the events. The judges were William VanSyckle, of Metuchen, and L. D. Kelly, of Woodbridge, and Thomas Brantingham, of South Plainfield, acted as starter.

The following is a summary of the events:

2:25 CLASS

Woodbrook Stock Farm, Barney Williams	2	1	1
W. E. Brock, Plainfield, Active	1	2	dr

Time—2:29; 2:30.

2:30 CLASS.

W. A. Coddington, Plainfield, Belle	1	1	2	1
Dug Darby, Plainfield, Sunday	3	3	1	2
C. A Campbell, Woodbridge, Lady C	2	2	3	dr

Time—3:29½; 2:31; 2:31; 2:30½.

2:40 CLASS.

N. Smalley, North Plainfield, Bolette	1	1	1
Edward Ames, Woodridge, General Benham	2	2	2

Time—2:34; 2:32½ 2:36.

Bicycle Stolen, Part of it Found.

The bicycle that was stolen from the porch of H. E. Rider, at Netherwood, last night, was found this morning in Mr. Frazee's yard at 823 Richmond street. The seat and tires had been removed, otherwise the wheel was all right. At the time it was taken Mrs. Rider heard someone walking about the porch, but thought nothing strange of it until the wheel was missed later. The police have no knowledge as to who committed the deed.

A New Letter Box.

A new and large-sized mail box has been placed at the corner of Park avenue and Front street by the City National Bank, where it will be a great convenience to all the merchants and business men in the vicinity.

A FRIGHTFUL DISASTER

The New York and Boston Express Plunges Into the Hudson.

OVER TWENTY LIVES LOST

Supposed Landslide Throws the Engine and Five Cars from the New York Central Tracks—Imprisoned Passengers Drowned.

Nineteen lives were lost early yesterday morning in the worst disaster that ever has happened on the New York Central Railroad.

The Buffalo and New York special, which left Buffalo at 7 o'clock Saturday night and Albany at 3.15 o'clock yesterday morning, jumped from the tracks into the Hudson River, two miles below Garrisons station.

The train consisted of a locomotive, a combination baggage and smoking car, one day coach and six sleeping cars.

There were 110 persons on board. Sixty-eight passengers were in the sleeping cars and twenty-eight in the smoker and day coach. The train's crew made up the rest. Three rear sleepers were left on the tracks, as the coupling broke which connected them with the forward portion of the train.

The accident was due to the giving way of the three-foot retaining wall on the river bank. The two railroad tracks run at that point close to the water.

High tides and the action of the water had caused a landslide. Tons of rock and the steel rails themselves had slid into the river.

Scenes of indescribable excitement followed. Sleeping passengers were awakened to find themselves submerged in water. Most of the deaths were due to drowning. The engine itself sank fifty feet into the Hudson.

There were many thrilling rescues and many instances of personal bravery and heroism.

Besides the lives that were lost there were scores of injured.

DEAD.

BECKER, W. S., Newark, N. Y.
FOYLE, J., engineer, East Albany, N. Y.
GREER, E. A., Chicago, Ill.
M'KAY, ALGERNON G., private secretary of General Superintendent Van Etten, N. Y. C. & H. R. R., 128 West 112th street, New York.
MEYER, W. H. G., Passaic, N. J.
PAQUNA, GIUSEPPE, Albion, N. Y.
RIELEY, THOMAS, St. Louis, Mo.
THOMPSON, J., fireman.
WILLIAMS, SAMUEL, Buffalo, N. Y.
Two unknown women, believed to be mother and daughter.
Eight Chinamen.

The list of injured number twenty-five or more, several of whom will die.

New York, Oct. 25.—The New York and Boston express train on the New York Central & Hudson River road, which was due to arrive in this city at 6.30 o'clock yesterday morning, was thrown from the tracks into the river at a point about one and one-half miles below Garrisons station about 5.40. All save two cars left the track.

The engine, a combination baggage and express car, a smoker, two ordinary coaches and four sleepers made up the heavy train.

Cars in Fifty Feet of Water.

Of these the engine and the two forward cars were submerged and utterly wrecked in fifty feet of water. Shattered parts of them such as were not sunk by the weight of the iron trucks floated up the river with the tide. The smoker and two coaches were carried some distance along shore and then moored to the bank.

Four sleeping cars went into the river, but with their shoreward windows out of the water. From these many of the passengers escaped.

The train was running on the schedule of another, which should have left Buffalo in advance of it, but was held to wait for the Western connections. Engineer Foyle pulled out of Albany on time at 3.15 and passed through Garrisons also on time at 5.37.

The conductor, E. O. Parrish, who escaped uninjured, says that when the train had left Garrisons about a mile and a half behind the tracks seemed to fall out from under the train entirely, and it shot into the air with a terrific noise. The next instant it went into the river in ruins.

Early as it was, people gathered hurriedly from the surrounding neighborhood and began at once the work of helping out the passengers, who struggled from the sleeping cars.

A number of surgeons were summoned from the hospitals of Poughkeepsie and Fishkill, and word was telegraphed to the Grand Central Depot for aid. A wrecking train consisting of an engine and two cars was sent up.

The news of the accident was first received at the Grand Central Station at 6.50 o'clock. It was immediately transmitted to the officers of the road, and shortly after 7 o'clock President Depew, Vice-President H. Walter Webb and General Manager Van Etten arrived at the station. A special train was immediately ordered, and D. V. McCoy, superintendent of the Harlem division, was placed in charge of it. At 12.40 o'clock another special train was dispatched to the scene of the accident. The latter train was equipped with wrecking apparatus and divers. The first special carried a number of physicians. Before the first special reached the scene, however, arrangements had been made to bring the survivors to this city on a train made up of the two sleepers that did not leave the track.

Injured Taken to Hospitals.

Twenty-six persons, removed from the sleeping cars, were taken to the Poughkeepsie and Fishkill hospitals. Many of them were well-nigh overcome by their struggle with the water, and others bruised and battered by being hurled against the sides of the cars.

From the sleepers all were finally rescued. Of how many went down in the smoker, which lies fifty feet under water and heaped in a fearful wreck, no exact estimate is made.

There were, Conductor Parrish says, about fifteen or twenty Chinamen on board, who had apparently been smuggled into New York over the Canadian border and come down from some place in the Adirondacks.

Most of them must have been in the smoking car. None of them, so far as is known, escaped. Not one of them has been seen since the crash.

The shrieks of those who were in the coaches that remained on the bank were plainly heard at Highland Falls.

The train was known as the New York and Boston express, and leaves Chicago at 8.45 p. m. It is due in New York at 6.30 a. m. It has connections with Toledo, Cleveland, Cincinnati, Buffalo and Boston, and stops at Rome, Utica, Albany and Poughkeepsie.

When the engine and cars tumbled into the river two of them broke apart and floated with the tide towards Highlands.

The screams and noise of the train as it plunged into the water attracted the lookout on E. Bennett's yacht Trophy, which lay opposite Morgan's Landing. He went to the rescue. One man was picked up near the wreck. He breathed as he was lifted on board, but died a moment later.

Women Who Escaped Death.

Seven women and two men were brought into the Grand Central Depot on a train which arrived at 11 o'clock. All of them were in an undressed state and when taken from the train they had to be wrapped in blankets and taken to the Murray Hill Hotel in cabs. They were said to be the only persons who were in the front sleeper.

The nine persons who were taken to the hotel were all in a highly nervous state. All of them had been in the water and all had had narrow escapes from death either by drowning or by being ground to pieces under the train. Several of the women were bruised and cut about their bodies and faces, and both of the men were hurt.

The survivors who were taken to the hotel were J. M. Acton and wife, of White Plains; W. S. Baldwin, of Buffalo; I. B. Littlefield, of Buffalo; Anna M. Nexson, of Evansville, Ind.; C. F. Mann, of New York City; J. Van Houten, of Paterson; T. Mutter, of Brooklyn; Dow Clock and his son Chester, of Sayville, L. I., and Frank J. Degan, of Buffalo. After being clothed and getting something to eat they began leaving the hotel for their various destinations, and last evening Mr. Mann and Mr. Clock and the latter's son were the only ones left there.

According to the statement given out by the station agent who had talked to one of the men the train was bowling along at a high rate of speed. The passengers had few of them arisen, when there were three distinct jars.

Then the coach suddenly plunged forward and instantly turned almost on end. The passengers were thrown from their berths and fell to the floor, which was already covered with water. The water rose higher, and the frightened men and women ran towards the high part of the coach and made for the windows in the rear drawing room. The glass windows were quickly broken and they climbed out to the ground.

Several of the women were faint from cold and fright. They were unable to climb from the car, and men went to their assistance and pushed their bodies through the windows, jagging their flesh on the broken glass. When the last woman was taken from the coach she was standing in water up to her waist and men were climbing to the railings at the tops of the berths. So fast did the water raise in the coach that the window from which the imprisoned men and women were being taken was fast being submerged.

Where the Accident Occurred.

The spot where the accident occurred is a mile and a half from Garrisons and about two miles from Highlands, the first station below Garrisons. The road between the two stations is pretty crooked, but at this spot midway between there is a level stretch of nearly half a mile. The road runs close beside the river, the view of which is unobstructed. On the land side the Fishkill Mountains tower up. The road is double tracked along there, and most of it is on made ground. Between the rails and the river there is a distance of about sixteen feet, and the outer edge of this made land is a stone wall three feet thick.

The Northern express passed over this straight piece of track at a forty-mile-an-hour gait eleven minutes before the Buffalo special reached there. There was no indication then of danger and nothing to attract the attention of any member of the train crew that might have enabled them to send back warning that would have averted the accident. The special came along at the same gait. It was just a few minutes before 6 o'clock when it reached the point in the road where the accident happened.

There were probably only three men in the world who could have told just what happened and how. These three men are Engineer Foyle, Fireman Thomas, and a young man of the name of McKay, an officiat of the Wagner company, who was riding in the engine with them, and they, it is supposed, are at the bottom of the river. From the survivors of the wreck, including the three or four persons on the train who were awake at the time of the accident, this story is gathered:

Three Blasts of the Whistle.

There were three blasts of the whistle. A moment later there was a sudden jar, as though the engineer had suddenly applied the brakes. The train seemed to slow up. Then there was a jerk, as though the engineer had opened the throttle again and started the train at greater speed; then a third shock, not very great, but sufficient for those who were awake to notice it and remember it after the accident. Then came a fall. It was as if the bottom had dropped out of things. One man, telling of it afterward, said it felt "just as if we were in an elevator and the rope broke and let us down." Then came a final shock and the crashing of wood and the shrieks of people awakened from their sleep and crying wild-

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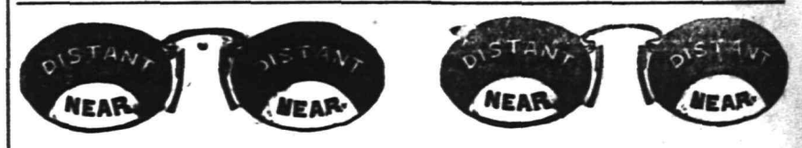

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—Queen City Lodge, I. O. O. F., will celebrate its anniversary this evening. An entertaining programme has been arranged.

—On Friday afternoon next there will be a cake, candy and apron sale at the residence of Mrs. John Doull Miller, 222 East Ninth street, for the benefit of the work taken charge of by Ernest Louis Walz, Jr., among the poor whites of North Carolina. Hours from 3 until 6 o'clock.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

L. C. Hurtt and family, of Manasquan, spent Sunday with Plainfield relatives.

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Miss Nellie Rockfellow, of Park avenue, is entertaining her friend, Miss Potter.

A few weeks ago the editor was taken with a very severe cold that caused him to be in a most miserable condition. It was undoubtedly a bad case of la grippe and recognizing it as dangerous he took immediate steps to bring about a speedy cure. From the advertisement of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the many good recommendations included therein, we concluded to make a first trial of the medicine. To say that it was satisfactory in its results, is putting it very mildly, indeed. It acted like magic and the result was a speedy and permanent cure. We have no hesitancy in recommending this excellent Cough Remedy to anyone afflicted with a cough or cold in any form.—The Banner of Liberty, Libertytown, Maryland. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Miss Jessie Dobbins and her friend, Miss McLoughlin, of Newark, were guests of Plainfield relatives Saturday.

Those who believe chronic diarrhœa to be incurable should read what Mr. P. E. Grisham, of Gaars Mills, La., has to say on the subject, viz.: "I have been a sufferer from chronic diarrhœa ever since the war and have tried all kinds of medicines for it. At last I found a remedy that effected a cure and that was Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy." This medicine can always be depended upon for colic, cholera morbus, dysentery and diarrhœa. It is pleasant to take and never fails to affect a cure. 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

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James Smith, of Elmwood place, has returned from a visit with Poughkeepsie friends.

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ly for help. For half an hour after this the screaming was kept up and there was the smashing of glass and the cutting away of woodwork as the people who had been sleeping in the cars and had not been killed forced their way out and helped their companions who had been injured.

It was just dawn. The gray light of the morning was scarcely sufficient to enable those who had got out of the wreck to see in their work of rescue. The men who were out of the cars first and who had wit enough about them to take in the scene say that ashore they saw nothing but a great hole in the embankment where the tracks had been. The engine had disappeared entirely so had the tender. Floating down the river at a distance they could see the express car, and a little behind that the roof of a day coach. There were left the combination car, smashed almost into kindling wood; the first sleeper, the Glen Alpin, almost entirely submerged; the second sleeper, the Hernes, lying over in the water at an angle of 45 degrees, both ends smashed in and half the windows broken, with the water even with the windows themselves; and the third sleeper, the Niobe, all off of the embankment and lying forward end down, that end submerged and the other standing out of the water.

On the rails left on the embankment stood the other sleepers. The people in them were just piling out. They had been terribly tossed about, but a kind Providence had saved them from the fate of their fellows. The couplings and the brake hose had broken. The passengers in the cars that did not go into the river aided in the work of rescue. It was low tide. They could wade out to two of the cars, and windows were smashed in with stones, and the people were pulled out as fast as they could be found. Some of them were up to their necks in water before they were rescued.

The third car, the Glen Alpin, had caught fire, and little jets of smoke and tongues of flame were shooting up from the part that stood above the surface of the water. But the car sank deeper and deeper, and the flames were quickly extinguished. While they were still burning ten—perhaps fifteen—of the people in the car were taken out. They were lifted through the windows. From the other cars some escaped by battering out the end doors. The passenger coach was the only one on which the

Stories of Passengers.

A. Boli, Jr., of Kuttawa, Ky., was in the rear sleeper of the train when the accident occurred. Mr. Boli told graphically of the escape.

"I was in the lower berth in the sleeper when I felt a jar which awakened me. Then I felt a third jar. At the same instant I heard screams and groans. I then climbed from my berth and slipped on my clothes as quickly as possible. When I reached the ground I saw the front coach standing in the water. All except the top part of the coach was submerged. The car was almost standing on end, with the passenger end down. I saw several persons struggling in the water, and there were screams and groans as the car sunk deeper and deeper in the water.

"This car contained a number of Chinamen. I don't know how many. It was evident that the imprisoned men and women in this car were swimming at the top, and as the water came closer and closer to them, as the car gradually sunk, their cries for help were pitiful.

"Just at this time a young man, whose name I do not know, ran from one of the rear sleepers, and, seizing an axe, he plunged into the water and swam to the sinking car. He mounted the car and began to chop away the top.

"When the top gave in he reached down and pulled out a half-drowned man. Then he pulled out a second, and then a third, and then a fourth man.

"These four men were removed from the top of the car by a boat. There was man who had his arm torn out. He clung to the rock wall and cried for help. He was removed by a rowboat and was taken to the bank, where he died."

I. D. Burrows, a farmer, of Fayette, Seneca County, who was a passenger on the second sleeper, said:

"I slept with my clothes on, and was awakened by a jar, which gave me the impression that we had broken a wheel. I had been in a railroad accident before, and instantly realized that I was in another. I was near the door, and managed to get out just as the cars were sinking, and gained the roof. The other cars were floating down the stream, and the shrieks of the Chinamen and other passengers were awful. Melville Shaw, the agent of the Westcott Express Company, who was in the baggage car, succeeded in chopping his way out, and, although injured, managed to swim ashore. I stayed on top of the cars and helped to pull people out of the holes chopped in the roof by the railroad men."

I. B. Littlefield, secretary of the Buffalo division of the Wagner Palace Car Company, was a passenger in the car Glen Alpine, which was the first of the sleeping cars to go into the water. Mr. Littlefield said:

"I was awakened by the sudden jar of the train, and, knowing that we were very near the river, held myself in readiness to get out as soon as the train stopped. I was conscious of a strange sensation, as if the car was sinking, and for a moment could not imagine what was the matter. The air in the car began to get warm suddenly, and I thought the car was afire. I jumped out of my berth and found it was the water that was rising in the car and forcing the warm air upward. I was in the lower berth and opposite that occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Acton. I succeeded in getting a window open, and Mrs. Acton wanted to jump out into the river. Her husband and I restrained her, and then he climbed out of the window to the roof. I lifted Mrs. Acton out of the window, and her husband caught her by the arms and pulled her up, while I lifted her feet. There were three other women in the car, and other men were attending to getting them out."

Mr. Depew Talks of the Wreck.

Chauncey M. Depew was seen at his home, 43 West Fifty-fourth street, last evening, but could offer no explanation as to the cause of the accident.

"I cannot account for it," he said. "None of us seems to be able to fix the blame upon any one. It seems to be one of those unaccountable accidents or possibly the work of miscreants. There has never been any trouble on that piece of track since it was built, forty-five years ago. As the roadbed was built in the river by casing in rock the catastrophe might be ascribable to some natural disintegration of the foundation. Perhaps the embankment did not give way at all, however, and the accident might have been caused by a broken axle. Or, again, some tramp might have loosened a rail or placed a stick of dynamite on the tracks for the accomplishment of any of several purposes. If the road bed sank it must have done so suddenly, as the engineer would undoubtedly have seen any depression in the rails and given an alarm.

"The Atlantic express passed over the track fifty minutes before the accident occurred. The fast mail went north thirty-one minutes before the wreck. If there had been anything at all wrong with the roadbed then it could surely have been noticed. What makes the accident more inexplicable is that it occurred on a straight stretch of track, and one of the best policed sections in the United States."

WANTED $2,000,000 IN A HURRY.

Two Women Rush to England After a Fairy Fortune.

London, Oct. 25.—Another case has come to light of foolish persons in the United States being made to believe tales of wealth awaiting heirs in England. Mrs. Nolan and Mrs. Rafferty, of East Seventeenth street, New York, arrived here a fortnight ago, and called at the office of Charles Russell, son of the Lord Chief Justice, saying that they wanted to collect $2,000,000 belonging to the heirs of the O'Neal estate, adding that they wanted the money that week, so as to be able to return to New York on the steamer which brought them here.

Mr. Russell examined the documents, which showed no evidence of being of the slightest value, at the same time informing his visitors that no such sum was unclaimed in Chancery. The two women having spent all the money they had in the voyage from New York to England, Mr. Russell paid their passage back to the United States.

SURVEYS FOR THE CAPITAL.

Work Promptly Begun Under the New Architect.

Harrisburg, Pa., Oct. 25.—Henry Ives Cobb, the architect selected to prepare the plans and superintend the erection of the new State capitol, has started the preliminary work. He had surveys made for the excavation, and to-day the Commission advertised for bids for the excavating.

As fast as the work is completed bids will be asked for the foundation and superstructure, and the work will be pushed rapidly.

Mr. Cobb says he expects to have the building ready for occupancy by the time the next Legislature meets. The architect adds that he thinks he has solved the matter of a new capitol to the satisfaction of the people.

The Commissioners are not disposed to talk of the outcome of the case before the Supreme Court.

TO PRISON FOR LIFE.

The Slayer of Postmaster Adams at White Plains Sentenced.

White Plains, N. Y., Oct. 25.—Peter James, alias Eddie Jacques, who was on Saturday found guilty of murder in the second degree, was this morning sentenced to imprisonment for life.

James was accused of killing Walker B. Adams, the postmaster at Bedford Station, during a fight that followed an attempt to rob Adams' store and in which one of James' companions, John Clare, was killed, and another of the gang, John Jenkins, was fatally wounded by Adams' son, James was also badly wounded.

The sentence is more satisfactory to the Adams family than any other would have been, as they did not seek to have any more lives sacrificed in this sad affair, three having already died from their wounds.

Gen. Duffield Must Go.

Washington, Oct. 25.—The resignation of Gen. W. W. Duffield, Chief of the Coast and Geodetic Survey, has been caled for by the President. The chief was appointed to his office by President Cleveland. He is a Democrat. It is said that he would have been removed months ago but for the influence of Secretary Alger.

The leading charge against Gen. Duffield is incompetency. It is also contended that he is too old to perform such important and scientific duties.

Japan Appeals to England.

London, Oct. 25.—The assertion is made upon diplomatic authority that Japan has appealed to the good offices of England to support certain of her claims in connection with the annexation of Hawaii to the United States, and that Sir Julian Pauncefote, the British Ambassador at Washington, has been instructed to broach the matter to the American Government.

President Diaz's Son to Be Married.

City of Mexico, Oct. 25.—The official announcement of the wedding on Nov. 25 of Capt. Porfirio Diaz, son of President Diaz, and Miss Luisa Ralgosa, a young lady of a highly respected family of this city, has just been made. Capt. Diaz returned recently from a long sojourn in France, where he pursued his military studies.

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Threatening Weather and Rain Tonight and Tuesday; Dangerous Northeast Winds, Hurricane Velocity, Near the Coast; Stationary Temperature.

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 57 Degrees.

COMING EVENTS.

October 25—William Blaikie at the Y. M. C. A. "How to Get Strong."

October 26—Class in Bible study led by W. D. Murray at the Y. M. C. A., at 8 p. m.

October 26—Entertainment Plainfield Mandolin and Guitar Club at Monroe Avenue church.

October 28—Rev. H. K. Samuelian will give his second illustrated lecture for the Y. M. C. A.

October 31—Men's meeting at Y. M. C. A., 4 p. m. Addresses by Captain Agnes Cater and Minnie and Bertie Badenhaupt, of the Salvation Army. Special music.

AN EXPERIENCE IN TEMPERANCE

The one exciting feature of the convention of the Synod of Presbyterian churches held in this city last week was the discussion concerning the temperance resolutions which were directed at Princeton University. The agitation in this direction made a timely topic for Rev. A. A. Murphy, a Presbyterian clergyman of New Brunswick, and last evening he delivered a sermon in defence of Dr. Shields, who in company with Former President Cleveland, signed an application for a liquor license for Princeton Inn.

He said that from the criticism which the affair has aroused one might think that the University was engaged in the sale of liquor. This was not the case. Princeton Inn was simply an experiment, an honest-hearted one, in behalf of temperance. In the old days the college students patronized the saloons and drank in their rooms They went to New York and resorted to all sorts of methods to obtain drink. All efforts to stop drinking had failed. If drinking existed and must exist, it was best it should be openly. None of the younger students could obtain beer or anything intoxicating in the Inn. Those promoting the cause of temperance deserved credit for the purity of their motive in taking up the matter. Much had been made of the fact that one of the signers was a prominent Presbyterian minister and a member of the faculty. There was no law which would prevent a minister acting as he pleased as an American citizen. Some of the criticism, he said, was caused by jealousy of Princeton University.

There is only one way to consider the exciting turn of affairs that was enacted between Bound Brook and Somerville yesterday in the determination of the New York and Philadelphia Traction Company to gain possession of the right of way over a disputed piece of territory, and that is the utter condemnation of such extraordinary tactics. The defiance of the law was so open and insistent on the part of the invading army of workmen—mere tools in the hands of men whose particular actions in this instance bordered very closely to anarchy—that no law respecting citizen can passively condone such flagrant usurpation of constituted processes, resulting in temporarily acquiring what is only to be finally secured through the regular channels of administrative government.

The New York Central Railroad is recognized as being one of the most carefully operated roads in the country, but yet its fate has been to suffer two of the worst accidents that have had horrifying details in recent years. Its chances of accident are considered to be reduced to the minimum, but with all the millions of dollars spent in adopting inventions to gain this reputation the crumbling particle of earth that held a massive rock was, in this case, as if those millions had never been applied to such purposes. It is, indeed, the small, unforseen things that count in this world.

The iceman has had his day, the coalman is having his, but the plumber is yet to make his debut. He occupies the centre of the stage with Jack Frost.

The campaign ends one week from tonight.

A Quiet Wedding.

Fred A. Dietz, of this city, and Miss Florence C. Colbrook, of New Brighton, Staten Island, were married at the Christ church rectory in New Brighton, on Saturday, October 16. The wedding was a quiet family affair, Mr. and Mrs. Dietz are now residing at the groom's home at 730 Richmond street.

EASY VICTORY SECURED

PLAINFIELD TEAM WON AT FOOTBALL FROM A NEWARK ELEVEN.

The Score Was 8 to 0 and Would Have Been Still Larger in Plainfield's Favor if it Had Not Been For the Continued Tumbling

With a team considerably weakened by the loss of several of the regular team, the football eleven of the Plainfield Athletic Association defeated the crack team from the Garfield Field Club, of Newark, on Martin common Saturday afternoon by a score of 8 to 0. That the score was not larger was due to the continual fumbling of the Plainfield backs in the first half. The home team slightly outweighed their opponents but the visitors played well together, putting up a quick, snappy game and contesting every inch of ground.

The team that represented Plainfield was considerably different from that which has heretofore lined up. Snediker and Titcomb were new candidates on the ends but both put up a creditable game. If Titcomb was twenty pounds heavier there would be no question as to his holding the position permanently. Lovell played fullback for one half and, but for several fumbles, played a steady game, hitting the line for repeated gains.

The Plainfielders defended the eastern goal and had the kickoff. The Garfields were unable to gain and kicked to Darling. The home team bucked the centre unsuccessfully and Lovell kicked out of bounds. Schuyler was on hand and fell on the ball, which immediately went back to the visitors on a fumble. Four unsuccessful attempts to gain gave Plainfield the ball and it was forced down the field great hopes being torn in the opposing line. Hallock made a gain of ten yards on the tackle play. Darling fumbled and the ball went to Garfield on their one-yard line. Fisher kicked out of bounds and Conant fell on it.

Hallock recovered the ball for Plainfield on a fumble and it was pushed down to Garfield's two-yard line, when Lovell fumbled. Plainfield gained possession of the ball on the visitor's ten-yard line, but were unable to advance it before time was called. Score: Plainfield, 0; Garfield, 0.

In the second half Freeman went behind the line, while Lovell, who was suffering with an injured ankle, took his old position at left tackle, Schuyler retiring. Mr. Meredith made a very satisfactory referee, but the umpire was an inoffensive person, who had nothing to say except when prodded on by his team. His only glaring mistake was to call a beautiful tackle of Titcomb's foul at the request of his team.

The home team played together better and the fumbling disappeared. At the start Plainfield took the aggressive and kept the ball moving down the field. Freeman ran to left end from the thirty-yard line, and was forced out of bounds one yard from Garfield's goal line. He dove through centre for a touchdown. Lovell missed the goal. Score: Plainfield, 4; Garfield, 0.

Serrell ran around right end for forty-five yards, and then Freeman went through for twenty-five more, making another touchdown. Lovell failed to kick the goal. Score: Plainfield, 8; Garfield, 0. Darkness was coming on fast and it was impossible to see who had the ball. The visitors hammered the Plainfield line and gradually advanced the ball to Plainfield's two-yard line when time was called. It was at this time that the umpire called the foul tackle by Titcomb.

A large crowd witnessed the game and cheered the good plays of both sides. The lineup:

Plainfield A. A.		Garfield F. C.
Snediker	right end	Conant
Hallock	right tackle	Price
Brown	right guard	Baldwin
Cuming	centre	Cobb
Hinrich	left guard	Fish
Schuyler, Lovell	left tackle	Wells
Titcomb	left end	Mason
Waring	quarterback	Brown
Serrell	right halfback	Moore
Darby, Freeman	left halfback	Cochrane
Lovell, Darling	fullback	Fisher

Time—Two twenty-minute halves. Score—Plainfield A. A., 8; Garfield F. C., 0. Touchdowns—Freeman, 2. Goals from touchdowns—0. Referee—A. B. Meredith, of Plainfield. Umpire—L. A. Pollock, of Newark. Timekeeper—Marion S. Ackerman, of Plainfield. Linesmen—Laurens H. VanBuren and A. Willis West, of Plainfield.

Borough Built the Sidewalk

The many pedestrians who travel on Craig place have recently been profuse in their thanks to the owner of the vacant lot on that street for having at last laid a stone walk in front of his property, thus completing the only break on the street. In conversation with Mayor Wilson this morning, His Honor asked The Press to contradict the impression that has gone forth that the owner of the lot put down the walk. He says the borough was compelled to do it and charge it against the owner.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The fac simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Mizpah Lodge, U. O. of I. O. L., will hold an important meeting this evening.

—Tomorrow evening Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., will hold their regular meeting.

—Stone Square Lodge, F. and A. M., will meet this evening and transact important business.

—There will be an entertaining contest at the meeting of the Plainfield Council Royal Arcanum.

—A meeting of the Women's Home Missionary Society of the First M. E. church will be held tomorrow afternoon.

—The Town Improvement Association will meet at the Y. M. C. A. rooms tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

—The Washingtonville school trustees advertise for sealed bids for an issue of bonds to raise money to build a new schoolhouse.

—The annual convention of the Union County Sunday-school Association will be held at Cranford, Thursday. A delegation will go from most of the local Sunday-schools.

—A demonstration on aristo-patino paper will be given at the Camera Club rooms tonight. They invite all amateurs to be present and witness the working of this popular paper.

—The Christian Endeavor Society of the Congregational church will give a Hallowe'en sociable at the residence of Mrs. M. E. Dwight, of 93 Rockview avenue, on Friday evening.

—The annual meeting of the Congregational Women's Home Missionary Society of New Jersey will be held in Newark, Wednesday and Thursday. Plainfield will be represented by several delegates.

—Former Mayor Alex. Gilbert, of this city, president of the Market and Fulton National Bank, has been elected a member of the executive committee of Group No. 8, of the State Bankers' Association, of New York.

—Tickets for the concert to be held in the Monroe Avenue church tomorrow evening, under the auspices of the Young Men's Association, can be had of any member of the above association, or of the members of the Plainfield Mandolin and Guitar Club, or at Neuman Bros., grocery on Watchung avenue

—It is easy to be satisfied when you come to Peck's to buy. His large stock affords such an excellent assortment to select from and the quality of his goods is such that you have confidence in them. You do not feel always as if something was going to happen or go wrong with them. And everyone knows his prices are always low.

TO BUILD MARINE MACHINERY.

City Judge DeMeza Interested in the New Company.

Articles of incorporation have been filed at Trenton for a new manufacturing concern in which a prominent Plainfielder is interested. The new company is the New York Compound Engine Company, of Jersey City. The stockholders are City Judge George W. DeMeza, of this city, Frank S. Rose, George B. Townsend and Peter Snyder, of New York. The company will manufacture machinery for ships and steamers and the works will probably be established at Elizabethport on the Kills. The new compound engine, a recent invention of Mr. Rose, who was a former resident of this city, will be built. It will be used specially for steam yachts and launches. The company is capitalized at $100,000.

A meeting of the stockholders will be held at Taylor's Hotel, Jersey City, this evening, to elect officers and to decide on a location for the works.

Admitted as a Pupil Nurse.

At the meeting of the executive committee, board of governors, of Muhlenberg Hospital, yesterday, Miss Emma C. Studeman was admitted as a pupil nurse at the recommendation of the medical staff, having served satisfactorily the probationary month at the hospital.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury.

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by druggists, price 75c per bottle.

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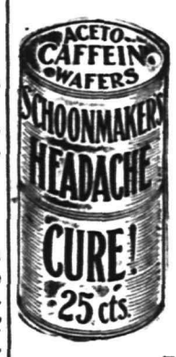
SIXTEEN SOCIAL SOCIETY.

Novel Organization With Elevating Purpose Composed of Young Women.

If the young women of Plainfield are anything, they are original, and the organization of a society under the name of Sixteen Social Society demonstrates this fact. The society is composed, as the name signifies, of sixteen young women, and they will all hold their meeting one week from tomorrow evening at the home of one of the members. None of the sterner sex are to be allowed to attend. The organization is purely a social one, but the members will devote a portion of their time to studying favorite standard subjects. It has been considered that it would be well to have an occasional dance at which time the gentlemen friends can be present. This idea was suggested by one of the sixteen, but the question has not yet been decided

—The regular meeting of the Exempt Firemen's Association will be held in their rooms Wednesday.

For Headaches



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A charming musical recitation by

Miss Marion Short,

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MONROE AVENUE M. E. CHURCH,

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TICKETS 35 CENTS.

Under auspices of Young Men's Association.

10 22 3

MUSIC HALL.

Friday Oct. 29th.

Sixth Consecutive Season of Jas. A. Herne's Beautiful Comedy-Drama.

SHORE ACRES

Direction of H. C. MINER.

Presented by a Fine Company of Players with Entire new Scenery and many Unique Realistic Novelties. A superb Production guaranteed. Prices never vary.

Reserved seats.....$1.00, 75, 50, 35 and 25cts.

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Monday, Oct. 25, Lecture by Wm. Blaikie, subject, "How to Get Strong." Thursday, Nov 25, "Judge" Wm. B Green, Reciter and Story Teller; Chas. S. Thompson, Necromancer, A rich program. Saturday, Jan. 1, Will Lyle, Minstrel and Banjo Specialist; J. S. Blackton, Humorist and Caricaturist. Monday, Jan. 31, Lovett's Boston Stars, a High Class Up-to-Date Concert Company. Tuesday, Feb 22, Royal S. Goldsbury, Humorist and Impersonator. Come and enjoy a good laugh; Miss Jackson, Reader, Midmer Glee Club. Monday, Mar. 28, Miss Edith M. Norton, Reader; Miss Laura C. Blackwell, Scotch Balad Singer; Peter L. Conde, Violinist; Chas. L. Lewis, Baritone.

Tickets now on sale at the Association Rooms and at Leggett's Pharmacy. 10 20 5

MUSIC HALL.

Ushers' Benefit.

TUESDAY, Oct. 26th.

one night only.

Favorite Comedians,

DONNELLY & GIRARD

In the Spectacular Operetta

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS ITHAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.I

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

William Hamilton is detained at home with a serious illness.

Samuel Merrill is somewhat improved from his hip affection.

George Richardson was detained at home Saturday by a slight illness.

Miss Dyckman is being entertained by Mrs. Egbert, of Prospect avenue.

Mrs. Smalley, of Plainfield, has returned home after a short visit in town.

Mrs. L. Taylor has returned from her visit with friends in Elizabeth and Bayonne.

Mrs. W. H. Hamilton, of Westfield, has been the guest of friends in the borough.

P. C. Staats has returned from Bound Brook, where he has been on business.

Miss Martin and Miss Bray, of Plainfield, called on borough friends Saturday.

Rev. A. I. Martine exchanged pulpits with Rev. Mr. Hasbrouck, of Peapack, yesterday.

Miss Edith Able, who has been visiting Mrs. Frank Bolby, left yesterday for New Hampton.

Miss Jessie Haines, of New Market, has returned home after a visit with out-of-town friends.

G. W. Churchill, of Washington avenue, entertained his brother from Jersey City last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Bodine are attending the W. C. T. U. convention now being held at Buffalo.

Miss Emma Jones, of Finderne, was the guest of friends in the borough and Plainfield on Saturday.

Mrs. C. H. Rugg, of Plainfield, spent Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Swackhamer.

The Slape house will be moved this week on the foundations adjoining the City Industrial Home at Plainfield.

Mrs. E. E. Anthony and family, of Plainfield, and Miss Winton, of Paterson, were guests in town last Saturday.

Christopher Huff has moved from North avenue to one of the houses on Front street owned by the Land Improvement Company.

SCOTCH PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Mrs. J. A. Baker has removed to her house on Forest avenue.

Ernest Humes, of New York, spent Sunday with friends in town.

The Registry Board will meet in the town rooms tomorrow from 1 until 9 p. m.

Fanwood Council, No. 744, R A., will meet in their rooms tomorrow evening.

J. E. Flannery, of East Front street, Plainfield, was the guest of his mother yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schreiner, of Netherwood, spent Sunday with relatives in town.

The Elmwood Vaudeville Company will give an entertainment in Excelsior Hall tonight.

Miss Anna Andrews led the Christian Endeavor meeting in the Baptist church last evening.

Wm. Flanders will start on his trip south on Tuesday. GeorgeRockafellow, of Plainfield, will accompany him.

Miss Mina Hosinger was tendered a surprise party last Friday evening. The company enjoyed games and refreshments. Guests were present from Plainfield, Netherwood and Scotch Plains.

The Ladies' Circle of the Baptist church will meet at the residence of Mrs. F. W. Westcott on Wednesday afternoon. It is arranging to hold an apron sale in the church parlors in the near future.

Property Transfers.

The following property transfer has been recorded at County Clerk Howard's office, Oct. 16th to 23d, as reported in the New Jersey Contractor and Gazette:

Rectors Grace P. E. church, Plainfield, to David C. Smalley, lot East Front street and southwestern line of Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, $1,780.

The following contracts have also been filed:

James E. Martine with Novelty Generator, steam heating, $497; Craig A. Marsh with G. J. Tobin, heating house, Park avenue and Second street, $10.97.

WESTFIELD

CELEBRATED A VICTORY

WESTFIELD FOOTBALL ENTHUSIASTS PARADED THE STREETS.

Accident to W. J. Arkell—News of the Churches and Other Items of a Personal and Interesting Character.

Westfield was the scene of a grand demonstration by the town's football enthusiasts on Saturday evening, in celebration of the Westfield Club eleven's victory over the Elizabeth Y. M. C. A. team in the afternoon, which practically gives The Journal trophy cup to Westfield. The game was called on the North Broad street grounds, Elizabeth, at 4 o'clock. Westfield won the toss and gave Elizabeth the ball and the kickoff. The final score was 8 to 6 in Westfield's favor. Westfield is now at the head of the list in The Journal League, having won four games and lost none. The celebration in the evening took the form of a parade about the town, and an ovation to the players.

W. J. Arkell, of the Boulevard, was exercising one of his trotting horses on the county road near Roselle yesterday afternoon, when a wheel of the pneumatic sulky was broken in making a short turn, and the horse ran away, throwing its driver out. Mr. Arkell was taken in a carriage to Cranford, where he found his horse in the possession of a man who had captured it as it came into town.

The Boards of Registry of the First and Second election districts hold their last meeting tomorrow from 1 to 9 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of revising the registry lists for the approaching election.

A football team captained by Frank Howe defeated a picked Cranford team on the North Broad street grounds Saturday morning by the score of 46 to 0.

The Westfield Universal football team defeated the Scotch Plains Juniors on the North Broad street grounds, Saturday afternoon by the score 4 to 0.

Justice Collins issued a summons on Saturday in the case of Griffen against H. B. Smith, on contract, returnable next Monday.

Rev. George A. Francis and Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Conant will attend the Baptist State convention which meets at Trenton tomorrow.

Rev. Baker Smith, D. D., preached in the Congregational church last evening, and the choir rendered special music.

M. Saulsbury led the Epworth League meeting in the Methodist church last evening.

Mrs. H. Smith, of Broad street, is spending a week with Miss Belle Flowers, in Montclair.

Mrs. W. H. Davies has returned from a visit in Bayonne city.

THEATRICAL.

At Music Hall tomorrow night Donnelly and Girard, old Plainfield favorites will be on hand to make mirth for patrons of this house. They come heralded with the success they so righly deserve in this new enterprise—the spectacular operetta "The Geezer," a play in three acts, abounding in funny situations, witty sayings and new songs and catchy music. 'Tis a most enjoyable and laughable play, full two and a half hours of continuous laughter.

"Shore Acres" is the strongest play of New England life known to the stage. Its scenes are laid along the wave-washed coast of Maine and the characters engaged in unfolding its story are native to the soil. The dialogue in Mr. Herne's famous comedy abounds in homely sayings and there is much that is both humorous and pathetic. This is the sixth season for "Shore Acres" and the play promises to continue its popularity with the patrons of the drama for many years to come. A fine scenic production of Mr. Herne's masterpiece will be given at Music Hall next Friday evening.

A Y. M. C. A. FOR THE PLAINS.

To Be Established in Old Church Property by Generosity of Dr. Coles.

The old property owned by the Baptist church in Scotch Plains is about to be thoroughly renovated and put in the best of condition by Dr. Cole, who has shown the hand of generosity in so many ways, and is to be used as a Y. M. C. A. building. It will be finely equipped and the arrangement will be as perfect as possible. It was Dr. Cole's idea of interesting himself in the matter to the extent of erecting a building purposely for the young men of this vicinity, but circumstances are such that it was not deemed wise considering the size of the place. The young men will have great cause for appreciation when they are able to enjoy the above-named improvement at the hands of such a worthy and beloved philanthropist.

W. Kirby Dwight, of Princeton University, returned to Plainfield to spend Sunday at his home on Rockview avenue.

Quality and Price Are the Prizes.

What would you think of a lawyer who tried to secure clients by offering chances on a bicycle? Would you want the services of a physician who offered to give coal hods or sofa pillows to patients who employed him regularly?

We think not. We believe also that when sickness comes and you have prescriptions to be filled or need any other aid that the skilled pharmacist can render, you want perfect service at a fair price—nd nothing else.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Rufus Case, Jr., of Philadelphia, spent Sunday with his parents on East Ninth street.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Dobbins, of Elmwood place, spent yesterday in Newark with relatives.

Charles Van Middlesworth, of Brooklyn, is spending a few days in Plainfield with relatives.

William Price, of Newark, was the guest of Phillip Suffren, of Linden avenue, Saturday night.

Raymond A. McGee, of Orchard avenue, returned from Yale University to spend Sunday in Plainfield.

Rev. Dr. J. L. Hurlbut, of New York, spent Sunday as the guest of J. W. Jackson, of Cresecent avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter VanCamp, of South Branch, are visiting their son, Leonard VanCamp, of Prospect place.

Thomas D. Blair, of Princeton University, spent Saturday and Sunday at his home on East Second street.

Wm. F. Phillips, of New London, Conn., spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cardner, of Orange place.

Fred Huff, of New street, who has been spending the past ten weeks in Pennsylvania, spent Sunday at his home in this city.

George Rockfellow, of Park avenue, son of George W. Rockfellow, the grocer, will leave the city tomorrow for Texas, where he will spend the winter.

The engagement is announced of Miss Annie Stewart, daughter of Walter E. Stewart, of West Seventh street, to Eugene A. Moore, of Central avenue.

MUSICAL PROGRAMME.

Concert to Be Given By the Plainfield Mandolin and Guitar Club.

The programme for the concert to be given in the Monroe Avenue church Tuesday evening by the Plainfield Banjo, Mandolin and Guitar Club, is as follows:

PART FIRST.

King Cotton March.....Sousa
By the club.
Piano duet—Trot de Cavalerie.....Rubenstein
Prof. and Mrs. Weitz.
Banjo solo—Dell Oro.....Fred F. VanEps
Musical recitation—"The Red Fan."
Miss Short, accompanied by Mrs. Weitz
Herarld Square March.....J. A. Silberburg
By the club.

During the intermission Mr. VanEps will give a phonographic exhibition.

PART SECOND.

Handicap.....Rosey
By the club.
Recitation—"A Modern Elijah" Richard Yorke
Miss Short.
Banjo duet—White Star Line March...Brooks
Messrs. Smith and VanEps.
Xylophone solo—"Song of the Roses"....Levy
Mr. Hillman.
Recitation—"A Telephone Romance".Pauline Phelps
Miss Short.
Juno March.....Smith
By the club.

Wants a Guardian Appointed.

The Chancery case of O'Connor against O'Connor will come up for hearing this afternoon before Chancellor McGill. The motion for the appointment of a guardian ad liten for the infant defendant will be argued. Hon. W. S. Stuhr, of Hoboken, is for the plaintiff and Wm. Newcorn, of this city, for the defendants.

Scrofula is the advertisement of foul blood. It may be entirely driven from the system by the faithful use of Hood's Sarsaparilla, which thoroughly purifies the blood.

Hood's Pills are easy to take, easy to operate. Cure indigestion, biliousness. 25c.

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An Issue of Bonds

for the

ERECTION OF A NEW SCHOOL HOUSE

at Washingtonville, North Plainfield Township, said issue having been authorized by the voters of North Plainfield Township, at a meeting held at Washingtonville, August 19, 1897. These bonds are issued in denomination of $100.00 each, and in five series, bearing interest at the lowest rate per annum the purchasers may agree upon, said interest not to exceed 5 per cent per annum.
The 1st Series $500 00 mature Dec. 1, 1898,
" 2d " $500 00 mature 2 years from date of sale.
The 3d Series $500.00 mature 3 years from date of sale.
The 4th Series $500.00 mature 4 years from date of sale.
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GEO. W. COLE,
-:-UNDERTAKER and EMBALMER,-:-
200 W. SECOND ST. TELEPHONE 153.
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WANTS AND OFFERS.

FIRST-CLASS help and first class places at the Swedish intelligence office, 23 Somerset place. 8 23 tf

DESIRABLE house, low rental, improved. 235 East Sixth street. Call, 231. 9 10 tf

WANTED—Capable girl for general housework; Swede or German. Apply at once, 662 West Seventh street. 10 23 2

GAS or gasoline engine wanted. Debele's dairy, 111 Somerset street. 10 25 tf

KNIFE pleating made by the yard. Leave orders at Rand's, 140 West Front street. 10 25 3

BUILDING lot, 46x150, West Fifth street, near Monroe avenue, for sale; price $175.

BUILDING lots for sale, Lyman place, 50x125; price $200 to $300 each.

CHEAPEST building lots in the city for sale; Manson place, 40x150; price $300.

6 room house, East Sixth street, all improvements, for sale; price $2,500, cash or installments.

7 room house, mountain house, all improvements, hot water heat, large lot; price $3,000. Charles H. Hand, 317 Watchung avenue. 10 25 eod 2

FOR SALE—Several fine fresh Jersey cows. Geo. Demler, Jr., Washingtonville. 10 25 3

STRAYED away Sunday morning; small skye terrier pup. Liberal reward if returned to 20 Rockview avenue. 10 25 5

$500 wanted on second mortgage; "Gilt Edge" property; state terms, no agents. Address Mortgage, care Press. 10 25 tf

TO LET—Fusnished rooms with or without board. 9 Grove St. 10 25 3

WANTED—Chambermaid and waitress. Apply with references, 452 West Eighth street. 10 25 3

WANTED—An experienced cook (white). Apply Superintendent Muhlenberg Hospital, 10 25 2

LOST—Small fox terrier, black around head and one eye; answers to name "Gypsy." Reward for return to 72 Summit avenue.

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has lifted this business into its present popularity. This same lever props up every trade transaction which takes place over our counters. Never in this store's history have you been invited to investigate such an assortment of close priced merchandise. 'Twill well repay you to compare our prices and our goods with others—we know we will

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values. Not ordinary every day lots at ordinary every day prices, but bargains in every sense of the word.
40 in Fancy Plaids.....49c
40 in silk and wool Mixtures.....48c
54 in Ladies' Cloth.....49c
50-in Broad Cloth.....79c
45 in Granite Suiting.....49c
50-in Boucle Suiting.....69c

A Silk Sale

When you read this we will have on sale two thousand yards of the finest black silk ever shown in this town of yours and ours from the great auction sale of Schuarzenback, Huber & Co., all bought 40 per cent below their value and sold the same way.
Beautiful Faille.....69 cts
Satin Rhadames.....79 and 85 cts
Satin Mascottes.....89 and 98 cts
A postal card will bring you samples.

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Just the opening items. Goods and prices talk stronger than columns of chat. 'Twill be our busy week in hosiery and underwear.
Children's fleeced lined vests and pants, ...5c up
Children's natural wool vests and pants, ...10c up
Ladies' ribbed vests and pants, fleeced 25c
Ladies' natural wool vests and pants, 50c
Children's heavy school hose, all sizes 10c
Ladies' fine seamless hose, fast black 12c
Ladies' extra fine hose, 25c kind, 18c pair

Men's Furnishings.

Men's heavy wool shirts.....29c
natural wool shirts.....38c
outing shirts.....32c
white linen shirts.....33c
suspenders, 25c kind.....13c
half hose.....10c pair
silk neckwear, 50c kind... 25c
cambric handkerchiefs.5c each
linen handkerchiefs...15c each

A Book Bargain.

Over 500 finely-bound Novels that 'twill pay you to buy now for Christmas. Regular prices 50c, 75c and $1. Our price 19c, and take your pick.

A Cloak Week.

Many new lots from the best makers. The coat or cape you want is among them, and it won't cost you so much as you think. We ask you to inspect our stock.

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The best corset ever sold for 50c is here in black, white and drab—'tis the called Comet. Ask to see the Sonnette corset, a medium short waist, made of French contill and full boned—the price $1. The Kosmo, an extra heavy black corset, is a good one—price 75c. We carry a full line of W. B., P. N., Her Majesty and Thompson's corsets.

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On second floor. Take elevator.
Fine cambric wrappers.....75c | Flannelette wrappers.....98c
Fancy wool plaid shirt waists.....$1 37
Russian blouse waists, made of pretty worsted goods, $2.75. Skirts to match, $4. Suits, $6.75.
Corset covers.....9c, 12c, 17c, 19c and 25c each.
Fine black satine skirts.....$1, $1.25, $1.75 and $2.
Boys' outing flannel shirt waists.....25c, 29c and 50c

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Oak Dining Tables, $4.50 up.
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TO LET—First floor of house, No. 129 Duer street, four or five rooms newly papered; barn on premises if required. Inquire 41 Mountain Ave.

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STORE and dwelling connected, to let or for sale. Apply 214 Richmond street. 10 25 eod tf

ALL EYES ON NEW YORK

Greatest Political Fight in the History of the Metropolis.

CHANCES FOR EVERYBODY

Van Wyck Still the Favorite and Some Reason for It—The Chances Are that Senator Platt's Ticket Will Be Third.

New York, Oct. 25.—There has never been a more interesting political fight in New York than the one over the Mayoralty now in progress. Of course, nothing on a similar scale has ever been seen. Four parties fighting to divide, say, 510,000 votes, and every one of them in the race with a favorite at 2 to 1 against the field.

The chances for victory still favor Van Wyck, but sentiment is growing for Low, and if it contiues to grow until the close of the week the result will be close. There are some 30,000 to 40,000 voters who have not made up their minds whether to vote for Low or for Tracy.

Low Gains on Van Wyck.

If Low shows a decided and unmistakable advantage over Tracy these votes will go to him in a body. The Republicans know this and are going almost to the limit of absurdity in making claims in order to hold the Republican vote.

The strength of Low among business men is indicated by a declaration in his favor signed by 141 members of the sugar and coffee trade. Mayor Strong says that a week ago he did not believe that Low could win, but that the change of sentiment in the last few days had convinced him that he had been mistaken.

As yet there is a chance against Van Wyck. It is the unknown factor in George's vote. Not that it is likely to help George, but it may defeat the favorite and elect Low.

It must be remembered that George will stand for the labor and silver men, and it is said also for the disgruntled Tammany men. The latter need not be considered, and the others cannot be counted. There is no way to count them. There is a reasonable chance that they will vote solid for George. It is also possible that they will break into smithereens and divide their vote everywhere. If they could be depended upon, the forecast of the election would be easy.

Tammany's Forces.

The fact is, the saloon vote of New York will go nearly solid for Van Wyck. In Greater New York that means about 70,000. Then there are the truck drivers and owners that have been grievously offended by Col. Waring, who has forced them to remove the trucks from the streets. They are all sure for the Democratic ticket. Col. Waring says he removed 10,000 of them, and there are 10,000 old officeholders. There are 55,000 enrolled Democratic voters in Brooklyn and then there's the floating sentimental vote. If all these can be counted upon, it means well up to 185,000 for Van Wyck. The party managers speak of 210,000.

Low's House-to-House Canvass.

The Low managers are not so well supplied with money as are the Republicans, and they have been forced to curtail some of their campaign plans. They are engaged, however, in an active house-to-house canvass, the result of which they will make public this week.

Low's election in New York City means the smash of the Republican machine. George's election means disaster to Tammany. Tracy's chances are not to be considered—at least not to-day. It is the unexpected, however, that happens, and where the factors and complications are so many one may look for most any result. Still, for the present, Tracy may be left out of view in respect to his own chances.

George Set Against Croker.

George's friends are trying to persuade him to abandon his bitter personal attack on Croker, but he will not listen to them. In response to Croker's interview, in which he called George "contemptible," George said: "In regard to Croker's answer to my attack upon his character, I simply say, 'Where did he get it?' If I were in a position to obtain legal advice I would ask how he got the money. If I am elected Mayor the first thing I will do will be to set the machinery at work to send him to the penitentiary. I will go before the grand jury if I am elected Mayor of New York. I think the coming of Carter Harrison to help Tammany is merely one corrupt machine assisting another. I think I will be elected."

The George people count on a poll that will very nearly reach the registration, which was 567,000, and look for at least 545,000 voters, of which they yield to Low, 130,000; Van Wyck, 125,000, and Tracy, 95,000, with 20,000 scattering. That will seat their man with 175,000. Their calculation on George is based on the vote of 1886, when he ran on an independent ticket. He did not have the indorsement of any national men. He had no organization; he had no money. To-day he claims as his the Chicago platform. He favors the sentiments which came near electing Bryan as President of the United States. He has the support of many national Democrats, a support which Tammany despises, and he claims that Tammany is in a state of disorder such as did not exist when Hewitt defeated their candidate. George has a good organization behind him now, there even appears to be some money and looking for a repetition of the one-third vote they see in that a secure hope of his election.

There were two political bicycle parades Saturday night. That in favor of Van Wyck was the largest, and it was estimated that 10,000 wheelmen of this city and Brooklyn were in line. That in support of Tracy was smaller and contained a number of women. Van Wyck reviewed the Democratic parade.

May Be a Special Session.

Denver, Col., Oct. 25.—A special to the News from Santa Fe, N. M., says that private information from a high authority in Washington is to the effect that President McKinley had determined to call a special session of the Senate for Nov. 15 to consider the Hawaiian annexation question.

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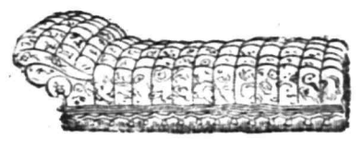

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By virtue of the above stated writ of fieri facias, to me directed, I shall expose for sale by public vendue, at the Court House, in the city of Elizabeth, N. J., on

WEDNESDAY, THE TWENTY-FOURTH DAY OF NOVEMBER, A. D. 1897.

at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, all that certain tract or parcel of land and premises, situate, lying and being in the city of Plainfield, in the county of Union and state of New Jersey:

Beginning at a stone in the centre of the road known as the Randolph road, and a corner of land formerly of Wallace Vail.; and running thence westerly along the centre of said Randolph road fourteen hundred and five and five-tenths (1405.5) feet to a stone in the centre of said Randolph road, and also in the centre of Hillside avenue, thence along the centre of said avenue north two degrees and eighteen minutes west one hundred and thirty-nine (139) feet; thence easterly and parallel with the said Randolph road, thirteen hundred and sixty-eight (1368) feet to a line of said Wallace Vail's land (formerly); thence with said line of said land south seventeen degrees east one hundred and forty-five and six-tenths (145.6) feet to the place of beginning.

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NOTICE is hereby given to the tax-payers of the City of Plainfield that the taxes assessed in said City for the year eighteen hundred and ninety-seven are now due and payable, and that if said taxes be not paid before the

20th Day of December

next, the names of the defaulters with their respective taxes, will be returned to the City Judge for prosecution. The Commissioners of Appeal in cases of taxation in and for the said City will meet at the Council Chamber, No. 109 Park avenue, Plainfield, N. J., on the

4th Tuesday of November

next, (November 23rd, 1897,) at two o'clock p. m., to hear complaints relating to assessments.

E. H. BIRD,

Collector.

Dated, Plainfield, N. J., October 1st, 1897.

10-7 tf

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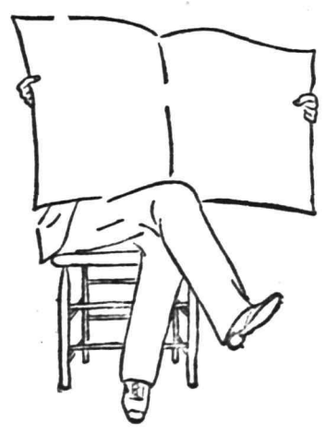

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Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 30, 7 58, 8 00, 8 30, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a.m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 9 15, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday, 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 10, 11 16 a.m.; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 22 p. m.

Leave New York, foot Liberty street, at 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00 a. m; 12 00 m., 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 4 p. m.; 12 15, 1 00 night. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00, 9 00 9 15 a. m.; 12 m.; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 5 30, 7 00 7 30, 9 00, 10 00p. m.; 12 15 night; 1 00 a. m.

Leave New York from Whitehall street at 7 00, 7 55, 8 25, 8 55, 9 55, 11 55 a. m., 1 00, 1 25, 2 25, 3 25, 3 55, 4 25, 4 55, 5 25, 5 55, 6 25, 6 55, 7 50, 8 25, 9 10, 9 55, 11 30 p. m., 12 10 night. Sundays—At 7 00, 8 55 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 2 30, 3 55, 5 25, 6 55, 7 25, 8 25, 9 50 p. m., 12 10 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 50, 8 00, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 01, 52, 10 08, 11 16 a. m.; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 18, 7 55, 8 38, 9 03, 10 05 a. m.; 12 10, 1 15, 1 35, 2 35, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 25, 5 42, 6 19, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 05 p. m. Sunday, 7 15, 9 05, 9 30, 10 35 a. m.; 1 10, 1 35, 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 20, 10 20 p. m.

Passengers for Newark please change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a.m 1 01, 2 11, 3 32, 3 35, 4 36, 5 03, 5 15, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 16, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 28, 11 29, p. m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 06, 9 55, a. m; 2 03, 3 39, 6 35, 8 30, 10 15, 11 14 p. m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35 45, 8 19, 9 02, 9 48, 11 45, a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05 2 25, 4 25, 5 28, 6 08, 6 40, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05 p. m Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a. m; 12 05, 1 20, 5 15, 6 35, 7 53, 8 05, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a. m., 1 01, 2 11, 4 55, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m, Sunday at 5 45, 9 06 a. m; 2 03 6 35 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a. m; 12 32, 4 04, 7 00, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 52 a. m; 6 30 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 9 54 a. m; 5 03, 5 15 p. m

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, & c. with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

1 01 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for station on D., L. & W. R. R.

2 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, MauchChunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

4 55 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Scranton, Wilkesbarre, Tamaqua, Shamokin, (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

5 03 and 5 15 p. m., way or Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg.

9 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 06 a. m. Sundays for Easton.

4 05 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 09 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 35 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, etc., and at Junction for D., L. & W. R. R.

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Leave Plainfield at 3 37, 8 13, 10 27 a. m.; 1 15, 3 51 5 32, 5 54 p. m. Sundays, (except Ocean Grove,) 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 37, 8 13, 9 28, 10 27 a. m.; 1 15, 3 51, 5 32, 5 54, 7 03 p. m. Sundays, 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10 27 a. m.; 1 15 3 51, 5 32 p. m.

For Lakewood, Toms River and Barnegat 3 37, 8 13 a. m.; 1 15, 3 51 p. m. Sundays 8 52 a.m

ROYAL BLUE LINE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 17, 8 44, 9 46, 10 44 a. m.; 2 17, 5 34*, 6 45, 8 21, 9 37*, 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 5 45 9 55, 10 44 a. m.; 2 25, 4 55, 6 09*, 6 45 p m.; 1 17 night.

For Trenton, 5 17, 8 44, 9 46 a. m.; 1 01, 2 17, 4 25, 5 34*, 6 38* 8 21, 9 37* p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 8 45, 9 55 a. m.; 2 25, 4 55, 5 09, 6 38* p. m.; 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 8 44, 10 44 a. m.; 2 17, 5 34*, 6 45 p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 10 44 a. m.; 5 09*, 6 45 p. m.; 1 17 night.

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In accordance with an Act entitled "An Act to Regulate Elections," approved April 18, 1876, with amendments and supplements, including the "Ballot Reform Law," and other general election acts in force July 4th, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the several Boards of Registry and Election of the City of Plainfield will meet at the various polling places in the said City on

Tuesday, the 12th Day of October,

1897, at 10 o'clock in the morning and continue in session, (recess from 1 to 2 o'clock,) until 9 o'clock in the evening, for the purpose of making such registration of voters and that the said Boards of Registry and Election shall also meet on

Tuesday, the 26th Day of October,

1897, at the place of the former meeting, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon and remain in session until 9 o'clock in the evening, for the purpose of revising and correcting the original registers. The places of meeting to be as follows:

First Ward, first district, at 120 E. Front St.
First Ward, second district, at 521 E. Second St.
Second Ward, first district, at 347 Watchung av.
Second Ward, second district, at 699 South av.
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SPAIN'S SAUCY REPLY

Her Note Courteously But Firmly Rejected in Substance.

TO DEAL ALONE WITH CUBA

She Refuses to Fix Any Date for Pacification, and Will Submit to No Foreign Interference Whatever—Spaniards Expecting a Row.

Madrid, Oct. 25.—The note prepared by Senor Gullon, Minister of Foreign Affairs, in reply to the note recently presented to the Duke of Tetuan, then Foreign Minister, by Gen. Woodford, the American Minister, declares that Spain has done all in her power to end the war in Cuba, proof of which is given in the great sacrifices she has made, the number of troops sent to the island, and now the granting of wide reforms, which are fully distributed.

It declares that the Government cannot admit the pretension of any foreign nation to interfere in Spanish affairs, and complains of the number of filibustering expeditions to Cuba from the United States, which, it declares, are the chief cause of the continuation of the war. It then proceeds to express the hope that respect for international rights in America will be better enforced in the future.

The note is described as being mild in tone, but energetic. In fact, it shows the resolution of the new Government to enforce respect for Spanish rights.

Senor Jose Canalejas, a leading member of the Liberal party and formerly a Minister in the Spanish Cabinet, sailed for New York from Havre today. The purpose of his trip is to visit New York and Washington with the object of studying the popular and governmental feeling in regard to Cuba, having done which he will proceed to Cuba to complete his investigations into the Cuban situation.

May Try to Search Our Ships.

Madrid, Oct. 25.—El Tempo publishes, with reserve, the announcement that the reply of the Spanish Government to the note of the United States presented by Gen. Stewart L. Woodford, the American Minister at Madrid, declares that if the United States does not stop the sailing of filibustering expeditions from American ports Spain will re-establish the right to search vessels anchoring in Cuban waters.

El Liberal thinks a rupture is possible as a result of the negotiations which are about to open between Spain and the United States, and adds: "We ought to avoid this rupture, so far as duty and honor permit; but, though the Government should act in a spirit of moderation, the nation will under no circumstances authorize the renunciation of Spanish rights."

In conclusion, El Liberal asks for the publication of the note which the United States Minister delivered to the Spanish Government, and it also asks for a statement of the policy the Government intends to pursue towards the United States.

It is asserted that the note of the Spanish Government to Gen. Woodford, the United States Minister, will probably be modified again as a result of a long conference between Senor Gullon, Minister of Foreign Affairs, and Senor Moret, Minister of the Colonies.

Cuban Crisis Near.

Washington, Oct. 25.—In spite of the reticence of the State Department officials and a denial at the State Department that a message in cipher was received from Minister Woodford, there is a general feeling in official circles that the Administration is about to bring the troublesome Cuban question to a conclusion. Gossip has it that between now and the time the President starts for Ohio important information is likely to be given out regarding the attitude of the Sagasta Ministry towards the United States and the Cuban row.

New Floating Dock for Spain.

London, Oct. 25.—A second large pontoon dock is being built for the Spanish Government on the Tyne. It will be towed to Havana for the use of the Spanish warships on that station.

"IRISH JOAN OF ARC."

Made Her First Public Appearance in America Last Evening.

New York, Oct. 25.—Miss Maud Gonne, the "Irish Joan of Arc," who arrived Saturday on the Cunard steamship Lucania, made her first public appearance in America at the Grand Opera House, under the auspices of the Irish Alliance last evening. She delivered a lecture there on the "Rising of '98." William McAdoo, ex-Assistant Secretary of the Navy, presided, and a concert was given by well-known artists.

Miss Gonne is as pretty as the pictures represent her, and dresses in the latest Parisian style. She is tall, lithe, of stately tread, and has a fine, clear complexion. Her voice is musical, and she speaks with a decided French accent, in which, however, can be detected a slight trace of her native Kerry tongue.

Miss Gonne said that she had been delivering lectures in Great Britain in behalf of amnesty just prior to her sailing for America. The feeling that the Irish political prisoners now in British jails should be released was very strong in England, and she thought public sentiment would bring about this much-desired result in a little while. She said she had not yet made any definite plans in regard to her movements in this country.

Proceeds of the sale of the tickets to the concert and reception will be the first contribution which Maud Gonne will send to swell the fund for Wolf Tone's monument and the amnesty cause from hospitable America.

Killed Accidentally While Gunning.

Fall River, Mass., Oct. 25.—David St. George was shot and killed yesterday morning while gunning on a farm a short distance east of this city. He was accompanied by his brothers, Clement and Remi, and the former fired the fatal shot. Clement took his gun from his shounder to put a cartridge into the empty barrel. As he brought the gun from his shoulder, slipping the stock under his arm, the trigger of the loaded barrel caught in his coat and the shot was discharged.

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GOLF.

The team match of golf between the Hillside Tennis and Golf Club and the Suburban Club, of Elizabeth, which took place last Saturday afternoon at Elizabeth, resulted in a victory for the Plainfield team. The game, sixteen holes up, was a very good one, and the superiority of the Plainfield members was clearly evidenced. Carl Walz equalled the record for the course, which was 83 strokes. Next Saturday afternoon the Town Country Club, of Elizabeth, will meet the Plainfield team in this city. Below is the score for last Saturday's game:

Hillside.		Suburban Club.	
Wadsworth, Willard	5	Fisher	0
Wharton, J. H. P.	0	VanSyckel	2
Walz, F. W.	2	Barnes	0
Baker, W. C.	4	Beers	0
Kaufman, W. J.	0	Williamson	7
Glenney, W. L.	8	Waterbury	0
Stockton, Reeve	1	Brewster	0
Walz, Carl	5	Turner	0
Shepard, R. H.	3	Elliot	0
Beebe	0	Thomas	0
	25		9

FOOTBALL.

The Norwood Athletic Club defeated the Dunellen Juniors in an exciting game on the Giraud avenue grounds Saturday morning by a score of 10 to 0.

The Alis football team played their hardest game of the season against the team from the Battin High School, of Elizabeth, at Elizabeth, Saturday afternoon. The Alis team won by a score of 6 to 0, Cuming making the touchdown and Phillips kicking the goal. The Elizabeth team was much heavier than its opponents.

G. O. P. Candidates to Meet Voters.

The Republican city executive committee have arranged a reception for their county candidates for Thursday evening, to be held at Republican headquarters. It will be an informal affair.

Walter M. McGee, of Rockview avenue, is enjoying a vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Waldron, of Codington avenue, are the happy parents over a bouncing boy, which arrived last night.

ANSWER PASTOR GIBSON'S LETTER.

Two Trustees Declare They Will Defend the Church Purity.

The letter read by Rev. P. S. Gibson at the prayer meeting Friday night in the Mt. Olive Baptist church, and which was printed exclusively in this paper on Saturday, did not serve to quiet the gossip about the pastor's trouble, but instead aroused some of the church officials to protest against the inferences that the pastor made in his statement. This morning a letter was received by The Press, signed by N. J. Pollard and A. S. Venable, members of the church trustees, who state that the public scandal is Rev. Mr. Gibson's own troubles and did not arise from the sermon he preached last June. They say that the members of the society to which he referred were not insulted in the least. They also state that Rev. Mr. Gibson has always been paid his salary promptly and has even been advanced $75 on it. They end their letter by declaring that they will defend the church purity.

A. Wilson, a deacon of the Mt. Olive Baptist church, desires The Press to state that his name was attached to the letter published last Saturday concerning Rev. P. S. Gibson, without his knowledge, and furthermore that he knows nothing of the affair and does not care to be identified with it.

Rev. P. S. Gibson, was absent from the city yesterday, and his pulpit was filled by Rev. Alfred Wilson in the morning, and in the evening by Rev. Mr. Bird.

Held Up and His Dog Stolen.

A man from Rahway, who would not give his name, reported to the authorities at Westfield yesterday afternoon that he had been held up near Picton station by four men who threw him from his bicycle and led away his valuable hound dog, which was tied to the rear of his wheel. He furnished a good description of the men, and stated that they were riding in a wagon when he met them.

Mrs. W. E. Weber and Miss Weber, of Cumberland, are the guests of Mrs. E. R. Ackerman, of West Seventh street.

Miss Anna Stengle, of New York, returned to her home Saturday afternoon after a visit with Miss Nellie Schutt, of Duer street.

TROLLEY CAR FOR PATROL WAGON.

Drunken Man Carried to Lockup by Way of Street Railway.

Joseph Nutall, of Stirling, accompanied by a friend from the same place, got into trouble last evening about 7 o'clock at the end of the Somerset street trolley line. Nutall was intoxicated and unable to handle the horse he was driving. In his frantic motions he ran into an electric light pole, with the result of wrecking the wagon. When Marshal George Kliner discovered the man he was informed that it was the trolley car that frightened the horse. But the marshal thought differently. Nutall was unable to walk and it was found neceessary to bring him to the lockup in a trolley car. The friend seemed to be in much better condition and was not arrested. Nutall was arraigned before Recorder Thomas this morning and he was given his choice between $5 or thirty days. He paid the fine. Nutall is employed in the silk mills at Stirling.

About Persia Customs.

The stereopticon lecture on Persia, by Eshoo Jacoboa, a native Persian who is now a student at the College for Physicians and Surgeons in New York city, at the Seventh Day Baptist church, Saturday evening, was well attended. It was given under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society of that church. His lecture was a general exposition of the social, religious and political customs of the people of Persia and was very interesting.

Wagon Collided With Car.

It is a rare occurrence to see or hear of a vehicle crashing into a trolley car. It is generally a trolley car crashes into the vehicle, but this morning about 7:30 one of the Sanitary Company's long wagons filled with empty cans ran against a trolley car standing on Front street opposite Somerset street. Only a little of the paint was scratched off.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The body of the late Charles S. Lewis was removed to New York today where it will be interred in Trinity church cemetery.

—Charles S. Case, of Central avenue, is soon to begin the erection of a new residence on West Eighth street, near Plainfield avenue.

—A stock of choice table apples, including Bellflowers, Northern Spies and Greenings, can now be found at Neuman Bros., the Watchung avenue grocers.

—Members of the Y. M. C. A. who hold $5, $8 or $10 tickets are admitted to the entertainments of the Star course upon showing same at the door. First lecture tonight.

—The dances for the Spielkartenfest will be rehearsed this evening at the Crescent rink as follows: 7:30, Tyrolean; 8:15, court; 8:30, hornpipe; 9, mirror. Promptness on the part of those taking part is desired.

—The regular consecration service of the Endeavor Society of Trinity Reformed church, will be held this evening at 8 o'clock in the small hall at the Y. M. C. A. building. Visitors are always welcome.

—Class No. 30 of Trinity Reformed church Sunday-school will give an entertainment at the home of their teacher, H. J. Martin, 453 West Front street, on Thursday of this week. No admission fee will be charged, but a collection will be taken during the evening and the amount realized will be given toward paying for the new Sunday-school room.

Justice Moffett's Court.

The case of Pope & Runyon against Scully, on contract, comes up for trial in Justice Moffett's court this afternoon at 2 o'clock, and the case of Brown against Gullberg, on contract, will be tried tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. M. H. Pike, of Baltimore, is stopping with her daughter, Mrs. Morgan S. Taylor, of Rockview avenue.

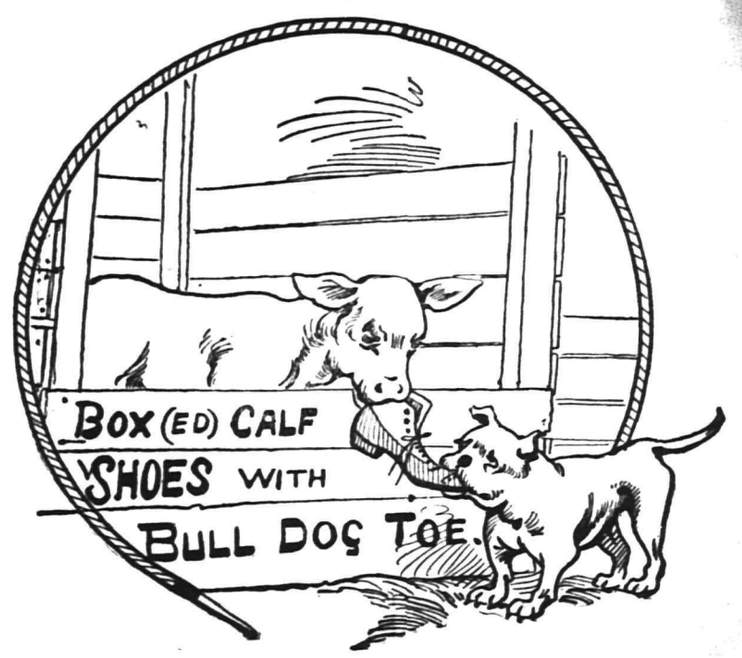
Miss Williston and Mrs. Thomas J. Stead have returned to New York after spending the summer at the home of Harrison Coddington on Mountain avenue.

Cards have been issued for the marriage of Miss Mary Louise Betts, of West Ninth street, to Francis Betts Smith, on Thursday evening, November 4th, at 7:30 o'clock, in Grace Episcopal church.

Chief Engineer T. O. Doane is the only person in Plainfield to show his colors for choice of Mayor for Greater New York. He has placed the picture of Gen. Tracy in a front window at his home on West Fifth street.

D. J. Sisk, engineer at the Walter Scott Printing Machine Works, has returned to work after a very successful operation on his right eye by Dr. Ard. Mr. Sisk got a cinder in his eye and his sight was almost threatened, but is now all right.

—There will be a W. C. T. U. rally at their rooms tomorrow evening. A very entertaining programme has been prepared. Singing and whistling solos by Miss Meredith; recitations by Miss Raybert, and violin solos by Mr. VanEps.



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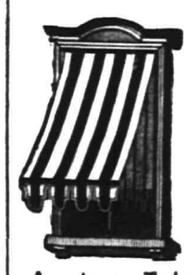

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Children's Knee Pants	.150	1.00
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Children's Overcoats	4.50	2.18
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	Were	Now
Children's Overcoats	6.00	3.98
Children's Suits	4.00	2.98
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" "	2.75	1.98
" "	2.75	.98
" "	8.00	4.25
" "	6.00	3.87
Men's Pants	1.75	.98
" "	2.75	1.12
" "	1.50	1.00
" "	1.37	.75
" "	2.50	1.48

	Were	Now
Men's Suits	9.50	5.48
" "	8.00	3.80
" "	9.00	6.98
" "	8.00	5.00
" "	5.50	2.98
Men's Working Shirts	.50	.29
" Shirts and Drawers	.50	.39
" Neckwear	.50	.39
" Sweaters	.50	.18
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L. A. W. RIDERS PUNISHED

THREE YOUNG MEN SUSPENDED FROM TRACK PRIVILEGES.

The Outcome of False Entries Being Made in the Bicycle Races at the Somerset County Fair—Only Barred Till Dec. 11th.

The long-continued trouble between the Plainfield bicycle racers and the management of the Somerset County Fair, at Somerville, has passed from the jurisdiction of the Fair promoters and the League of American Wheelmen has taken a hand. As a result, three of Plainfield's well-known riders, Lindley M. Hillman, Charles Dodd and Peter Simmons, have been suspended from track privileges until December 11th.

It will be remembered that there was a race meet at the first day of the Somerset County Fair. Most of the races were open only to riders from Somerset county. Now a number of riders from this city heard of the meet and entered, giving their place of residence as North Plainfield, which is in Somerset county, while as a fact, they resided within the limits of the city of Plainfield. Whether they did not realize that they were endangering their amateur status, or whether they thought that the facts would not come to the knowledge of the Somerville race meet promoters, is not known, but at any rate they took part in the races as hailing from the borough of North Plainfield.

There were others beside the three already mentioned who had entered as being from North Plainfield when they, in reality, lived in Plainfield, Union county, but they did not show up for the races. It is said that they heard a rumor that there was trouble ahead for those who would ride under false colors.

The Plainfield trio won several prizes in events open only to Somerset county riders and the bona-fide Somerset county men felt sore over the fact. They did not like to see the outsiders carry away the prizes. The report spread around that there had been false entries made, and the Plainfield boys were refused their prizes.

It was rumored that the Somervillians would not let the matter drop but nothing was known definitely until the weekly bulletin of the Racing Board of the L. A. W. appeared this week and announced that Lindley M. Hillman, Peter Simmons, and Charles Dodd, of Plainfield, had all been suspended until December 11th for false entry. As none of the three are doing any riding on the track at present the suspension will really amount to nothing as far as keeping them off the track is concerned.

DEMOCRATIC ADDRESS.

Somerset County Leaders Make an Urgent Plea for Votes.

The following address was issued by the Somerset county committee on Saturday:

To the voters of the county of Somerset:

The Democratic executive committee of the county of Somerset respectfully request the assistance of all persons without regard to previous party lines in the election of their county ticket. This is neither a National or a State election.

The Assemblyman to be elected will have no vote upon National affairs, nor any vote which will in any way effect National politics.

John A. Layton, of Bernards township, is a farmer, and a vote for Mr Layton will be in the interest of the taxpayers of this county.

No United States Senator is to be elected during his term and his voice and vote will only be for the purpose of the furtherance of government in accordance with the Democratic notion as to State politics and State policy and opposed to Republican misrule; therefore, there is no reason why any and every Democratic or independent voter cannot aid in its support by his vote.

The office of Surrogate is purely ministerial—one with which no politics is connected; requiring a good accountant and an honest man. George A. Vosseller, the Democratic nominee, combines both.

We, therefore, cordially invite all persons, without regard to previous party lines, to join with us in helping elect our ticket.

By order of Somerset county Democratic executive committee,

Wm. J. Logan, Chairman.
Wm. G. Tunison, Secretary.

Clipped a Horse in Quick Time.

One of John Keiderling's friends wagered him the other day that he could not clip a horse in thirty minutes. The wager was taken up and the trial was held last week in Day's stable. Keiderling accomplished the job in the required time with seven minutes to spare. The feat was considered a remarkable one.

HAPPY NUPTIAL EVENT WITH TOUCH OF PATHOS.

WEDDED BY SIDE OF SICK MOTHER.

Elaborate Details for the Affair Were Passed Over and a Simple Ceremony Performed

In a very quiet manner Miss Mary A. Lewis, daughter of Rev. Dr. and Mrs. A. H. Lewis, of this city, and Benjamin Franklin Langworthy, of Chicago, were married at the home of the bride yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Mrs. Lewis, the mother of the bride, has been ill for some time, but she was so much improved that plans had all been made for a charming home wedding at the bride's home on West Seventh street, and a reception afterwards at the home of her sister, Mrs. James F. Kimball, of Park avenue. At an early hour yesterday morning Mrs. Lewis was suddenly taken worse, and it was finally decided that all plans for any elaborate ceremony would have to be given up.

Mrs. Lewis' condition was somewhat improved during the day, but a short and simple ceremony was performed at the bedside of the mother, at which only the members of the family were present. There was no best man nor bridemaids. The father of the bride, Rev. Dr. A. H. Lewis, officiated. The bride wore her traveling gown. There was an informal gathering of the family after the ceremony, the proposed reception having been given up at the last moment.

Cyrus W. George, of Chicago, was to have acted in the capacity of best man while the bridemaids were to be the Misses Mabelle B. Smith, Ernestine C. Smith, Evelyn M. Lewis and Mabel Maxson. Chrysanthemums and other potted plants were used in the decoration of the house.

Mr. and Mrs. Langworthy left on an early train last evening for New York. After a wedding tour of several weeks they will take up their residence in Chicago.

EPWORTHIANS WORK.

Programme Arranged for the District Convention to be Held Here.

The second annual convention of the Elizabeth district of the Epworth League will be held in the M. E. churches in this city on Thursday, commencing at 10 o'clock that morning. The committee of arrangements is composed of John Praed, Robert W. Davis, Charles Hummer, and James A. Stafford, secretary.

The programme for the three sessions is as follows:

MORNING SESSION.
In Monroe Avenue M. E. church.

10:00—Devotional Services. Led by James McGee, Plainfield.
10:15—Welcome and Response. Rev. W. C. O'Donnell, Plainfield; Rev. F. S. Simmons, Elizabeth.
10:30—Address. Miss Adams, Deaconess Home, New York city.
11:30—Business Session. (a) Appointment of Committees; (b) Election of Officers; (c) Miscellaneous.
Adjournment for luncheon.

AFTERNOON SESSION.
In Grace M. E. church.

2:00—Devotional Services. Led by Rev. H. J. Johnston, Plainfield.
2:15—Report of Committees.
2:30—Vocal Duet. By Misses Alice and Grace Carroll, Plainfield. Address. Henry A. Buchtel, D. D., pastor of Calvary M. E. church, East Orange.
3:30—Inspiration Service. Led by Rev. J. A. Hensey, Verona.
4:00—Demonstration by Plainfield Juniors

EVENING SESSION.
In First M. E. church.

7:30—Service of Song. Led by President Potter.
8:00—Singing. By Male Quartette. Address By Rev. J. R. Day, D. D., LL. D., Chancellor of Syracuse University, Syracuse, N. Y. Benediction. By Rev. W. C. Snodgrass, D. D., Plainfield.

LOST CONTROL OF HER WHEEL.

Miss Fuller Went Down a Hill at Frightful Speed—Thrown and Bruised.

A bicycle accident occurred on one of the hills in the neighborhood of Westfield last Thursday afternoon, that resulted in the serious injury of one of the party. Miss Fuller, of Watchung avenue, and Miss Elsie Martin, of Hillside avenue, went out in the afternoon and were riding along the road between Willow Grove and Westfield when they suddenly came to the crest of the steep hill.

Miss Fuller started down the hill before she had time to stop. When half way down and going at a frightful speed she lost control of the wheel, which had no brake, and she was thrown on the roadway with great force. She was rendered unconscious by the fall. Miss Martin had seen the danger first and had run into the gutter, where she escaped injury.

After Miss Fuller had recovered consciousness, she was assisted to a neighboring farmhouse, where her wounds were bandaged. A severe wound was cut in her forehead, in which the doctor found it necessary to take several stitches, while her nose was also cut and bruised. Her body was covered with bruises. She was taken home in a carriage.

TROLLEY WAR IS ABATED

NO EXCITING DEVELOPMENTS NOW EXPECTED BETWEEN THE RIVALS.

The Brunswick Traction Company Will Leave the Matter to the Courts, Believing They Will Finally Get the Right of Way.

Somerville and Bound Brook are quiet once more. The excitement that followed the unexpected action of the New York and Philadelphia Traction Company in laying trolley tracks connecting those towns without waiting for a franchise from the Bridgewater Township Committee, has gradually subsided. All Sunday the residents of those two places were in a state of anticipation. The news of the sudden arrival of the trainload of negroes at Finderne soon spread until a great crowd thronged to the scene of the trouble and watched the systematic working of the large gang of colored laborers.

It was supposed by many that the overhead trolley wire system was completed and that the one car ran by electric power. While the rails were all in position from the end of the old line at Finderne to the limits of the borough of Bound Brook, the trolley wires were not ready for the entire length of the road. The company was anxious to push the work forward as soon as possible, and was particularly anxious to have one of the cars in motion, no matter in what manner the power was furnished. The engine at the Finderne Hotel power-house broke down, so two of the mules of the carting department were pressed into service.

Yesterday the car continued to make its trips from the line of Somerville to the Middlebrook bridge, which marks the boundary line of the borough of Bound Brook. There was the usual crowdof sightseers at both termini but the rain soon lessened the curiosity of the crowd and, as nothing exciting happened, they departed. The fact that it was mule power and not electricity that propelled the car rather disappointed the curious ones who had intended to make the trip. There were quite a number of passengers, however, during the day.

Everybody was wondering what the Brunswick Traction Company would do and what action Sheriff Wyckoff and the township authorities would take. There was a rumor that the Brunswick Company intended to pounce upon an unprotected part of the line and tear up the rails, but no attempt at violence was made. The leaders of the Brunswick Company held a conference in Somerville yesterday afternoon but did not announce any plan of faction. In fact, the proprietors of the company are almost jubilant for they consider that the New York and Philadelphia Company has made a fatal mistake. They are confident that the township and county authorities will compel the removal of the rails and that, after such action, the township committee will utterly refuse to listen to their petitions.

What further action the New York and Philadelphia Co. contemplate is not known. It is certain, however, that they will make a desperate fight in the courts to retain the advantage they have now gained. They are completing the wiring of the roadway and expect to have the cars running by electricity today or tomorrow. The cars will continue to run until the company is forced to stop them.

Public opinion is divided in Somerville as in Bound Brook. The right of the New York and Philadelphia Traction Company to put down the track is not considered in many instances but the mere fact that it has been laid is looked upon as final. The thinking ones seem to consider the action as disastrous to the interests of the traction kings and predict that they have taken a step that cannot be recalled and will finally result in their defeat in this mammoth battle of the corporations for the key of the trolley system of the State.

Attending State Council.

Ephraim Compton and Harvey Thorn and F. A. Long, of Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., went to Trenton today to attend the annual meeting of the State Council. Frank W. Bailey and G. T. Dunham, will represent Somerset Council, also of this city. The sessions will continue through tomorrow. The Funeral Benefit Association of the order will hold its sessions at the same time. Mr. Compton and Mr. Bailey are the representatives from this city.

Telephone for the 'Fest.

The New York and New Jersey Telephone Company has kindly offered to place a telephone in the Crescent Rink for the benefit of the participants of the Spielkartenfest. The telephone will be placed there at once and will remain until after the affair is over.

MENTORS OF THE YOUNG

ANNUAL INSTITUTE OF PRIMARY TEACHERS' UNION.

Annual Reports Showed the Organization to be Prosperous—Numerous Instructive Papers Read by Active Workers.

The annual institute and second anniversary services of the Plainfield Primary Sunday-school Teachers' Union were held yesterday afternoon and evening in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue church.

The membership of the union is 42, and includes the primary Sunday-school teachers of this city, Westfield, Fanwood, Washingtonville, Mount Pleasant and Willow Grove.

The president, Miss Nettie J. Beeching, of Washingtonville, presided at both sessions. In the afternoon, after a short devotional service led by the vice president, Mrs. J. A. Powlison, of this city, the secretary, Mrs. M. W. Smalley, read her annual report showing a gain of eleven in the membership of the Union during the year. The pastors of this city were thanked in the report for their assistance.

Rev. A. E. Main, D. D., pastor of the Seventh-day Baptist church, delivered a talk, entitled "A Look at the Word Through a Child's Eyes." He emphasized the fact that children cannot give attention long to any one subject, and that they must be made to see plainly, which can be done by aid of illustrations. Their eyes are apperceptive, they see new things best in the light of known things; they also see concrete things better than abstract. The speaker also dwelt upon the fact that the eyes are individual, in the sense that the scholars see things differently by reason of the wide difference in their homes, and each should be approached in the light of his home training.

Rev. E. M. Fergusson, general secretary of the State Sunday school Association made a few remarks upon "Front Line Sunday-schools," and after a vocal solo by Miss Bessie Blair, Miss Julia Shinn, of the First Baptist church, of this city, taught the lesson for next Sunday, upon the subject, "Paul's Voyage and Shipwreck," Acts 27, 13-26.

Rev. J. S. Braker, pastor of the Scotch Plains Baptist church, made an address on the subject, "The Teacher Sent of God." The teacher, he said, should be human. We can best teach by sitting beside the taught, we can best help by being the other self of the scholar. The life of the true teacher should be inspired; for such a life is the most thrillingly real medium between earth and heaven. These little lives cannot read a lesson leaf, but they know know a truth truly, so if the truth is in your life.

After the close of Mr. Braker's remarks, which were listened to with much interest, Mrs. T. H. Skillman, of New Brunswick, secretary of the State Primary Council, gave a brief account of a primary teacher's every day experiences in visiting the homes of scholars.

The afternoon session was closed with prayer by Rev. J. S. Braker.

William D. Murray, superintendent of the Sunday-school of the Crescent Avenue church, led the song service at the opening of the evening session and made an address welcoming the primary teachers to the church and showing the superiority of voluntary to enforced labor in the Lord's service.

After Mr. Murray's speech of welcome, a series of papers upon the subject "What I saw and heard at the summer school," were read by Mrs. J. N. Harris, of New Brunswick; Mrs. J. A. Powlison, Mrs. G. M. Banks, of Mount Pleasant; Miss M. C. Runyon, Mrs. W. S. Hurst, of Westfield; Miss Addie C. Lambert, of Willow Grove; Mrs. Alonzo Pettit, of Elizabeth, and Mrs. T. H. Skillman, of New Brunswick, and the president, Miss Nettie J. Beeching.

The most important and interesting event of the evening was an address upon the education of the will, delivered by Miss Margaret J. Cushman, of Newark.

How to Get Strong and Stay So.

The lecture of William Blaikie on the subject "How to get strong and how to stay so," which was given as the first in the Star course at the Y. M. C. A., last evening, was much enjoyed by a good sized audience. The lecturer told a number of anecdotes to prove that William E. Gladstone was a firm believer in systematic exercise, and attributed his vigorous old age to his regular training. George Washington, Mr. Blaikie stated, was the finest developed man of his time, physically, and to this could be attributed his fine endurance under all strains, mental as well as physical. Ericsson, the great inventor, was also a believer and a devotee of systematic exercise. The entire address was listened to closely.

NOW ON THE LAST HALF OF FIRST DECADE.

QUEEN CITY'S SIXTH BIRTHDAY.

The Auspicious Occasion Celebrated by the Odd Fellows Becoming Royal Good Fellows.

Queen City Lodge, No. 226, I. O. O. F., of this city, celebrated its sixth anniversary last evening in a somewhat novel manner. Instead of having the usual set programme so often the rule at anniversaries, there was a variety of a pleasing nature. Charles I. Young was chairman of the committee and master of ceremonies. He welcomed the large number of people present in a happy speech, after which he introduced Grand Master P. W. Stagg, of Hackensack. This chief officer of the State body made a short address of interest. He related the many benefits to be derived from being an Odd Fellow, and also told how a person could become a member of the order. He stated that there are 249 lodges in New Jersey, and in the world a membership of 900,000.

Queen City Lodge was organized six years ago in the hall where the lodge now meets, with a membership of forty. At present the enrollment is 150, showing a steady increase since organization. The lodge is in a healthy condition financially and is progressive and prosperous. This comprised the opening exercises of the programme.

Mr. Young then introduced Councilman W. N. Runyon and George O. Stevens, who gave two of their best vocal duets. These two singers are always popular and they won additional laurels last evening. At this point the novel features of the evening commenced. It was the introduction of E. Clinton Mingua and Walter LeMain, of New York, sketch artists, with musical tendencies. They played the guitar, banjo, 'cello, violin and piano. The next number consisted of singing and dancing by the Linn sisters, of New York, who gave some clever exhibitions of their talents. They are good singers and their dancing was excellent. Miss Ella Gertrude Gustam, also of New York, appeared as a reciter and impersonator. Mr. Mingua and Mr. LeMain appeared later in the evening in a comical sketch, in which they made good use of their musical instruments. A feature of the programme was the selections by Frazee's orchestra, which interspersed the other numbers.

The committee who arranged the entertainment consists of C. I. Young, J. B. Higgins, G. Thorn, Charles DeGraw and L. DeCamp. They were loudly praised for the excellent time furnished, thus making the sixth anniversary one of the best in the history of the lodge.

BALLOT-BOXES TO BE EMPTIED.

Justice VanSyckel Orders That Keys Be Surrendered by Township Clerks.

Supreme Court Justice VanSyckle yesterday made an order compelling the election boards of the various election districts and the township clerks of Union county to surrender the keys of the ballot-boxes used at the special election on September 28th to the clerk of the Board of Freeholders of the county. The order was made on motion of W. R. Codington, representing the Board of Freeholders. The application sets forth that the law requires that the ballots shall remain in the boxes for three months after an election, but that in the present instance the ballot boxes will have to be used at the general Assembly election on November 2d, and that the ballot-boxes can only be opened by an order from the court. The order provides further that the contents of the ballot-boxes shall be preserved until further orders are made by the court.

It is said that similar applications will have to be made in each county of the State, as several of the county clerks have declined to surrender the ballot-boxes unless ordered. The duplicate keys with which all the new ballot boxes are provided have to be obtained from the various officers of the district election boards.

WEDDED EARLIER THAN ARRANGED.

Miss Mabel K. Benner and Audley J. Marsh Quietly Married.

Miss Mabel K. Benner, of Duer street, and Audley J. Marsh, of East Second street, were quietly married by Rev. J. O. McKelvey at the home of the latter on Grandview avenue, Saturday evening. The necessary witnesses were the only ones present at the ceremony.

Marsh is a painter in the employ of Marsh, Ayres & Co., the senior partner in which firm is his father. The couple have been engaged for some time and were to be married in the spring but Miss Benner's father recently married again and the daughter favored a speedy marriage. The couple have not decided on their plans for the future.

A CURFEW BELL TO TOLL?

THE TOWN IMPROVEMENT ASSOCIATION WANTS IT THAT WAY.

The Women Will Urge the Common Council to Pass an Ordinance to Compel Youths to be Off the Streets by 9 o'Clock.

Is Plainfield to have a curfew ordinance?

This is the question which is destined for the next few months to stare the citizens and the Common Council in the face, and which must be answered either affirmatively or negatively. The ordinance provides that at 9 o'clock every evening the curfew bell shall ring as it used to do in colonial times, and at the sound of its ringing all children under fifteen years of age must be indoors. Policemen are instructed to enforce the ordinance to the letter, and the younger generation are therefore kept closely at home after 9 o'clock in cities where the law is in effect.

The people of this city have heard of the curfew ordinance, but very few took more than a passing interest in it. The matter is now made one of interest to every Plainfielder by the action of the Women's Town Improvement Association, of this city, in taking up the ordinance and deciding to make efforts to secure its adoption by the Plainfield Common Council. This action was taken at the meeting of the association which was held in the Y. M. C. A. building this morning. The president, Mrs. Pierre Malli, and other members of the association expressed themselves as heartily in favor of the ordinance, which is spoken of by its friends as the most important municipal reform for preventing crime among youths of the present century.

The movement for the passage of curfew ordinances has met with much favor in the west, where a number of cities have adopted the law. It is now in force in Lincoln, Nebraska, in Omaha, in Levenworth, Kansas, and other cities. In the east it has not met with such favor.

A member of the Town Improvement Association when seen by a Daily Press reporter today stated that the association intends to commence its work at once in favor of the ordinance. Circulars will be distributed among citizens and especially members of the Common Council, showing the beneficial effects of the law wherever it has put into operation.

The women will now be given an opportunity to display their ability as promoters of reform legislation, and it is possible that all other questions of government, finance or tariff will be relegated to a back seat for the coming months, while the curfew fight waxes hot.

A CONTEST OF 'PHONES.

Members of Royal Arcanum Entertained in a Novel Way.

The members of Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum, held a novel meeting last evening which a large number enjoyed. At the last meeting of the council L. B. Bromfield, a member, who is an expert and enthusiastic operator of a gramaphone, met John Albert Pearsall, of Westfield, who is an expert on the graphaphone. Between the two there was an argument as to who had the best and most popular machine. The result was that Mr. Pearsall challenged Mr. Bromfield to a contest, to take place last evening at the meeting of the council

The contest started about 9 o'clock and lasted until nearly 11 o'clock. Both operators gave their best selections and each were encored frequently. When Regent Bullock put the question to the members at the close for a vote it was decided that Mr. Pearsall's machine was the better of the two and he was awarded the honor amid loud applause.

During the evening James Phillips and Borough Councilman Murray Burtis appeared before the graphaphone and gave some of their wit and humor, and W. E. Townsend rendered a mandolin solo, all of which were reproduced. This lodge is one of the most progressive in the city and its members are continually arranging novel entertainments for their benefit and edification. It is likely that another similar entertainment will be given at an early date.

Chief Marshal Received a Gift.

Last Saturday Chief Marshal Wilson celebrated the anniversary of his birthday, and in the evening the members of the police department called at his home and presented him with a handsome rocking chair in commemoration of the happy event. The gift was appreciated by the receiver and he thanked heartily the donors.

—A new door has been placed inside of the borough lockup and new curtains now adorn the courtroom. Other improvements will be made before long which will increase the efficiency of this institution.

ALASKAN BOUNDARY

Feeling in Washington That It Should Be Fixed.

GOLD SEEKERS ANXIOUS

The Southeastern Line, Ten Marine Leagues from the Coast, in Question—Famine and Fatal Sickness Threaten Klondike Miners.

Washington, Oct. 26.—It is believed here that in view of the great prominence Alaska has achieved owing to the recent gold discoveries and the importance of definitely fixing the boundary line between United States territory and that of the Dominion of Canada that the Senate, when it assembles in December, will take early action upon the treaty pending between Great Britain and the United States for the survey and marking of the 141st meridian. This treaty was sent to the Senate almost two years ago.

The 141st meridian marks the eastern boundary of Alaska down to within ten marine leagues of the southern coast, where the line trends to the southeast, keeping that distance from the coast. Concerning the 141st meridian there is, of course, no controversy between the United States and Great Britain, but no basis of settlement of the southeastern line has yet been reached by the two countries.

The original treaty as sent to the Senate, it is understood, was amended or proposed to be amended, by Senator Stewart so as to include the settlement of the dispute relating to the southeastern line. If such an amendment were insisted upon by the Senate, as appears not unlikely will be the case, it is not at all certain that Great Britain would at present agree to the modification. The work of adjusting the difficulties between the two countries regarding the southeastern line has not progressed for two years. In 1893 each Government appointed a commissioner to survey the territory through which this line runs, and each made topographical maps of the country, which were submitted to the respective Governments Dec. 31, 1895. These commissioners, however, had no power to propose a settlement; their work was confined strictly to furnishing information upon which subsequent negotiations could proceed. As no range of mountains runs along the coast as was assumed to be the case when the boundary line between Russia and Canada was fixed, according to the terms, the alternative proposition of a line ten marine leagues from the coast must mark the limit of United States territory. But in the determination many intricate questions are involved; whether the coast line shall be assumed to follow the sinuosities of the shore or run from headland to headland; or whether the line shall be considered to run ten marine leagues to the interior from the outer shore of the islands which form a sort of archipelago along the coast. The Government officials who have studied the question are confident that our title includes the islands and ten marine leagues of territory from the coast line with all its sinuosities.

Should Be Settled Speedily.

Washington, Oct. 26.—Representative Eddy, of Minnesota, who has just reached Washington, talks earnestly regarding the Alaska boundary line.

"A subject," he said, "which will demand attention this Winter and which should be settled, either by Congress or the State Department, is the Alaskan boundary line. This is a very serious matter, more serious than our people generally realize, I think. By next Summer there will be probably fifty thousand Americans in the Klondike region, and if something be not done meanwhile towards settling definitely the boundary question there is liable to be serious trouble.

"The Canadian Government has undertaken to tax these miners to death, and the miners will not be willing, in addition to this, to surrender to the Canadian Government 30 per cent. of the gold they gather, especially when they believe that the very field they are working is within the boundary of the United States. With 50,000 men of this character resistance means a condition of affairs alongside of which the Riel rebellion will appear trifling.

"A very intelligent man, whom I know very well, was the fourth prospector to enter the Klondike region. His properties there are of immense value, and he has brought out $200,000 in gold. He predicts that the output of gold next year will be far beyond what the most exaggerated reports indicate. This being the case, it is the duty of this Government to take steps at once to settle the boundary line between the Canadian and United States possessions. The prospectors and men who are familiar with that country claim that about half of the Klondike gold fields lie within the Alaskan boundary line and belong to the United States."

Famine and Sickness in Dawson.

Victoria, B. C., Oct. 26.—Miners who arrived on the steamer Farralon from Dyea with about twenty thousand dollars in gold, and who left Dawson City about forty days ago, say that five days before they left, Hansen, manager of the Alaska Commercial Company, arrived in a canoe and said no more food could get up the river. Fully four hundred miners at once prepared to leave, but the Citizens' Committee refused to allow them sufficient provisions for the journey, so they had to remain and share in the privations at Dawson.

The miners report that a mysterious disease is carrying off about five men daily. Twenty-four hours after the victim is attacked he turns black from waist to throat, and two days later, in most cases, is dead.

Hon. Clifford Lifton, Minister of Interior, started yesterday over the Dyea trail, accompanied by Maj. Walsh, the administrator of Klondike district, mounted police and other officials. Mr. Lifton will return by the Skaguay trail.

Mr. Pullman's Will.

Chicago, Oct. 26.—The will of George M. Pullman will be filed for probate to-day. The Chronicle says that the will bequeaths the bulk of his fortune to his widow. His daughters are beneficiaries, and his sons will receive a moderate income, but nothing direct. They must work out a period of probation.

JAPAN AND HAWAII AGREE.

The Critical Point in the Negotiations Passed.

Washington, Oct. 26.—News has been received here that the differences between Hawaii and Japan, which threatened to involve the United States on account of the negotiation of the treaty for the annexation of the islands, have reached a point where a satisfactory settlement is in sight. The critical stage in the proceedings has passed and the Honolulu and Tokio Governments are now engaged in an amicable correspondence, free from the tinge of bitterness which characterized previous diplomatic notes.

At one time there was every reason to fear that Japan would not agree to a settlement by arbitration, but she has disappointed those enemies of annexation who hoped that trouble would break out between the two countries by acquiescing in the proposition of Hawaii, said to have been made at the suggestion of this country, to submit the questions at issue to arbitration.

L. M. Thurston, former Minister of Hawaii to the United States and one of the Commissiners sent to this country to negotiate an annexation treaty, has returned to Washington from a lecturing tour. He says that Japan's latest note to Hawaii on the subject of the differences between them was most conciliatory and cordial, and he expected the matter to come to a head in a short time.

James B. Castle has been appointed Secretary of the Hawaiian Legation in Washington.

WARNING TO CATHOLICS.

Archbishop Cleary Forbids Them to Attend Non-Catholic Marriages.

Ottawa, Oct. 26.—Archbishop Cleary has created a sensation by his proclamation, in which he says:

"We hereby declare, with all the authority of the Church vested in us as Archbishop of Kingston and your chief pastor, that any Catholic in our metropolitan city or diocese who shall hereafter presume to enter any non-Catholic edifice to assist at what is termed a marriage ceremony or service for the dead, even though he should not take any active part in the performance, renders himself guilty of mortal sin by dishonoring the religion of his baptism and defying the laws of the Holy Church and giving public scandal before society. We furthermore reserve to ourselves alone the power to absolve from this heinous sin."

The occasion for this mandate was that of a recent marriage in a Congregational Church at which Catholics were witnesses. His Grace also reprimanded Catholics who attend a service for the dead in non-Catholic churches, in view of the fact that the performance is known and proclaimed by its participants as of no service to the dead.

Left a Fortune to Charity.

New York, Oct. 26.—The will of Mrs. Caroline Talman, which was filed in the Surrogate's office yesterday, gives to the trustees of the estate and property of the Diocesan Convention of New York, $55,000; to the Cathedral Church of St. John the Divine, in the city of New York, $22,000; to the Home for Incurables of New York City, $5,000; to the Corporation for the Relief of the Widows and Children of the Clergymen of the Protestant Episcopal Church, $5,000; to the Sisterhood of St. Mary of the Diocese of New York, $5,000; the Domestic and Foreign Missionary Society of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States of America, $10,000; the Home for Aged Couples of New York City, $2,000, and many other bequests.

Smuggling Potatoes.

Waterville, Me., Oct. 26.—Deputy Collector Whitney, of Fort Fairfield, seized on Saturday morning 1,000 barrels of potatoes in the warehouse of P. H. Reed, which had been smuggled from the New Brunswick side. This seizure was the result of investigations of the Deputy Collector, who had known that potatoes were being brought across the line without the payment of the necessary 25 cents a bushel duty on them. Owing to the short crop of potatoes in Aroostock County this year the smuggling is very much worse than before. Reed is the largest potato buyer in Maine and has alweys bought largely from the New Brunswick farmers.

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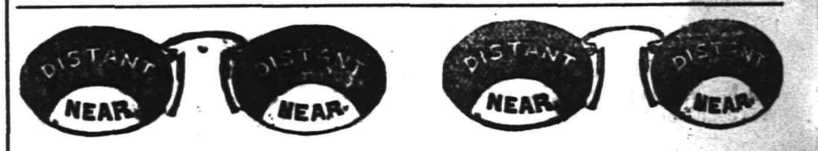

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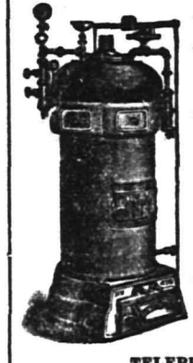

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New York, Oct. 26.—So far it is known that nineteen persons lost their lives in the plunge of the Buffalo Special into the Hudson River at Garrison's. All save four have been identified. Twenty-five passengers, whose identity has been established, were injured more or less seriously. Two persons supposed to have been on the train are still missing.

The railroad officers declare that the list of killed cannot possibly number more than nineteen. Others say twenty-one have died, while still others, who were on the scene at the time, contend that perhaps thirty bodies will eventually be recovered from the water. The disaster grows more horrible as time passes.

The Death List.

The death list is made up almost entirely of passengers who were in the combination car and day coach, which was nearest the engine and plunged with it deeper into the river than did the sleeping coaches that followed. Eight of these were Chinamen. The death list is as follows:

WILLIAMS, SAMUEL, 751 Best street, Buffalo.
BECHER, WILLIAM SCHENCHEN, 83 South Thirteenth street, Newark, N. J.
FOYLE, J., egineer of train, of East Albany.
GREER, H. A. (or E. A. GREENE), architect, of Chicago.
M'KAY, A. G., of 29 East 112th street, private secretary to General Supt. E. Van Etten, of New York Central (probably).
MEYERS, W. H. G., of Passaic, N. J.
RILEY, THOMAS, of St. Louis, Mo.
TAGUNA, GIUSEPPE, of Albion, N. Y.
THOMAS, J., fireman of train, of East Albany.
LINDSMAN, MRS. ROBERT, Utica, N. Y.
Woman, unidentified, from Hudson, N. Y.
Eight Chinamen, of whom six were identified.

The Injured.

The following is as complete a list of the injured as can be obtained:

BUCHANAN, CHARLES, motorman; broken arm; taken to Flower Hospital.
DEGAN, PATRICK, bruised and shaken; taken to his home, 200 West Forty-first street, New York.
FLOOD, JOHN, laborer, of Stockport, N. Y.; cut and bruised and suffered from exposure; taken to Flower Hospital.
PARSONS, TRUMAN, 105 Hancock street, Brooklyn; cut and bruised about body and legs; taken home in a carriage.
RYAN, JOHN E., 26 years old and married, of Jersey City, N. J., employed by Stein & Co., druggists; badly bruised, left knee cut and three fingers of his left hand severed; Peekskill Hospital.
MORGAN, CLARENCE, 28 years old, of New York; left shoulder blade broken; employed in the Comptroller's office of the Central Railroad; Peekskill Hospital.
Three Chinamen, in Peekskill Hospital.

The accident was caused by the track having been undermined by the two-days unusually high tide. Within less than an hour another fast train had passed over the same place on the same track. That train was the New York and Boston express, known to railroad men as train No. 28. No one on that train had noticed anything unusual about the stability of the track.

A gang of several hundred men has been at work ever since the fatal accident occurred raising the cars, repairing the track and searching for the dead.

No Bodies in the Locomotive.

The locomotive was finally located yesterday afternoon. The diver who went down, however, found no bodies in or about it. It was therefore thought probable that they had floated away and would not be recovered for some time. The locomotive was found in about sixty feet of water. It was about thirty feet off shore, and about forty yards to the south of the spot where the accident occurred. It was just to the front of the second Wagner car which went into the river.

The right side of the cab, the engineer's side, was torn away, and it is probable that the bodies of the engineer, the fireman and young McKay floated out through the aperture. At any rate, the diver, who stayed down where the locomotive was found for nearly half an hour, could after a thorough search find no trace of the bodies. The locomotive is so badly wrecked that it is doubtful if any attempt will be made to raise it.

W. D. Otis, general roadmaster of the New York Central, after looking over the situation, said: "Until the engine has been raised and examined it will be impossible to tell exactly what caused the accid[ent]. If a broken axle is discovered it w[ill] easy to account for the manner i[n] ich the ground is torn up. If a br[oken] axle should let down a forty-ton e[n]ing at the rate of forty miles an [hour] with nine heavy cars behind it the momentum would be enough to plow up a hole as large as this one. The track is perfectly straight, is from three to four yards from the river bank, and a train of equal magnitude went over the identical track with fifty minutes previous. Whatever occurred must have occurred suddenly."

Mr. Otis was not inclined to believe that any one had tampered with the tracks by means of explosives. Nevertheless, W. A. Humphrey, chief detective of the Vanderbilt system, was on the ground early with nine men. Their main work seemed to be in assisting the Wagner people to recover the valuables from the sleepers. But two of the detectives were scouring the vicinity of the wreck for some clew as to the use of explosives.

It is said by experts that the recent high tides had weakened and insidiously washed away the readbed. But whatever the cause may have been, the disastrous result is known, though it is feared not in full as yet.

Perhaps the most marvelous of all things connected with this accident is that so many escaped, and that only twenty persons, so far as known, perished in the quiet waters of the Hudson, which for the time being were transformed into a seething cauldron, where shrieking men and women fiercely struggled in the darkness amid the swishing fragments of cars, dying fires of timber and hissing of the steam.

If there are any more bodies in the wreck or in the river they are believed to be in the day coach, which lies in water up to its roof off King dock. The diver who took six bodies out of this car said he could find no more. Many believe, however, that more bodies will be found in this car, as passengers and the crew claim at least twelve persons perished in it.

The spot where the wreck occurred is one that has given the railroad authorities a great deal of trouble and anxiety in the past on account of the tendency of the made ground under the tracks to wash out. That is just what it did Sunday, and to this fact is attributed the terrible disaster.

President Chauncey M. Depew, of the New York Central, is anxious to ascertain the exact cause of the catastrophe, and at his request the State Board of Railroad Commissioners will begin an inquiry in New York City to-day into all the circumstances connected with the accident.

Cause of the Accident.

President Depew, at his office in the Grand Central Station, received no intelligence yesterday from the scene of the wreck which inclined him to alter his opinion, formed on Sunday, that no human foresight could have prevented the Garrison's catastrophe. As to the cause of wreck he had no opinion. All was conjecture. He referred again to the conjecture. He referred again to the possibility that an axle of the engine had broken and the force of the impact driven out the embankment.

Ashley W. Cole, chairman of the State Railroad Commission, thinks that after the engine is raised a commission of civil engineers may be able to determine the cause of the accident. But he admits that it may be impossible to tell whether a broken axle was in itself the cause or a result of the accident.

Dr. Depew commented on the added misfortune attendant upon the loss of the engineer's life, in that only the engineer, if any one, could tell what really happened to his train. It had been thought that the bodies of the engineer and fireman and Stenographer McKay, of General Superintendent Van Etten's office, would be found with the engine. When the engine was located yesterday and none of the bodies was found with it, it became clear that the men must have jumped or were hurled out of the cab when the locomotive went over. That it was found seventy-five feet south of the place where it left the track and fifty feet out in the river, seemed to show somewhat the terrific force which the train under way represented, and was cited by Dr. Depew as an indication of what damage to the embankment would have been done if an axle of the engine had broken.

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CURING CONSUMPTION.

Faculty of Cooper Medical College Say a Remedy Has Been Found.

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 26.—Much discussion has been caused here by the fact that the faculty of Cooper Medical College declared that sixteen patients have been saved from consumption by Dr. Joseph O. Hirschfelder's remedy. This cure is oxtuberculine, made from veal which has been saturated with tuberculine.

Hirschfelder has been experimenting three years to secure this lymph.

Among the patients whom he has cured is Thomas H. Williams, Jr., the wealthy horse-breeder. All the other patients were carefully examined and all were declared cured. Some were far advanced in the disease when they began the treatment. Oxtuberculine is injected, and soon restores vitality and heals the lungs.

SLIGHT OF THE CZAR

Germans Excited Over the Emperor's Refusal to Receive the Grand Duke.

Berlin, Oct. 26.—A great sensation has been caused in court, aristocratic and official circles here by the refusal of the Czar on Saturday to receive the Grand Duke and Duchess of Baden, who had proposed to travel to Darmstadt for that purpose.

The official explanation of the Czar's action is that his time is fully engaged up to the time of his departure for Russia, but it is pointed out that he recieved Prince Hohenlohe Sunday afternoon, the day following that of the proposed visit of the Grand Duke and Grand Duchess, and accentuated the incident by entertaining them at dinner, although the Chancellor and his wife were to start and did leave for Berlin immediately after dining.

Veteran Engraver Dead.

Philadelphia, Oct. 26.—John Sartain, famous as an artist and engraver, died at the home of his daughter in this city early yesterday at the age of 89 years. He had been ill for several weeks.

Mr. Sartain was one of the oldest artists and steel engravers in this country. He introduced mezzotint engraving in America, and was the engraver of many noted pictures. He was for twenty-five years a director of the Academy of Fine Arts in this city, and was one of the projectors of the School of Design for Women, of which his daughter, Emily Sartain, is the [head].

Mr. Sartain was born in Sweden on Oct. 24, 1808, and was educated as a line engraver and miniature painter. He came to this country in early manhood.

Spain's Wretched Troops.

Cadiz, Oct. 26.—The steamer Buenos Ayres has arrived here from Havana, bringing 1,200 troops who were invalided home. Twenty men died on the voyage and about a hundred were in a dying condition upon their arrival

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

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Generally Cloudy Tonight and Wednesday, With Showers on the Coast; Stationary Temperature.

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 78 Degrees.

COMING EVENTS.

October 26—Rally in W. C. T. U. Rooms. Evening.

October 26—"The Geezer" at Music Hall.

October 26—Class in Bible study led by W. D Murray at the Y. M. C. A., at 8 p. m.

October 26—Entertainment Plainfield Mandolin and Guitar Club at Monroe Avenue church.

October 27—Institution lodge of K. A. E. O. Evening.

October 28—District meeting of the Epworth League in Monroe Avenue church.

October 28—Annual meeting of Parliamentry Club at 10 a. m. in Y. M. C. A.

October 28—Rev. H. K. Samuelian will give his second illustrated lecture for the Y. M. C. A.

October 29—Cake and apron sale at Mrs. John Doull Miller's home, Watchung avenue and East Ninth street.

October 29—"Shore Acres" at Music Hall.

October 31—Men's meeting at Y. M. C. A., 4:15 p. m. Captain Agnes Cater, Minnie and Bertie Badenhaupt, will sing with guitar and auto harp.

November 1—Miss MacMartins classes for ladies and children will be resumed in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium.

THE STING OF CRITICISM.

The sting of criticism of the Presbyterian church leaders directed at Rev. Charles R. Shields, one of the signers of the now famous Princeton Inn license application, has been too much for the latter to stand, and yesterday he announced his intention of separating himself from the Presbyterian church with the least possible delay. He determines the actions of certain Presbyteries and Synods to be unjust and defamatory to his good name. This denunciation, of course, applies to the Synodical convention held in this city last week.

A Birmingham clergyman with a statistical mind and philanthropic impulses has been making some calculations designed to show how wilful waste at English weddings squandered supplies that might have relieved woeful want in India during the famine. There are over 20,000 churches in England and therefore the clerical mathematician argues that about 40,000 pounds of rice must be thrown away every week, or over 900 tons a year, counting no weddings at all during Lent. Sent to India this rice would have relieved thousands of starving people.

Gov. Griggs did not issue the proclamation pronouncing the anti gambling and ad interim amendments to be a part of the Constitution. He agreed last Monday to hold it back a week, and from this it was taken that he would issue the proclamation yesterday. His failure to do so surprised many. It is believed he will issue it today.

One of the most devoted Presbyterians in Plainfield has written a letter to The Press in answer to the stand taken by the New Brunswick clergyman with reference to the Princeton Inn. It will be published tomorrow.

A demonstration that might be observed with elevating effect in every community was recently held in Brooklyn, when 9,000 men appeared in a parade as a public protest against the use of profanity.

Judge Gaynor declares that four inches of space in a newspaper is more effective than a public meeting in promoting any good cause or overthrowing any bad one.

The editor of an exchange, in commenting on the advent of a bouncing boy baby, says that he wouldn't take $20,000 for him, but wouldn't give two cents for another one.

The Democratic county executive committee met in Elizabeth yesterday afternoon and transacted much business with reference to the campaign.

There are six State Senators to be elected on Tuesday of next week and the Democrats are straining every nerve to capture all six of the seats.

One week from today the people will have their say.

Tammany believes in less croakers and more Crokers.

Register today if you want to vote next Tuesday.

Grand Jury Has Enough Business.

The Union County Grand Jury yesterday passed a resolution that it would not accept any more complaints for examination, as it had all the business it could dispose of. The jury may report soon.

MISCHIEF MADE BY LAW

PASTOR RICHARDSON'S HOT SHOT FOR LICENSE LAWS.

The Traffic, He Says, Lays a Heavy Hand on all Interests and Deserves to be Stamped Out by the Efforts of all Christians.

Despite the rain Sunday night a large congregation heard Pastor Richardson preach from the text, "Shall the throne of iniquity have fellowship with Thee, which frameth mischief by a law." Psalm 94:20. After an exposition of the text, he said:

"If any subject ever called for direct and strenuous legislation — if any menace to the citizen ever deserved to be suppressed by law, then does this traffic which lays a heavy hand on all our interests. Intemperance is an injury to the interests of the law abiding citizen, voluntarily committed, and therefore the act of the aggressor is a crime against him—and yet there is no redress. If a man goes into a saloon and comes out under the influence of a liquor which sends him home to murder his wife, you hang him or imprison him, while the rum seller who made him a fiend is not disturbed—he is licensed. He had authority to deal out the oxygen of murder. If an honest mechanic is lured into one of these saloons and is there filled with liquor which sends him reeling off the dock or under the railway train—the State has lost a citizen—the family a father—but who remunerates the community for the loss of one who might have borne a pro-rata share of the municipal burdens? Who pays the family for their loss? Who punishes the rumdealer for killing a man? Ah, let us see: the county will help the family if they will go to the poor-house: that means an additional tax on your pocketbook and mine: but you can't touch the rumseller; he made that family poor, and you can't get a cent from him outside his ordinary taxes towards their support; he is licensed.

"The license law actually gives the rumseller the opportunity to make all the money he can out of the inebriate, and then taxes you and me to support the victims of the inebriate's appetite, and the dramseller's cupidity—and yet good honest men vote license. I say license laws are an injustice to the citizen. Here are a few facts which inform us how that law works. If a man steals my dog, the law will try him as a thief. If a person robs me of my horse, the law will put detectives on his track, and trace him, and imprison him, and restore to me my property. If a libertine enters my home, and ruins my child, the law will step in and claim this wretch and lay a heavy penalty upon him. But as the liquor law now stands, the dog is of more consequence than my boy; the horse is of more consequence than the honor of my home. The present law allows the liquor dealer to make my boy a drunkard and disgrace me—he can entice and ruin my father and take away my patrimony—he can come and lead my wife into intoxication and deprive me of my happiness and home—he is allowed to poison and degrade my dear ones before my eyes—and looking upon them dying inch by inch, I may rush to his saloon and cry for vengeance, and the wretch replies:—'Don't you dare touch me, I'm licensed.' I fly to the officers of the government I help support, and am laughed at. The government will not help me—it has licensed the liquor dealer—I cannot touch him. Broken hearted, insulted, robbed, made desolate, I find that the license law protects the robber of my all, while he stripes and damns me—beautiful justice!

"If a man excavates a portion of the public highway and leaves it so exposed that an unwary traveller falls into it and is injured, the law forces that man to remuneration. An apothecary heedlessly reads the prescription sent from the physician and sends back to the patient a poison that produces death. Show this to a jury and they will bring in a verdict of manslaughter. There is not a danger here specified but is paralleled and outdone by intemperance. Yet knowing that every glass of liquor is a menace—that every dead drunkard is a murder—that every liquor saloon is a seed-pot of vice—knowing that thousands under the influence of intoxicating liquor will cheat and rob, and brutally ill-treat the innocent—yet all this is licensed! And there is really no redress for any damage one may receive from the effects of the license law. It is an eternal injustice to protect the rumseller at the cost of the good citizen, and defenseless women and children. O how can the children of the living God have fellowship with the throne of iniquity which frameth mischief by a law?"

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—There was one session in the Plainfield public schools yesterday.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

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News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

—All bills against the city should be presented to the City Clerk by Thursday night.

—The trial of Wallace and others will come up in the City Court on Thursday afternoon.

—The uniforms for the new members of the Plainfield High School Cadets are expected to arrive today.

—Marvin D. Savage, brother of Mrs. G. S. Raynolds, of Jackson avenue, died at his home in Brooklyn Sunday night.

—A venire has been issued by City Judge DeMeza calling for a jury in the trial of Rev. P. S. Gibson on Thursday afternoon.

—The participants in the red card dance of the Spielkartenfest will have a photograph taken this afternoon in Langhorne's galleries.

—Constable Robert Walpole and Prosecutor Fred Marsh went hunting in the Short Hills on Friday and returned with a dozen woodcock.

—The rehearsals for the red and black card dances and the tambourine dance of the Spielkartenfest will be held this evening at the Crescent Rink.

—A dime sociable will be held in Hope chapel on Monday evening, November 1st, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of that church.

—Rev. Mr. Bird, of Red Bank, occupied the pulpit at the Mt. Olive Baptist church Sunday, morning and evening. Rev. P. S. Gibson preached in exchange.

—The first meeting of the season of the Boys' Mission Band of the Cresecent Avenue church will be held Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the church parlors.

—Another of the series of free-will sociables given by the Daughters of America will be held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. James Radin, on North avenue, Thursday evening.

—Just now everyone is interested in the subject of what to wear during the coming cold days, and a happy solution of this problem can be found at Werner's West Front street clothing store. He also sells hats and gents' furnishings and gives coupons.

—The seventeenth annual convention of the Union County Sunday school Association will be held in the First Presbyterian church, Cranford, on Thursday of this week. Sessions will be held at 10 a. m., 2 and 7:30 p. m. All interested in this work are welcome.

—Tickets for the entertainment of the Plainfield Guitar, Banjo and Mandolin Club, in the Monroe Avenue church, tomorrow evening, can be purchased from members of the club and of the Young Men's Association of the church, and also from Neuman Bros., on Watchung avenue.

—Reynolds' petroleum hair tonic, manufactured and sold by T. S. Armstrong, druggist, corner of Park and North avenues, is one of the best-known preparations for the hair. Mr. Armstrong has many testimonials from persons who have been benefitted by using it, and he will show them to anyone asking to see them.

COUNTY TROLLEY ROAD

Citizens' Committee Rode Over the Route and Was Much Pleased.

The committee of eleven appointed by Chairman West in pursuance of a resolution passed at the citizens' meeting recently held in the court house, went over the entire route from Elizabeth to Plainfield Friday in carriages. They stopped at numerous places along the line and discussed the practical features of the plan at length. The committee seemed to be much pleased with their visit, and will meet again this evening. The meeting to hear their report will be held about the middle of November.

A Union Service.

A union Sunday-school service of the schools of the Baptist, Methodist and Episcopal churches, of Fanwood, will be held at All Saints church, Scotch Plains, next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The programme will consist of addresses by George E. Hall and Silas McBee, of Fanwood; George H. Krause, of Roselle, and Rev. Dr. Glazebrook, of Elizabeth. Rev. Dr. Braker, of the Baptist church; Rev. Mr. Winans, of the Methodist church, and Rev. Mr. True, of the Episcopal church, will also take part in the service. An offering will be taken for the Union Sunday-school Union.

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William Muller, a Clerk for the Keer & Martin Cycle Company, Commits Suicide.

William Muller, who has for the last year taken charge of the East Orange store of the Keer & Martin Cycle Company, committed suicide by taking poison last Saturday evening near Eagle Rock. He was one of the first wheelmen of that region and was well known to Messrs. Martin & Keer for many years. He has been unfortunate in business and was very despondent over the fact that his friends were rising to positions of fame and fortune while he remained merely a clerk. He was trusted by his employers who consider that they have lost a faithful assistant. His relatives live in Hamburg, Germany. He was a single man, forty-one years of age.

To Travel Overland.

George R. Rockfellow, of Park avenue, and William N. Flanders, of Fanwood, started today for a drive through the south to be gone until April 1st. They took their cook and all the necessary kitchen utensils with them and will camp out along the road as they go.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

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DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

W. H. Terry is much improved from his attack of asthma.

William Jennings spent Sunday with his mother at Warrenville.

Miss Mamie Hunt is slowly recovering from her severe illness.

Miss Lizzie Hunt entertained company from New York last Sunday.

Mr. Clarkson, of Plainfield, was the guest of friends in the borough yesterday.

An important meeting of the Foresters will be held next Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Rugg, of Plainfield, spent Sunday in town with relatives.

A meeting of the Jr. O. U. A. M. will be held this evening, at which time much business of importance will be considered.

Harry Swackhamer and John Fenner rode their wheels to Pluckamin last Sunday and were caught in the rain. They returned by train.

George Richardson has exchanged his valuable trotter with a New York man for another horse. Mr. Richardson's horse has made a record of 2:24 on the Gentlemen's Driving Park track.

At New Market on Sunday last occurred the death of Ludlow Squiers, one of the oldest residents in that vicinity. Mr. Squiers had been ill for sometime and owing to his advanced age, eighty-three, he was unable to recover. He moved to New Market from Mt. Bethel sixty years ago, and has resisded at the former place ever since. He was a mason by trade and worked at the same as long as he could. He was a faithful member of the Baptist church at this place, and his membership dates back to 1843. He was married to a Miss Wright, of Piscataway township, and she and one son, living in Orange, survives him. The funeral services will be held tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock from the Baptist church at New Market.

SCOTCH PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Fanwood Council, No. 744, Royal Arcanum, meets tonight.

The Board of Registry of Fanwood township meets today from 1 to 9 o'clock p. m., to revise the list of voters.

Victoria Brown, the young daughter of C. W. Brown, who was injured last week by falling from the limb of a tree, is now much improved.

The Elmwood Concert Company, composed of a number of colored people of Plainfield, played to a $2.50 house in the Town Hall last night.

William Flanders leaves today for a trip to Greenville, S. C., in his "Gospel Wagon." He will have for a traveling companion, George Rockfellow, of Plainfield.

Rev. J. S. Braker, G. E. Hall and Norman C. Dunn, of the Baptist church, left this morning for Trenton to attend the Baptist State convention which will be held today and tomorrow.

The Ladies' Circle of the Baptist church will hold a meeting at the home of Mrs. F. W. Westcott tomorrow afternoon and make arrangements for the apron sale which will be shortly held in the church parlors.

Charles Reicke, a young lad, was severely bitten by a bull dog last evening. The dog was fastened to a fence by a chain, but when he saw the boy he seemed to become very vicious. He broke the chain and attacked the lad.

The following resolutions were adopted by the Scotch Plains Baptist Sunday-school Sunday:

Whereas, At the last annual meeting of the East New Jersey Baptist Sunday-school Association, the sessions were admirably presided over by our superintendent, G. E. Hall, and

Whereas, The nominating committee placed his name in nomination for a second term, (an unprecedented act.) Therefore be it

Resolved, That we, the teachers, officers and scholars of the Scotch Plains Baptist Sunday-school do hereby express in form of resolutions our appreciation of the labors of our superintendent;

Resolved, That we extend to him our hearty congratulation upon the successful issue of the presidency of the East New Jersey Baptist Sunday-school Association in the meeting of last Tuesday, October 19th, at New Market, and share with him the honor of a second nomination as an honor to our school; and

Resolved, That we labor more earnestly with him for the success of our Sunday-school, feeling that in him we have a safe leader, a conscientious helper, a wide-awake superintendent.

WESTFIELD

VARIOUS BITS OF NEWS.

WESTFIELD HAPPENINGS SERVED UP TERSELY FOR THE PRESS.

Many People Go and Come in the Pretty Suburban Town—Items Interesting Because of Their Brevity

E. B. Wambold is in Salem, N. Y.

The Foresters held a meeting last evening.

Louis Ganzel is on a business trip in Europe.

George Hulick is visiting friends at Long Branch.

Mrs. W. M. Stamets and daughter are visiting in Salem, N. Y.

J. S. A. Wittke has moved into his new house at Mountainside.

Mrs. Bishop Chamberlain is visiting friends in Hunterdon county.

Upchurch Lodge, A. O. U. W., meets in its lodge rooms tonight.

L. B. Darymple, of Dunellen, is the guest of Mr. Beek, of Downer street.

F. A. Ernst and family, of Mountain avenue, removed to Brooklyn yesterday.

W. G. Peckham is agitating the question of sidewalks on Hillside avenue.

The Sunday-school board of the Methodist church held a meeting last evening.

Mrs. John Crane, of Roseville, is the guest of Mrs. William S. Welch, of Westfield avenue.

Nathan Mowry, of Little Falls, N. J., has returned from a visit with his sister, Mrs. Smith, of Picton street.

The Iron Clad Rheostat Company is working its hands overtime to fill the large number of orders for its machines.

The Congregational church is arranging to hold its annual fall reunion and sociable in the church parlors on Friday evening.

Rev. George A. Francis and Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Conant are in attendance at the Baptist State convention which is held in Trenton today and tomorrow.

The Presbyterian Thimble Club will hold its first meeting of the season at the residence of Mrs. Irving R. Douglass on Prospect street, Friday afternoon. The club is interested in missionary work.

A number of delegates from this place will attend the annual meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary Union, of New Jersey, which will be held in the First Congregational church of Newark, tomorrow and Thursday.

The Boards of Registry meet for the last time today from 1 to 9 p. m., for the purpose of revising the list of voters. The board of the First election district meets in Gilby's Hall, and that of the Second district in the township rooms.

The newly-elected officers of the Advance Club are: Dr. A. H. Schofield, president; C. A. Smith, first vice-president; Prof. W. A. Edwards, second vice-president; Miss Harriet Williams, secretary, and Lawrence Clark, treasurer.

Cyrus P. Wilcox, of Westfield, while carriage riding on the county road near Garwood on Saturday evening, collided with a carriage driven by Wm. Shandler, of Cranford. The shafts and front wheels of both wagons were badly damaged. Wilcox claims that he was on the right side of the road and that the smashup was entirely the fault of Shandler, who came in the opposite direction on the wrong side of the road.

Nell Pickett Perfectly Innocent.

The Press is in receipt of the following letter from Theodore Miller, deputy sheriff at Stamford, Conn.:

To the Editor of The Daily Press—In regard to an item which was recently published in your paper stating that one Nellie Pickett was the principal witness in the "Long" murder case, I wish to say as an act of simple justice to this woman, that though she was under police surveillance for a short time after she arrived in this town, she has never been arrested, and that a thorough investigation has proved her entire innocence of any complicity in or any knowledge whatever of that murder. She is today in honorable employment in this city, and is entirely free to go wherever she wills. By giving this a place in your valuable columns you will confer a favor on

Theo. Miller.

—"Living Pictures" is the rather startling title of an entertainment to be given in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue church Saturday evening under the auspices of the Cheerful Workers' Circle of King's Daughters.

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Quality and Price Are the Prizes.

What would you think of a lawyer who tried to secure clients by offering chances on a bicycle? Would you want the services of a physician who offered to give coal hods or sofa pillows to patients who employed him regularly?

We think not. We believe also that when sickness comes and you have prescriptions to be filled or need any other aid that the skilled pharmacist can render, you want perfect service at a fair price— nd nothing else.

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NEW TELEPHONE CALLS.

Many Merchants and Householders Take Advantage of the System.

The last month has been an active one for the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company. A number of new telephones have been put in and the lines of the company about the city extended. New lead cables have been hung from the central office on North avenue to Linden avenue and Somerset street and West Third street and Liberty street, in place of the old rubber ones, and they will all be ready to put in the underground conduits as soon as they are made.

The new subscribers to the service are: 39, Mrs. J. H. Ackerman, residence, West Seventh street; 139 F., Cornwall Printing Press Company, North avenue and Berckman street; 34 B., L. Pincoffs, residence, Central avenue; 67 O., Mrs. J. F. Loeser, residence, 1117 LaGrande avenue; 224, Frederic W. Butler, residence, 202 East Ninth street; 225 A., Garret Q. Packer, furniture, 301-303 West Front street; 214 B., Bard Cycle Company, North avenue; 225 B., City steam and hand laundry, 19 Somerset street; 223 W. E. Lowe, residence, 1024 Park avenue; 104 A., Wm. Hand & Son., general express, 518 Park avenue; 226 A., Spicer & Hubbard, moulding, planing mill, Madison avenue; 226 B., Commercial Mills, (A. L. Cadmus), 674 South Second street; 228 A., G. E. Strauss, residence, 724 Watchung avenue; 227 Henry B. Newhall, residence, Arlington avenue and Ninth street; 208 B., J. F. Stevens, residence, Fanwood.

THEATRICAL.

At Music Hall tonight Donnelly and Girard will appear in their new spectacular operetta, "The Geezer." This is the first time the citizens of Plainfield have had an opportunity to see this most amusing of plays in their own city. It ran for 175 consecutive nights in New York, and Donnelly and Girard, with their usual enterprise and knowing a good thing when they see it, determined to put it within the reach of the people of their whole circuit, so at considerable cost they purchased the exclusive right to its use, and now bring it here for the first time with new and specially built scenery, magnificent electric effects, rich and costly costumes of new design and new songs and catchy music.

Archie Boyd is now playing Nathaniel Berry in James A. Herne's beautiful play of New England farm life, "Shore Acres." This well-known character actor seems to find delight in depicting idiosyncrasies of the bucolic hero, and his Josh Whitcomb in "The Old Homestead" and his Uncle Nat. in "Shore Acres" are really admirable companion pictures. Mr. Boyd is a painstaking actor and he endeavors to live the character he is portraying. Although identified with what are known as old men parts, Mr. Boyd is comparatively a young man and his future prospects are very bright indeed. This is his second season with "Shore Acres." The play is underlined for production at Music Hall next Friday evening.

Those who believe chronic diarrhœa to be incurable should read what Mr. P. E. Grisham, of Gaars Mills, La., has to say on the subject, viz.: "I have been a sufferer from chronic diarrhœa ever since the war and have tried all kinds of medicines for it. At last I found a remedy that effected a cure and that was Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy." This medicine can always be depended upon for colic, cholera morbus, dysentery and diarrhœa. It is pleasant to take and never fails to affect a cure. 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

—Additional locals on page 3.

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A Pharmacy conducted in the interest of the People's Health. Nature's Wonderful gifts to alleviate the ills of life. Pharmacists having years of experience compound your needs. We solicit your continued confidence.

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STRAYED away Sunday morning; small skye terrier pup. Liberal reward if returned to 20 Rockview avenue. 10 25 5

$500 wanted on second mortgage; "Gilt Edge" property; state terms, no agents. Address Mortgage, care Press. 10 25 tf

POSITION desired by a lady who has spent several years abroad, speaking French and German, as traveling companion, or as resident companion and secretary. Call 42 Sycamore avenue, or address E. F. Washburn, St. Michael's Rectory, 192 High street, Brooklyn, N. Y. 10 19 3 w

MONEY to loan on Bond and Mortgage. Chas. L. Moffett, Attorney, cor. Park and North Aves. 10 21 eod 4

TO LET—Furnished front room, centrally located; suitable for two young men, all conveniences. Address Pearl, care Press. 10 26 3

WANTED—Collector and canvasser. 103 Central avenue, after 6 p. m.

WANTED—Furnaces to take care of. Call 115 Madison avenue.

LOST—A young pup—hound. Reward if returned to Geo. Richter, 15 Somerset street. 10 26 2

WANTED—Laundress. Apply with reference, 452 West Eighth street. 10 26 3

YOUNG German wants place as coachman or driver. Address John, care Press.

WANTED—Three or four men, canvassers. Call at 303 West Fourth street, Kenyon, after 4 p. m. 19 26 4

COMPANION—A position as lady's companion wanted by a refined lady; best references, salary no object. Address K. K., care Press.

6 room house to let. 39 Emily street. 10 26 2

GIRL wanted for general housework; German preferred. 215 Somerset street.

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THE LEVER OF LOW PRICES

has lifted this business into its present popularity. This same lever props up every trade transaction which takes place over our counters. Never in this store's history have you been invited to investigate such an assortment of close priced merchandise. 'Twill well repay you to compare our prices and our goods with others—we know we will

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40 in Fancy Plaids.....49c
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A Silk Sale

When you read this we will have on sale two thousand yards of the finest black silk ever shown in this town of yours and ours from the great auction sale of Schuarzenback, Huber & Co., all bought 40 per cent below their value and sold the same way.

Beautiful Faille.....69 cts
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A postal card will bring you samples.

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Just the opening items. Goods and prices talk stronger than columns of chat. 'Twill be our busy week in hosiery and underwear.

Children's fleeced lined vests and pants, ...5c up
Children's natural wool vests and pants, ...10c up
Ladies' ribbed vests and pants, fleeced 25c
Ladies' natural wool vests and pants, 50c
Children's heavy school hose, all sizes 10c
Ladies' fine seamless hose, fast black 12c
Ladies' extra fine hose, 25c kind, 18c pair

Men's Furnishings.

Men's heavy wool shirts.....29c
natural wool shirts.....38c
outing shirts.....32c
white linen shirts.....33c
suspenders, 25c kind.....13c
half hose.....10c pair
silk neckwear, 50c kind... 25c
cambric handkerchiefs 5c each
linen handkerchiefs...15c each

A Book Bargain.

Over 500 finely-bound Novels that 'twill pay you to buy now for Christmas. Regular prices 50c, 75c and $1. Our price 19c, and take your pick.

A Cloak Week.

Many new lots from the best makers. The coat or cape you want is among them, and it won't cost you so much as you think. We ask you to inspect our stock.

Kid Gloves.

Famous kid glove values—we make every customer a satisfied one in this important department. Four-button and five-hook P. L. gloves, $1.00 warranted. SPECIAL.—100 pairs of two-clasp P. L. gloves, red tans, slightly imperfect, real value $1.25, our price 59c. We sell the celebrated Kayser double-tip cashmere gloves, 25c, 35c, 50c. Every pair warranted.

Corsets.

The best corset ever sold for 50c is here in black, white and drab—'tis the called Comet. Ask to see the Sonnette corset, a medium short waist, made of French contill and full boned—the price $1. The Kosmo, an extra heavy black corset, is a good one—price 75c. We carry a full line of W. B., P. N., Her Majesty and Thompson's corsets.

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Fine cambric wrappers.....75c | Flannelette wrappers.....98c
Fancy wool plaid shirt waists.....$1.37
Russian blouse waists, made of pretty worsted goods, $2.75. Skirts to match, $4. Suits, $6.75.
Corset covers.....9c, 12c, 17c, 19c and 25c each.
Fine black satine skirts.....$1, $1.25, $1.75 and $2.
Boys' outing flannel shirt waists.....25c, 29c and 50c

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Oak Dining Tables, $4.50 up.
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DESIRABLE house, low rental, improved. 235 East Sixth street. Call, 231. 9 10 tf

GAS or gasoline engine wanted. Debele's dairy, 111 Somerset street. 10 25 tf

KNIFE pleating made by the yard Leave orders at Rand's, 140 West Front street. 10 25 3

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FOR SALE—Several fine fresh Jersey cows. Geo. Demler, Jr., Washingtonville. 10 25 3

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EUROPE FORESEES WAR

London Press Says That Spain Must Fight Us or Back Down.

ITALY WILL HELP SPAIN

New Cabinet's Defiant Attitude and Ambassador Draper's Visit to Rome Start War Rumors—Bitter Attacks on "the Yankees."

London, Oct. 26.—United States Ambassador Draper's hurried visit to Rome, taken in connection with Spain's reported defiant reply to the demands of the United States, has caused war talk in all the European capitals.

The London papers are unanimous in declaring Spain's reported answer to be defiant and predicting an open rupture with the United States unless she recedes from or modifies her position.

Many bitter attacks are made upon the "insolent Yankees" by the more violent papers. Several, especially the more conservative, unite in warning Spain that she will be hopelessly overmatched in case of a war with the United States.

The belief is growing here that the European monarchies will not stand idly by and see Spain whipped in a contest which involves the ascendancy of monarchical principles. This feeling causes credit to be given to the report spread by Italian papers that Italy has proposed to the powers of Europe to offer Spain her mediation to avoid war with the United States.

The report is now widely circulated that the Italian Government is making preparations to help Spain in case of war. There can be no denying the fact that the New Orleans massacre still rankles in the Italian breast.

In view of these complications and the war spirit which is noticeably increasing in Spain, an authoritative publication of the answer of the Madrid Government is being awaited with the keenest interest.

Spain's Reply Not Yet Received.

Washington, Oct. 26.—It was stated positively at the White House and at the State Department that up to last night the answer of Spain to the United States had not reached the President or Secretary Sherman, nor had they received the 2,000-word cable communication which it is said Minister Woodford sent in cipher from Madrid last Saturday.

There was an abundance of speculation in and about the White House as to the issue presented by Spain's answer, as briefly summarized in cable reports, but from no authoritative source could it be learned that the Administration had outlined any line of policy to meet the situation now presented. Secretary Sherman did not come to the White House during the morning, and Assistant Secretary of State Day has gone to Ohio, so that there is no opportunity for conference on the Spanish-Cuban situation. Attorney-General McKenna was with the President for a quarter of an hour, presumably in reference to the Union Pacific Railway affairs.

Action Possible To-day.

The Attorney-General said, after leaving the President, that there were no developments which he wished to communicate to the public. In other quarters it was stated that a determination might come at any moment in the near future, and that in all probability the meeting of the Cabinet today would bring about a definite understanding and probably a final conclusion on the Government's course.

It is not doubted among officials that the basis of the Spanish reply to Mr. Woodford's note will be the charge that the United States has not observed the requirements of international law in the matter of preventing filibustering. In this case the State Department will have some pertinent facts to present, which its officials believe will completely alienate from Spain any sympathy that she may have attracted from other European nations on that score. It is asserted positively that in no single case where the Spanish authorities have brought to the attention of this Government the fact that an illegal expedition was about to start from American shores for Cuba has it neglected to use all the means permitted by the laws to prevent the start. It has been so indulgent in this respect as to accept statements from the Spanish officials, not accompanied by proofs of the facts alleged, but mere suggestions that they had reason to believe that an expedition was forming.

In some cases the Government has proceeded to great lengths in restraint of American commerce on insufficient evidence furnished by the Spanish Government that has resulted in the preference of large claims by American ship owners for illegal detention of their ships.

Laugh at Spain's Claims.

Washington, Oct. 26.—The State Department will have some pertinent facts to present when Spain's note is received, which, its officials believe, will completely alienate from Spain any sympathy that she may have attracted from other European nations on the score of filibustering.

It is asserted positively that in no single case where the Spanish authorities have brought to the attention of our Government the fact that an illegal expedition was about to start for Cuba has it neglected to use all the means permitted by our laws to prevent it.

Spain Feels Safe.

Madrid, Oct. 26.—A member of the Cabinet says the Government does not believe that its reply to the American note will cause friction with the United States, because its tone is friendly and it shows that Spain is about to do for Cuba what the United States has repeatedly advised.

He added that Gen. Blanco, the new Captain-General, had been instructed to promise more liberty to the Cuban press, vigorous administrative reforms and a weeding out in the ranks of officials.

The Killing of Gen. Castillo.

Havana, Cuba, Oct. 26.—Private advices received here confirm the report that Gen. Castillo, the well-known insurgent leader, has been killed in an engagement with the Spanish troops.

It is stated that his body has been carried to La Chorrera, four miles distant from this city, where it is [illegible]

There Are Others.

Plenty of Them But so Different—Local Proof is What Plainfield People Want.

There are a great many of them.
Every paper has its share.
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Cornell Dam Strike Settled.

New York, Oct. 26.—The strike on the Cornell dam has been settled. The workmen have won a signal victory and returned to work this morning.

The Cornell dam will be one of the most gigantic pieces of engineering work in the world. It will cover thousands of acres of land between two hills and take in nearly all the tributaries of the Croton River. The main wall consists of 200 feet of solid masonry and will be built in such a manner as to resist all freshets.

When the dam is flooded it will constitute the largest artificial body of water in the world.

Murdered and Thrown Overboard.

New York, Oct. 26.—The body of a man with a bullet wound in his head, a broken nose, and fractured skull, drifted into the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad docks yesterday afternoon at St. George, S. I. The autopsy revealed that the man had been undoubtedly the victim of foul play. The position of the wounds, their character and the fact that evidences of drowning were missing, gave the doctor who performed the autopsy the impression of murder.

$275,000 Taken from the Bank.

Washington, Oct. 26.—Deputy Comptroller of the Currency Coffin went to Asheville, N. C., last night to facilitate the liquidation of the National Bank of Asheville. A new corporation will be formed to take over its business. Mr. Coffin says depositors will realize but a small percentage of their claims. The president and two of the directors, he says, confessed to him that they took $275,000 of the bank's funds. They will be tried next week.

Betting on the Election.

New York, Oct. 26.—More money was offering on the Stock Exchange yesterday on the field against Van Wyck. As a result the odds did not favor Van Wyck so strongly as they have done lately. Some small bets were made at odds of 1 to 2 on the field against Van Wyck. On the Stock Exchange last week the odds on Van Wyck against the field ruled at 2½ to 1.

Gen. Harrison and Family Go Home.

New York, Oct. 26.—Ex-President Benjamin Harrison, Mrs. Harrison and their little daughter left the Fifth Avenue Hotel yesterday for their home in Indianapolis. Gen. Harrison and the baby have both been suffering from severe colds, but both were feeling pretty well yesterday when they started for home.

Spain's Reply to Uncle Sam.

(Cable Dispatch to The New York Sun.)

London, Oct. 26.—A dispatch to the Standard from Madrid says that Gen. Woodford, the American Minister, yesterday received from the Foreign Office the reply of Spain to the note of the American Government. It is said that the reply fills thirty pages.

Police Stop a Big Bout.

New York, Oct. 26.—The twenty-round bout between Tommy Hogan, of Chicago, and Jimmy Clare, of Long Island City, at catchweights, at the Greenpoint Sporting Club last night, was stopped by the police in the sixth

Ready for Business

evidently, and the business shou d be done by all means. Buildings require paint. Of course, a house may be left unpainted and left to become weatherbeaten and a wreck. That doesn't pay, though; it's much cheaper to paint, and our paints in all colors are the best in the market for durability under the most trying conditions. They are well adapted to our exposure and we sell everything in the line of paints and painters' supplies at short prices.

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20th Day of December

next, the names of the defaulters with their respective taxes will be returned to the City Judge for prosecution. The Commissioners of Appeal in cases of taxation in and for the said City will meet at the Council Chamber, No. 109 Park avenue, Plainfield, N. J., on the

4th Tuesday of November

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Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 10, 7 58, 8 00, 8 30, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 9 15, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday, 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 10, 11 16 a. m.; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 36, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 22 p. m.

Leave New York, foot Liberty street, at 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00 a. m; 12 00 m., 1 10, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45 p. m.; 12 15, 1 00 night. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00, 9 00 a. m.; 12 m.; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 8 15, 9 00, 10 00p. m.; 12 15 night; 1 00 a. m.

Leave New York from Whitehall street at 7 00, 7 55, 8 25, 8 55, 9 55, 11 55 a. m., 1 00, 1 25, 2 25, 3 25, 3 55, 4 25, 4 55, 5 25, 5 55, 6 25, 6 55, 7 50, 8 25, 9 10, 9 55, 11 30 p. m., 12 10 night. Sundays—At 7 00, 8 55 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 2 30, 3 55, 5 25, 6 55, 7 25, 8 25, 9 50 p. m., 12 10 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 50, 8 00, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 01, 52, 10 08, 11 16 a. m.; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 18, 7 55, 8 38, 9 03, 10 05 a. m.; 12 10, 1 15, 1 38, 2 35, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 28, 5 42, 6 19, 7 18, 7 38, 8 40, 10 05, 11 05 p. m. Sunday, 7 18, 9 05, 9 30, 10 35 a. m.; 1 10, 1 38, 2 45, 4 05, 5 38, 7 20, 9 20, 10 20 p. m.

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PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a.m 1 01, 2 11, 2 32, 3 35, 4 36, 5 03, 5 15, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 16, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p. m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 06, 9 55, a. m; 2 03, 3 39, 6 35, 8 30, 10 15, 11 14 p. m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35 45, 8 19, 9 02, 9 48, 11 45, a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05 3 25, 4 25, 5 28, 6 08, 6 40, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05 p. m Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a. m; 12 05, 1 20, 5 15, 6 35, 7 53, 8 05, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a. m., 1 01, 2 11, 4 55, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 8 06 a. m; 2 03 6 35 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a. m; 12 32, 4 04, 7 00, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 52 a. m; 6 30 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 9 54 a. m; 5 03, 5 15 p. m

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

6 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 30 a. m.—For staticns to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, & c. with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

1 01 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for station on D., L. & W. R. R.

2 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, MauchChunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

4 55 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Scranton, Wilkesbarre, Tamaqua, Shamokin, (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

5 05 and 5 15 p. m., way or Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 06 a. m. Sundays for Easton.

3 03 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 05 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, etc., and at Junction for D., L. & W. R. R.

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For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 37, 8 13, 9 28, 10 27 a. m.; 1 15, 3 51, 5 22, 5 54, 7 03 p. m. Sundays, 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10 27 a. m.; 1 15. 3 51, 5 22 p. m.

For Lakewood, Toms River and Barnegat' 3 37, 8 13 a. m.; 1 15, 3 51 p. m. Sundays 8 52 a.m

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For Trenton, 5 17, 8 44, 9 46 a. m.; 1 01, 2 17, 4 29, 5 24*, 6 39* 8 21, 9 37* p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 8 45, 9 55 a. m.; 2 25, 4 55, 5 09, 6 35* p. m.; 1 17 night.

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HAVANA A PEST HOLE.

Disease and Death Are Rampant All Over the Island.

Washington, Oct. 26.—Only an inkling of revolting horrors of starvation and desolation prevalent throughout the island of Cuba have as yet reached this country, because for months no adequate knowledge of the conditions of the interior and small towns has been available. But from the chief city of Havana, where the suffering must be least, compared with other portions, almost incredible accounts of the barbarous results of Spanish misrule continue to multiply in official records.

Yesterday an official statement was delivered to the President which shocked him beyond measure. It was the regular weekly report of Dr. W. F. Brunner, sanitary inspector of the United States Marine Hospital at Havana. Without the change of a word it is as follows:

"The death rate is assuming alarming proportions in this city, and the deaths from intestinal diseases, due to insufficient food, among the poorer classes amount to about two-fifths of the total deaths. An inspection of a pest hole known as Los Fosos was made by me on Thursday, Oct. 14. This place has been set aside for the country people sent to Havana. Los Fosos consists of a large wooden building about 150 feet in length and 60 feet in width. The building is situated in an inclosure which is used for the storing of carts of the municipality.

"There were 500 people found in and around this building, and of that number over 200 were found lying on the floor sick and dying. I saw no child under 10 years of age who could be considered in good health. They were invariably suffering from some form of enteritis or dysentery. The emaciation of their bodies was startling. This place is not a hospital, but simply a place of residence for these people. A conservative estimate of the death rate of these people would be about 10 per day. The number is recruited by fresh accessions from the country.

"There were over 150 children below the age of 10 years and I did not observe one whose chance for living thirty days under the existing circumstances was good.

"There are two other such places in the city where the same conditions exist. The hospitals, civil, are refusing patients. One of them, well known to me, the Mercedes, capable of holding 200 patients, now has nearly 500, and has refused to admit any new patients until that number can be reduced.

"During the week there were thirty-one deaths from starvation recorded; in reality twice that number has occurred."

In a separate report Dr. Brunner says it is reported to him "that bodies of persons buried at Guanabacoa, a small town three miles east of Havana, are being disinterred to make room for new burials, and that the stench from bodies not buried a year is unbearable. I should state that it is the custom to remove the remains of persons after they have been buried five years unless the ground is again paid for, but it seems in this instance that less than one year had intervened."

Dynamited a Bank Safe.

Webster City, Ia., Oct. 26.—Three masked burglars robbed the State Bank of Blairsburg yesterday morning. They used dynamite and the explosion shattered the large plate-glass window and badly wrecked the bank building. They secured $6,000 worth of securities and a small amount of cash.

When the first explosion occurred it awoke half the town. James Conners' yells frightened the burglars, and although they had prepared dynamite for the second explosion they lost no time in escaping.

In the darkness two of the burglars mistook their "pal" for a policeman and shot him down. He is named James Gillicoin and is not expected to live.

The Rescuer of the Cuban Girl.

Washington, Oct. 26.—This evening Mr. Karl Decker's newspaper friends will tender him a banquet, at which it is expected Editor Hearst, of the New York Journal, will be present. This banquet will close the public demonstrations in honor of the Cuban girl and her rescuer in Washington.

It is Mr. Decker's present intention, unless, of course, he receives some other assignment, to continue in Washington as the representative of the Journal during the coming session of Congress.

It is thought that Senorita Cisneros will make her home in Washington, and will probably enter some private school or institution to complete her education.

Yawned Her Jaws Loose.

Williamsport, Pa., Oct. 26.—Miss Ella Lilly, of Montgomery, while walking along the street yesterday, yawned so hard that her jaws became unlocked.

She thought her false teeth had wedged between the jaws, and after removing the teeth and finding no relief the girl ran screaming through the street.

It required the combined services of a doctor and two men to get her jaws back in place. She suffered most excruciating pain.

Will Make Speeches in New York.

Chicago, Oct. 26.—Mayor Taggart, of Indianapolis, and several well-known Indiana Democrats, will go to New York with Mayor Harrison and the Cook County Democracy to work for the election of Tammany's candidate for Mayor. Mayor Taggart will make at least one speech in the New York campaign. The Indianapolis contingent may go to New York on the Cook County Democracy's special train.

Carlisle Has Quit Washington.

Washington, Oct. 26.—Ex-Secretary Carlisle, while still retaining a professional connection with Washington, has given it up as a place of residence. The house which he occupied while Speaker of the House, Senator and Secretary of the Treasury he has leased with its furniture to Representative B. B. Odell, of New York.

Luetgert's Trial.

Chicago, Oct. 26.—States Attorney Deneen has resolved to put the second trial of Adolph L. Luetgert on the calendar for to-morrow morning unless Luetgert applies for a continuance.

A formal demand has been made on Mayor Harrison for the dismissal of Police Inspector Schaack by William A. Vincent, chief counsel for Luetgert.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss M. A. Kurtz, of Grove street, is visiting relatives at Liberty Corner.

Henry W. Brower, of East Sixth street, was confined to his home with illness yesterday.

Mrs. Mary Sutphen, of Central avenue, has returned from a visit with friends in Brooklyn.

Mrs. Kate Slater, of Great Neck, L. I., is visiting relatives and friends in the borough and city.

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Perry, of Crescent avenue, have gone to New York to spend the winter.

Miss Henrietta Bonnell, of Manning avenue, has returned from a sojourn of one week at Asbury Park.

Edward Petrie, of Brooklyn, has been visiting his mother in this city.

Miss Elsie Martin, of Hillside avenue, has been confined to her home for several days with illness.

John Fenner, of Pluckamin, has been visiting his sister, Mrs. H. J. Martin, of West Front street.

H. G. Runkle and family, of West Eighth street, have returned from Saranac Inn, N. Y., where they sojourned for the summer.

Mrs. Hull has left her former residence on East Front street and is now living at the home of her mother, Mrs. Mary Sutphen, of Central avenue.

TRAVELED IN MISSION FIELDS.

Rev. D. M. Stearns Welcomed Back from His Foreign Tour.

Rev. D. M. Stearns, D. D., met his Bible class at the First Presbyterian church last night for the first time since his return from a trip around the world. The attendance was large and all seemed glad to welcome their teacher back from his travels. Dr. Stearns devoted the first half hour to a discussion of next Sunday's Bible lesson, and then spoke of his travels, which were undertaken chiefly in the cause of missions. The fifteen Bible classes which Dr. Stearns has organized in various cities have contributed during the past nine years the sum of $97,000 for the mission cause, and the tour of their leader was made in order to gain a more thorough knowledge of the different fields and their needs. The speaker gave an interesting bird'seye view of his journey across this continent and to China, Japan and India, where he was gladly received by the mission workers and invited to remain with them and instruct them in Bible work. Before leaving Philadelphia, Dr. Stearns received a gift of $700 to be used for missions, and this he distributed in the fields most needing help. The class will meet hereafter in the Y. M. C. A. Hall, on Monday evenings.

Volunteer Speakers.

Rev. George Angleman, of Hampton Junction, will speak at the Volunteers' meeting this evening. Mr. Angleman was formerly pastor of the M. E. church at Scotch Plains. On Friday evening Rev. Mr. Samuelian will repeat his lecture on Constantinople and Turkey, as given in Y. M C. A. Thursday evening last, for the benefit of the Volunteers, in Y. M. C. A. Hall.

Another Bicycle Stolen.

Bicycle thieves are about again. Last night the Pierce bicycle belonging to Mrs. Isaac L. Miller, of East Ninth street and Watchung avenue, was stolen from the rear of the house. Its number is 24,310. There is no clew to the thief.

MUST ANSWER TO GRAND JURY.

A Young Man Held on Charge of Obtaining a Rig by False Pretences.

After numerous postponements, the hearing of Isodore DeCastro Brittin, on the charge of securing a horse and buggy from the liveryman, Frank Day, under false pretences, came up before Justice Newcorn, this morning. The young man was held in $100 bail to await the action of the Grand Jury.

Day claimed that Brittin came to his establishment and wanted a horse and buggy to drive to Scotch Plains promising to return in three-quarters of an hour. A storm was threatening and Day said that he only allowed the rig to go out on condition it was returned in the time stated. They were not returned, however, until the next day when Day learned that Brittin had been to Westfield and Fanwood as well as Scotch Plains. Day was represented by Former City Judge W. A. Coddington.

Brittin claimed in the defence that he had not told where he was going nor how long he was going to stay. He also explained that his reason for going to Westfield was that a companion had some very important business there. He was taken ill, he said, on his return to Scotch Plains and was not able to come home. He had been soaked in the storm and was taken with chills. His friend brought the rig home in the morning.

Y. M. C. A. Notes.

W. D. Murray will meet his Bible class at the Y. M. C. A. tonight, when the series of lessons on the life of Paul will be commenced.

An illustrated lecture on "Life on the Bridge" will be given by Rev. H. K. Samuelian, in Y. M. C. A. Hall, Thursday evening.

Justice Mosher's Court.

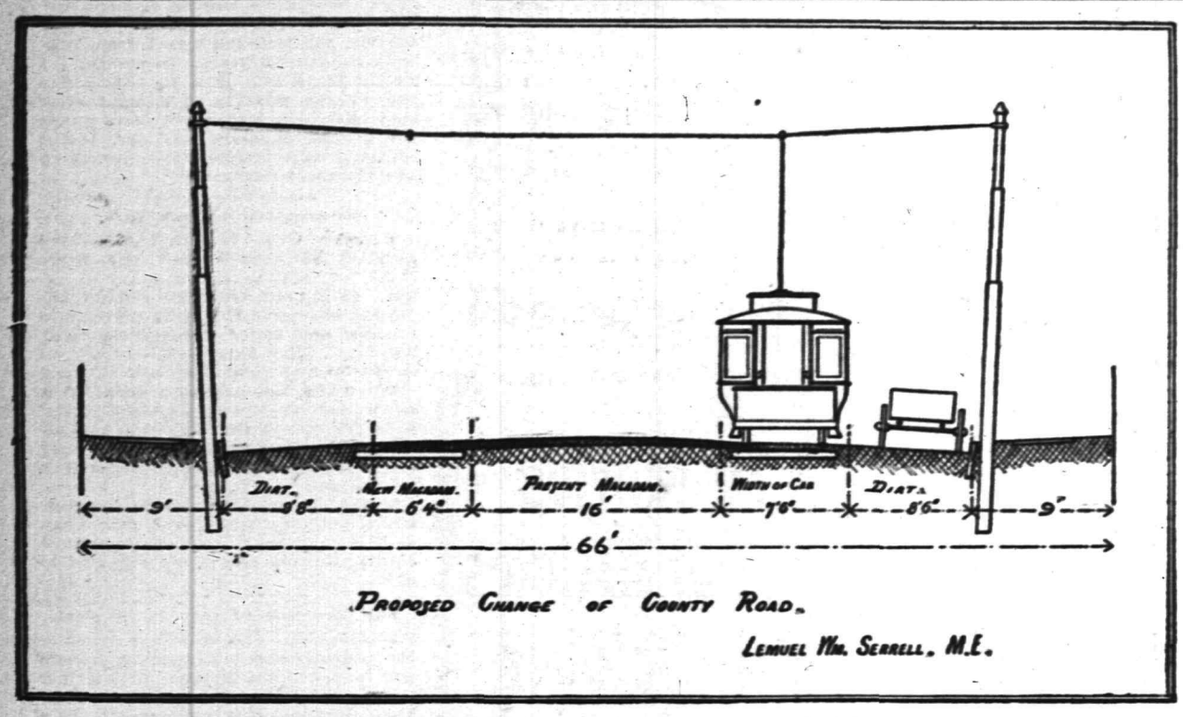
Justice Mosher today issued summons in the landlord and tenant case of Langbaum against Jackson and the contract case of Graves against Hodge. Both are made returnable November 4th.

Last Day for Registration.

This is an important day for voters. Those whose names are not already on the registry lists must appear personally before the Election Boards or else lose their vote next Tuesday.

The A. W. L. challenge trophy was played for at Newark Saturday by the Brooklyn Whist Club, challengers, and the New Jersey Whist Club, the holders. The first part of the match was very close, but toward the last the New Jersey four had the match all their own way and won by twelve tricks, holding the trophy. The next challengers are the Park Club four, of this city, who will play for the trophy on Thursday or Friday.

On Friday evening of this week there will be a bowling match on the Ulrich alleys between the team from the Potter Press Works and a team called the Knob Hills. This is the opening of the season and other games will now be arranged, so that before long the bowling season will be a lively one.



L. W. SERRELL'S PLAN FOR A TROLLEY ON THE COUNTY ROAD.

A short time ago I prepared a communication discussing the project for the county to build an electric railroad between Elizabeth and Plainfield along the county road. This paper told of the cost of carrying out the proposed plan of making the county road 100 feet wide and having the county build the railroad and lease it to some corporation who would pay sufficient rental to pay the interest on the county indebtedness and in time retire the county bonds. In the paper referred to I showed that it would be impossible for the railroad to earn sufficient money to do this, and that the taxpayer would have to pay large deficiencies. As stated in the paper referred to, the primary object of this county project has been to preserve the present macadam.

I submit herewith a plan by which it is possible to do this without widening the road, so locate the tracks that they will not interfere with the existing macadam and at the same time give ample room for carriages and wagons to stand between the side of the car and the curb line. By adopting this plan and granting the franchise to an electric railway corporation under proper conditions as to macadamizing and grading, the county road would be a macadamized thoroughfare 29 feet in width, and all the objections that have been raised against an electric railroad on the county road would be overcome, and the taxpayers would be relieved from the great burdens that they would have to assume should the county road be widened as has been suggested.

Lemuel W. Serrell, M. E.

Administrator's Settlement

Notice is hereby given, That the account of the subscriber, Administrator with the will annexed of Thomas Blackwell, deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphan's Court of the County of Union, on Wednesday, the twenty-ninth day of December next.

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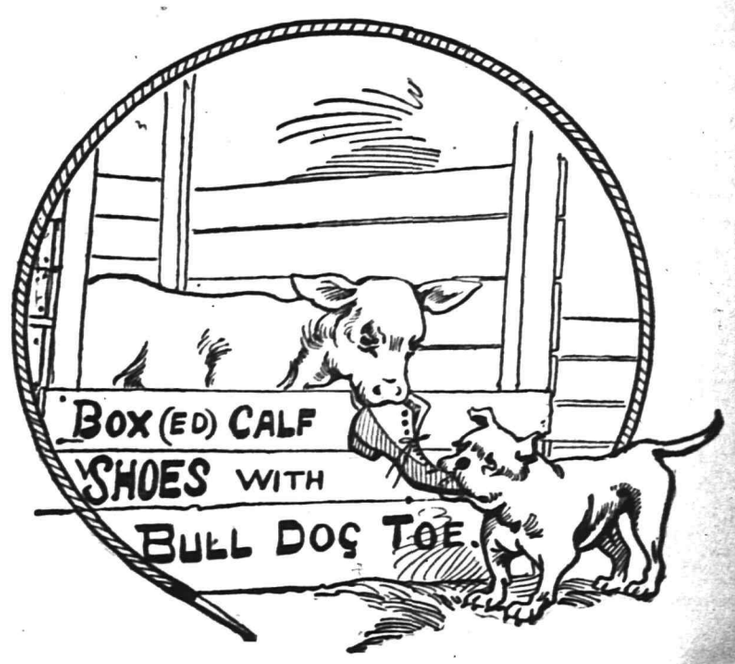

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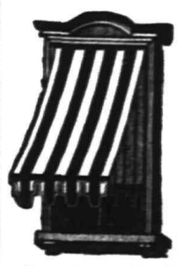

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" "	2.50	1.48

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Men's Suits	9.50	5.48
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RUM FOR STUDENTS? NO!

POSITIVE STAND TAKEN AGAINST PRINCETON INN LIQUOR LICENSE.

A Prominent Presbyterian Declares That the Attitude of Dr. Shields Cannot Be Condoned From Any Moral Point of View.

To the Editor of The Daily Press:—Your editorial article of last evening calling attention to the sermon preached on Sunday at New Brunswick, by Rev. Mr. Murphy, the young pastor of the Second Reformed church there, makes, to say the least, interesting reading. Interesting because it indicates pretty clearly what the defense is likely to be on the part of those three professors of Princeton University, who are said to have joined with ex-President Cleveland and others in asking the Mercer courts to license the Princeton University Inn. Most parents probably, who have watched this controversy in the newspaper press, and before the various Presbyterian Synods of this country, have felt that they would like to know just what the authorities of Princeton University would say upon the subject, but have hitherto only had rumors of the position taken by the defense. I have heard that some of the Presbyterian journals, in interviews or otherwise, indicated the position to be taken by William Libbey, the chief, if not the only, owner of the Inn, but have not seen the articles referred to.

And additional interest is lent to the subject by the information in this morning's newspapers that Professor Shields is going to withdraw from the Presbyterian church, in consequence of the criticisms made upon him.

The fact is that the ground taken (if that ground be taken by the authorities of Princeton, as stated by Rev. Mr. Murphy), that because the students of Princeton are in part a gay set, who will go to Trenton, or even to New York city, on purpose to secure intoxicating liquors, and because the faculty do not know how better to treat the matter, therefore the University Inn has been licensed, in order that the boys may eat, drink and be merry at home, is a ground so untenantable, both from a moral and practical point of view, that, if pursued, it will tend to wreck Princeton University.

For, be the arguments pro or con what they will, the parents of this country are becoming more and more careful as to where they are sending their boys to college. Formerly a few colleges of high rank presented the stronger inducements. Now, however, in almost every State, there is a college thoroughly equipped, of good reputation, where first-class educational work is done. Educational features, therefore, are not the only ones considered as decisive in the minds of parents Moral tone, the habits of the students, the surroundings, are being inquired into more and more. And no father will knowingly and deliberately send his son several hundred miles away to an institution which in anywise does lend its aid in the making of drunkards.

The idea that a great university must have a licensed inn at its doors, to prevent its young men from procuring liquors in the cities twenty-five or forty miles away, is to my mind the height of absurdity. What every college needs to do is to absolutely and imperatively prohibit the use of intoxicants among the students. The conviviality of young men when thrown together is well understood, and all their education which they are securing is being thrown away when they allow themselves to drink habitually or are encouraged to do so. The proximity of the University Inn to Princeton's College, the fact that three of its professors have asked to have it licensed, and the fact that the establishment is owned by one of the leading trustees of the institution, added to the handsome outfittings of that inn, cannot do otherwise than encourage both the moderate and the immoderate use of drink; and we believe it is admitted that at one time something like forty students had a hilarious and riotous time there.

What the University should have done instead, what all colleges should do, is to have an inexorable by-law that the student who becomes intoxicated during college terms shall, for the first offense, be suspended, and for the second expelled. This will keep away evil associates from those students who go to college for other purposes than revellings. Such a by-law would give any educational institution a boom, which few of them have, and will prevent the disgrace which seems to be clouding the otherwise brilliant prospects of famous old Princeton.

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Novel Enterprise Talk.

A number of capitalists in town talk of leasing Tier's lake to raise frogs. They think big money can be made in selling frog hops to Newark brewers.

THEIR FIRST CONCERT.

A CRITICAL AUDIENCE SATISFIED IN MONROE AVENUE CHURCH.

Young Men Show Musical Ability That Comes From Studious Practice—Other Numbers on the Programme Enjoyed.

The banjo and mandolin clubs have always found a hearty welcome in Plainfield but when the local talent gathered together and treated their townsfolk to a concert of that nature, the good people of Plainfield responded most royally. Such was the case last evening when the reorganized Plainfield Banjo, Mandolin and Guitar Club made its first appearance under the auspices of the Young Men's Association of the Monroe Avenue M. E. church in that church. The concert was excellent, the crowd was delighted and the treasuries of the two associations received a fresh impetus that was very satisfactory to all concerned.

Even the most critical were satisfied and it was fairly agreed that the Plainfield club held its own with the college organizations that are the usual entertainers in that style of music. Their playing showed the result of a long and conscientious training and practice together.

Fred G. Smith is the director of the club, which is composed of Fred G. Smith and Fred F. VanEps, banjos; Rev. W. C. O'Donnell, J. C. Kirkner, A. I. Little and Raymond Carroll, mandolins; John D. Brower, D. W. Little, Jr., and Clifford M. Crane, guitars; Frank MacDonald, pianist.

Most of the selections played by the club were popular marches. Each number was loudly encored and the club responded satisfactorily.

While the club was a leading feature of the programme, there were others. Miss Marion Short, impersonator, was a charming entertainer. She had studied her characters and represented them very satisfactorily. Her selections included pathos and humor, but it was in the latter that she particularly excelled. Her imitations of the voice of a little child was particularly good, and one of her encores, "A Little Maid and Her Dead Pussy," was delightfully funny, with just a touch of pathos about it. Miss Short found such favor with the audience that they called her for several encores after each selection.

Prof. J. F. Weitz and Mrs. Weitz were skilled pianists and were well received. Clarence Hillman was a marvelous performer on the xylophone and was accorded much applause. Messrs Smith and Van Eps did well on their banjos in duet and solo selections. W. E. MacClymont played the accompaniments in his excellent manner, rendering an original one for the banjo duet.

The church was packed. There was not a vacant seat left, although special arrangements had been made to seat a large crowd.

RAN AT A TERRIFIC PACE.

Serious Runaway That Occurred on the Gap Road.

An exciting runaway occurred near Washingtonville, Monday afternoon, that resulted in the serious and perhaps fatal injury of two horses and any amount of excitement.

A German in the employ of John Wagonner, a farmer living at South Stirling, drove over to Plainfield that afternoon and returned later in the day. He stopped a few moments at Finger's Hotel in the Gap to quench his thirst. While he was inside, the horses became frightened and started in the direction of Washingtonville in a wild gallop. The noise of the wagon bounding along behind them urged them on to renewed exertions and they dashed along the Gap road at full speed.

Frank Ralph, the Mt. Bethel butcher, had stopped his wagon in front of Demler's store at Washingtonville, and was busy plying his trade when the runaway team rounded the curve. Ralph's wagon was directly in their path. They could not stop nor avoid the wagon so one of the horses of Wagonner's team sprang directly at the butcher wagon and landed inside. The other horse was thrown and the farm wagon following crashed into the confused mass of horses and butcher wagon.

Wagonner's horses were badly cut up by the fall while both wagons were well smashed up. Ralph's horse also ran away but was caught some distance down the valley road.

Off to a Balmy Climate.

This morning W. L. Smalley, Jr., and family, of the borough, left for the south. A large number of their friends were present at the North Avenue station to see them off. They went to Elizabeth, where they made connections with a train on the Pennsylvania Railroad for their destination.

Miss Emily Barker, of Bordentown, is visiting her brother, Horsley Barker, of Grove street.

CURFEW BELL IS THE TOPIC OF GOSSIP IN TOWN NOW.

Press Reporters Interview Private Citizens and Public Officials About the Latest Move of the Women.

From offering prizes for the best kept back dooryards to standing sponsor for curfew bell is the wide range of endeavors with which the Woman's Town Improvement Association is credited. This latest move of the women—the agitation of ringing the bell with resonant tones calling upon the young and innocent inhabitants of the city to hie themselves off the street at a seemly hour at the peril of their parents being subjected to a fine—is the topic of conversation just now. It was the gossip of the tea table last evening and the bytalk of the commuters this morning. No one took the matter very seriously—that is, none of the men did—but instead joked and laughed and made burlesque suggestions in every group where the subject was broached. It has never been thought that the children of Plainfield were so bad and incorrigible that a wholesale movement should be started against them until the women gave voice and action in this direction. As soon as the momentous question was precipitated upon a community already throbbing excitedly over the approaching election, The Press, with characteristic enterprise, immediately detailed its staff of reporters to interview prominent citizens, both in official and private circles, to secure the sentiment of the town in respect to the curfew bell. Some of the opinions are given in the following:

City Judge George W. DeMeza thought that it would be a very good thing to keep the children off the streets at night, but he doubted whether any such ordinance would be constitutional even if it was passed by the Common Council. It would undoubtedly prevent crime, he said, to keep the small boys off the streets, and then he gave, as an example of the harm done in allowing them to wander at will, the case of little 'Ras Harris, the little colored boy of eight years, who came up in the city court this morning, who has been wandering about the streets for many weeks. He also considered the Frucht robbery as a direct result of such influences.

Councilman William A Westphal, when questioned regarding his views on the law, said: "I am opposed to the passing of a curfew ordinance. It is proper that we should have laws that are necessary for the preservation of peace and public morality, but the matter with which this law deals should be regulated in the home. I am not in favor of laws which unduly restrict personal liberty, and you may say that if a curfew ordinance comes before the Common Council I shall oppose it."

Theophilus Bond, of East Front street, states that it would be well to make the plan a general one and have all progressive parties stop at 9 o'clock. However, he is doubtful if the ordinance would be enforced. He cites a case in England where the curfew bell is sounded at 9 o'clock, but people have learned to regard it merely as a custom, and so far as the children are concerned it is not enforced.

President J. B. Dumont, of the City Council, failed to give an opinion for the reason that he considered it would be unfair, if the women intend to bring the matter to the attention of the Council, and he thought it unwise to give his ideas in advance.

Rev. C. E. Herring expressed some surprise as to the practibility of the plan. He thought that it was like some arguments, it proves too much, and takes in the evil with the good. He has no idea that such an ordinance could be enforced.

Chief George W. Grant, of the police department, absolutely refused to be interviewed regarding the subject. He said, however, that if the ordinance was ever passed the police would enforce it to the letter.

Former Councilman E. R. Ackerman does not hesitate to say that he favors the plan, if it would not interfere with the Boys' Club or with children who are obliged to be out to entertainments, etc.

School Commissioner F. C. Lounsbury, who interests himself to a great extent in the welfare of children, says that he is heartily in favor of the idea and thinks it would work all right.

Former Mayor B. A. Hegeman, Jr., of Washington Park, gave as his opinion that it would be a good thing so long as it would not apply to persons over thirty years of age.

Justice Vincent W. Nash expressed himself as against the proposed Curfew ordinance and said that it was unreasonable law.

Corporation Counsel Craig A. Marsh did not care to express an opinion regarding the question of the curfew ordinance.

Senator Charles A. Reed predicted that the proposed ordinance would never pass the Council.

W. C. T. U. RALLY SERVICE.

A SKETCH OF THE LOCAL UNION READ

The Society Has Grown From a Few Faithful Women to an Influential Body.

A rally service was held at the W. C. T. U. rooms last evening, at which nearly all of the departments of the union were represented. President Mrs. Parse was in charge of the exercises and announced the various numbers on the programme, the first of which was a vocal selection by a quartette. This was followed by an appropriate reading by the president. Miss Shinn, superintendent of the home department Sunday-school work of the First Baptist church, also gave a reading. The next number was a reading from "Samantha Allen," by Miss Etta Raybert. This was one of the best numbers on the programme and was fully appreciated.

During the evening Mrs. Mitchell, a member of the union, read a sketch of the Plainfield union from its inception. She told how the union had grown from a small handful when the meetings were held in the Holly Tree Inn, on North avenue, to the present time, when the union has a large and influential body of women. During that time the strength of the union has grown measurably and the amount of work accomplished has certainly been of the very best. Each of the many departments were spoken of and the work done by the committees.

The rest of the programme was devoted to a few instrumental and vocal selections, after which a collection was taken for the union. The attendance at the rally was large and the service was not only helpful but entertaining.

New Lodge to be Instituted.

Plainfield Senate, No. 621, Knights of the Ancient Essenic Order, will be instituted in Masonic Hall, Babcock building, this evening. This new lodge numbers ninety members consisting of some of the best men in Plainfield. The supreme officers will be present to install the officers, and members of other lodges from Newark and New Brunswick will also attend. A general good time is expected and refreshments will be served.

WOMEN WILL DO THEIR PART

TO ASSIST IN TRINITY'S REPAIRS.

Already Purchased the Carpet and Will Pay for the Upholstering—Contracts Awarded.

The consistory and building committee of Trinity Reformed church met at the residence of B. A Hegeman, Sr., Sycamore avenue, last evening to discuss and arrange some details in reference to the alterations being made to their church edifice.

The contract for painting and decorating the interior of the sanctuary was awarded to Marsh, Ayres & Co., and the upholstering of the seats and cushions to George Schlereth. The wiring and furnishing the fixtures for lighting the upper sanctuary and the new Sunday-school by electricity was awarded to A. D. Phillips. It was decided to have the present handsome glass gas chandeliers overhauled to be used in case of emergency.

The new carpet for the church has been purchased by the Ladies' Christian Work Society, and will be laid when the other improvements are finished. The ladies have also generously taken hold of the matter of upholstering and will raise the amount required for that purpose, thus relieving the consistory of this duty.

Those at the meeting last night seemed of one accord as to again occupying their church home, and it was unanimously agreed to furnish the new lecture room as soon as possible and hold all the sessions in that place until the auditorium of the church is finished. The members of the church, however, are well satisfied with Y. M. C. A. Hall, where they have been worshipping since the repairs were started, but they are anxious to utilize their own property as soon as it conveniently can be done.

Social Sisters Elect Officers.

The Whist Club, composed of the sixteen social sisters, met at Miss Dora Ulrick's, East Fifth street, last evening to transact business. Miss Dora Ulrick was chosen president and Miss Nellie Hockridge as treasurer. The rest of the evening was spent in a social way. Miss Eva Wilkins and Miss Nellie Winkler added much pleasure to the evening by playing several duets.

MY! 'RAS IS A BAD BOY

WON'T GO HOME AND PERSISTS N SLEEPING IN HALLS AND BARNS.

Roundsman Frederickson Says He Pounces Upon Boys Smaller Than Himself and Steals Marbles From Their Pockets.

'Ras Harris, whose real name is Erastmus Harris and who is called "Raspberry," is young but, oh my! 'Ras figured in the city court again this morning and cuddled up in one corner of the cell most of the night listening to the strange noises and watching the creeping and crawling occupants of his cell by the faint light in the corridor.

'Ras was the very youthful bicycle thief that began his operations on Kensington avenue several weeks ago. Roundsman Frederickson tracked him all over the city and at last caught him with the wheel up in the West End. 'Ras spent a night in the city jail, but Justice Nash could do nothing with him on account of his youthful age of eight years, which puts him out of the reach of the hand of the law. Otherwise 'Ras would be in the Reform School now.

Last night one of the policemen found 'Ras fast asleep in a hallway on West Front street. The little colored boy was taken over to the lockup and left there over night. This morning he was brought before the City Judge.

'Ras does not like to go home. So he had already confided to Roundsman Frederickson. Then the latter told how 'Ras waits up South avenue and captures the small boys that pass who are smaller than he is, and takes away their marbles. Complaints have already been made to the Roundsman by the parents of the small victims of 'Ras. 'Ras won't go to school and he has been living in hallways and barns for days.

'Ras was afraid of the tall City Judge who looked so stern. When the Judge suggested State's prison and Reform School, great tears began to creep down the lad's dusky face, and he sobbed out a willingness to go back to school. So the Judge agreed to let him go this time if he would return to school and the youthful offender bowed his head, wiped away the tears with his coat sleeve and walked out into the fresh air once more.

An effort will be made to do something for the future care of the lad who is considered incorrigible already by his parents. His home is on East Sixth street in the row.

BLUE ENVELOPE FOR VOTERS.

Senator Reed's Law Will be Put in Force Next Tuesday.

Senator Reed's plan of a blue envelope for ballots at the State elections will be first tried at the coming State election to be held next Tuesday. It will be remembered that the Senator introduced a measure into the Senate last winter providing for the substitution of a blue envelope for the white envelope in use at present. The bill went into committee and was reported favorably, and was finally passed by both Senate and Assembly. This election is the first one at which the new envelope can be tried. The envelopes are now being prepared throughout the State according to the new law.

The advantages of the blue envelope, as given by Senator Reed, are that it is much easier for the voter to find in the booth when he is surrounded by a mass of tickets and envelopes which have heretofore been of the same color. Another advantage is that it is possible to tell when a ticket is contained in an envelope by a mere glance, and thus the possibility of their being cast into the ballot-box that way and thus declared void, is greatly lessened.

Drank too Much Red Eye.

Marshal John Schenck found Geo. Chester last evening about 7 o'clock lying in the gutter in front of the Park Club in an intoxicated condition. Chester had to be assisted to the lockup. This morning Recorder Thomas imposed a fine of $2, as this was his first offense. J. McElroy, of Prideville, was arrested on Greenbrook road this morning by Marshal Wise, who found him sound asleep and unable to navigate. He was given the privilege of paying $8 or going to jail for thirty days. He decided to go to jail McElroy is an old offender.

Judge DeMeza Elected President.

A meeting of the stockholders of the New York Compound Engine Company was held at Taylor's Hotel, Jersey City, on Monday evening. The following officers were elected: President, George W. DeMeza, of Plainfield; vice-president, Frank S. Rose; secretary and treasurer, George B. Townsend.

—Cypress Commandery, No. 14, K. T., made about $150 on their reception and dance held in the Crescent Rink last week.

FRENCH GOVERNMENT.

FIRST OF THE UNIVERSITY EXTENSION LECTURES GIVEN.

Prof. Wheeler Spoke of the French as a Brilliant People But Apparently Without the Nack of Governing Themselves.

A large and interested audience gathered in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue church last evening to listen to the first of the University Extension lectures to be given in Plainfield this fall. The lecturer was Prof. Wheeler, of Yale University, who is to begin the course with a series of lectures on modern history. His subject last evening was, "Modern France and Its Government."

He spoke of the French as a great and brilliant people, reasoning and exact, but apparently without the knowledge of governing themselves as shown by their variation in government in the last century—two empires, three republics, and two monarchies. He described the condition of the people which was so different from that in this country, and the social makeup of this wonderful people.

He gave a sketch describing the time of Louis Phillippe of the political history of France and the rapid overthrow of that monarch. He explained that instead of resorting to logical means, the French forgot everything and upset the government by violence. He then described the political chaos that followed each sudden change of government.

An important question that faced the French statesmen from the beginning was what to do with the masses. He told of their different methods, the establishment of public work houses thus giving employment to thousands, and how for various reasons these plans had all proved unsuccessful. He referred to the growth of the socialistic tendencies among the masses and the dangers of the anarchist element that crept into the nation.

His lecture touched on the graduai rise of Louis Napoleon to the office of president and finally to that of Emporer and of the final return to the policy of the republic as at present.

TO MEET FOR MUTUAL BENEFIT.

Annual Meeting of the County Sunday-School Association Held Tomorrow.

The seventeenth annual convention of the Union County Sunday-school Association will be held in Cranford tomorrow. The following is the programme:

MORNING SESSION.

10:00 Devotional service—Rev. Alfred Evans, Cranford.
10:20 Greeting—By pastor of church, Rev. G. F. Greene. Response by president, Rev. J. A. Owen, of Elizabeth.
10:35 Report of recording secretary—Geo. H Krause, of Roselle.
10:45 Address—"The Adult Department in Our Sabbath-schools." Rev. T. E. Vassar, D. D., Lyons Farms.
11:15 Conference—"Union S. S. Meetings." Led by Rev. J. S. Braker, Scotch Plains.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2:20 Report of county secretary—Rev. C. S. Converse, Union.
2:40 Primary organization—Mrs. A. Pettit Elizabeth. Reports of Elizabeth and Plainfield Unions and School of Primary Methods.
3:10 Address—"The Teachers Business." Rev. J. M. Meeker, Newark.
3:45 Business—Report of nominating committee. Place of next meeting. Appropriation for State work. Treasurer's account.
4:00 Report of State secretary—Rev. E. Morris Fergusson.
4:30 Address—"Systematic Giving." Frank L Turner, superintendent Sunday-school Fourteenth Street Presbyterian church, New York.

EVENING SESSION.

Praise service, led by E. A. Johnson, Cranford.
7:50 Home department—Rev. L. D. Stultz. State secretary of home department work.
8:20 Reports of township secretaries.
8:45 Address "Illustrations," Miss Frederica Beard, Chicago.

JUNIOR MECHANICS IN SESSION.

State Convention of the Funeral Benefit Association Met at Trenton.

The sixth annual State convention of the Jr. O. U. A. M. Funeral Benefit Association was in session at Masonic Temple yesterday in Trenton with about 200 delegates in attendance. The association was organized in 1892, and since that time $106,750 have been paid for death benefits. The receipts for the same time have been $113,272.05. The membership shows a net increase during the year ending October 1st last; 118 death claims were paid, aggregating $29,500. The ratio of deaths during the past year was one to 172.

The officers of the association are: President, Rev. J. Morgan Read, of Burlington; vice president, P. Hall Packer, of Seabright; secretary and treasurer, William N. Gray, of Red Bank; directors, Howard S. Norris, of Newark; George H. Poulson, of Trenton; W. H. Fischer, of Toms River; James D. Anderson, of North Plainfield.

—An important meeting of the Police Board will be held tomorrow night.

LATE KLONDIKE NEWS

On September 7 Flour Was Cornered in Dawson.

MINISTER SIFTON'S REPORT

The Canadian Minister Says a Line of Police Posts, Fifty Miles Apart, Will Be Established on Klondike Routes—To Explore Stickeen.

Skaguay, Alaska, Oct. 21, via Seattle, Wash., Oct. 27.—There is a corner in flour at Dawson City and none can be had at any price. This is stated by Cliff T. Moore, who reached here last night from Dawson, accompanied by his son, Morris R. Moore; N. C. Woodring and George F. Compton, all of Seattle. The party left Dawson Sept. 7, when all the flour in town was being held for higher prices. Threats were made that the warehouses would be raided and that the people would help themselves, paying, of course, a liberal price for what they took. The stores would not sell more than six cans of milk, three cans of meat and other articles in proportion to any one person. Canned meats sold at 75 cents a can, milk at 50 cents, beans at 25 cents, sugar at 30 cents a pound. Six steamers were daily expected to arrive from St. Michaels. Their arrival would end the flour corner, and insure ample provisions for the Winter.

Canadian Minister's Trip.

Hon. Clifford Sifton, Canadian Minister of the Interior, and his party returned two days ago from a trip over the Chilcoot and Skaguay trails, going as far as Lake Tagish. Mr. Sifton says that from information he received there will be no shortage of food at Dawson City this Winter, and that the reports of ravages by typhoid fever have been greatly exaggerated. He also says that the richness of the new discoveries on Dominion, Sulphur, Quartz and Moose Skin Creeks in the Klondike districts has been fully established. He said that his Government would facilitate any reasonable plan for getting in the Yukon country. The Canadian Government, he said, understands that if the rich gold fields of the Yukon district are to be developed easy means of communication must be had. Posts will be established fifty miles apart along the routes from Skaguay and Dyea to Dawson City. These posts will be garrisoned with police, and will contain stores of food and clothing, which can be forwarded in emergencies to the Yukon country. Work on these posts has already begun at Sheep Camp, Linderman, Tagish and White Horse Rapids.

Mr. Sifton will to-day examine Tokou and a portion of the route leading into the interior from that point. The party will then proceed to Fort Wrangle, where they will ascend the Stickeen River to examine the shoals and quicksands.

NOTED WOMAN A WRECK.

Chairman of the Lady Managers of World's Fair a Slave to Cocaine.

Chicago, Oct. 27.—Mrs. Annie C. Meyers, chairman of the Board of Lady Managers of the World's Fair, stood before Justice Martin yesterday afternoon a wreck. She is a slave to cocaine, and begged to be exiled from the city.

In the choicest of language she pictured her pitiful condition, and the four young stenographers who charged her with stealing their purses were moved to tears.

"Not many years ago, as Your Honor knows," she said, "I was respected and honored. To-day look at me. Few people now recognize me, for I've changed greatly, and all is attributed to a habit from which few, if any, are ever cured.

"Please do not hold me. Give me one more chance. In twenty-four hours I will leave Chicago forever. I promise it upon my bended knees, as God is my witness."

Mrs. Meyers had the sympathy and pity of the Court, but in her condition he feared she would only be troublesome to others, and, believing that something might be done in her physical behalf, he held her to await the action of the Grand Jury.

Senator Wolcott in Doubt.

London, Oct. 27.—The American Monetary Commissioners, who have been unsuccessfully negotiating with the Government in the interests of the free coinage of silver, are as yet undecided whether to continue their representations in Europe or return to the United States without further action.

After considerable discussion between Ambassador Hay and the Commissioners upon the subject of a reply to the answer made by the British Cabinet to the Commissioners' proposals a few days ago, Senator Wolcott merely acknowledged the receipt of the Government's note.

403 Chicago Policemen Discharged.

Chicago, Oct. 27.—Chief Kipley discharged 403 members of the police today. Twenty-five more were retired, and changes were made affecting eleven others. Among the officers dismissed are the four detectives who did the most conspicuous work in the Luetgert wife-murder case. The places of the deposed policemen were immediately filled by former policemen, most of whom were dismissed under the Swift administration.

Why Czar Snubbed Duke.

Berlin, Oct. 27.—The Tageblatt explains to-day that the refusal of the Czar to receive the Grand Duke and Grand Duchess of Baden at Darmstadt on Saturday last was due to the sarcastic comments made by the Grand Duke of Baden upon the conversion of the Czarina, formerly Princess Alix of Hesse, sister of the Grand Duke of Hesse, to the Greek Church previous to her marriage to the Czar in November, 1894.

Has Passed the 100,000 Mark.

New York, Oct. 27.—The membership of the L. A. W. has passed the 100,000 mark. During the past week 548 new members were enrolled, making the total 100,777. The League was organized at Newport in 1880 through the instrumentality of Kirk Monroe, the president of the New York Bicycle Club, and C. C. Pratt, of Boston, who was its first president. The membership during the first year reached 1,654.

THE REPLY OF SPAIN

Text Not to be Made Public Before Congress Meets.

GENERAL TONE ENERGETIC

Believed that Gen. Woodford Has Cabled the Full Document to Washington—Tenor of the Reply. New Policy in Cuba.

Madrid, Spain, Oct. 27.—The Spanish Government refuses to furnish for publication the text of the note of Spain which has been handed to Gen. Woodford as an answer to the communication which the General placed in the hands of the Duke of Tetuan early in September last.

The United States Minister admits having received Spain's reply, but he declines to discuss the matter beyond saying that the text of the Spanish answer will be immediately transmitted to Washington. From other sources it was learned that Spain's answer was cabled to Washington yesterday.

Tenor of the Reply.

Although the Government will not give out the full text of its reply to the United States, it was officially announced that the reply is on the following lines: It expresses regret at the fact that the insurrection in Cuba "receives support from frequent American filibustering expeditions," and the belief is expressed that otherwise the rebellion in Cuba would possibly not exist. The hope is expressed by the Spanish Government that by granting autonomy to Cuba and the withdrawing of American support of the insurgents the insurrection will shortly be ended. It is also officially announced that the Spanish note is marked throughout by an energetic tone.

According to the reports in official circles here the United States Minister will confine himself to acknowledging the receipt of the Spanish reply, and, after forwarding it to the United States Government, will request further instructions from Washington before proceeding any further in the matter. It is not expected that the text of the answer of Spain will be published here before Congress has had the opportunity of deliberating upon it, and it is understood that the document may not be published in the United States until after the reassembling of Congress. But before Congress reassembles it is expected by the Spanish officials that the condition of affairs in Cuba will have considerably improved, and that the whole question will have assumed a brighter aspect.

Energetic Measures.

Finally, it is announced that the Government has determined to actively pursue a new policy toward Cuba, and to take more energetic military action against the insurgents.

The Correspondencia says a new issue of Treasury bonds will shortly be placed on the market.

No Fear of Serious Complications.

Washington, Oct. 27.—The officials do not express any fear of serious complications. They are of the opinion that when Spain's answer is received it will be moderate and conciliatory. No credence is given to the sensational reports that a crisis is at hand and that the Spanish Government refuses the good offices of the United States.

Attention is called to the action of the Government at Madrid, showing that almost everything the United States asked for has been granted. Weyler has been recalled, autonomy and reforms to pacify the island have been promised, and, although these things have been done since Gen. Woodford presented his note, for political reasons the new Cabinet has to appear before the Spanish people as firm and decided, and, while pretending not to consent to the requests of the United States, is consenting, and at the same time trying to prevent trouble at home. The absence of any official dispatch was one of the reasons the President and Cabinet did not discuss the foreign situation at any length, and Secretary Sherman was one of the first to leave the Cabinet meeting. The Secretary of State and his private secretary expect to leave on Saturday for Mansfield, Ohio, where they will remain until after the election.

Despite reports of the last two days that the Spanish answer had been delivered to Gen. Woodford, not a line from the Minister was received at the State Department when the last official left his office there last evening.

Spain's Plans Exposed.

London, Oct. 27.—All Europe is, figuratively speaking, on tiptoe now in the keenness if its anxiety to know what the United States will do in response to Spain's defiant note which has been transmitted by Minister Woodford to the Government at Washington.

There is a general cessation of comment, a sort of calm-before-the-storm atmosphere here among the London papers. Even the tempting portrayal of Spain's weak and embarrassed situation is foregone in the expectancy of decisive action by the United States.

Mother and Sisters in Variety.

Batavia, N. Y., Oct. 27.—Mrs. Martin C. Benham, mother of the convicted wife-murderer, Howard C. Benham, together with her two young daughters, Jean and Mabel, left for Buffalo yesterday, where they have engaged to appear at a variety theatre.

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Men's winter russets, box calf, and enamel leather shoes. Patent leather in all new styles.
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My new Barber Shop at
143 NORTH AVE.
Is now open ready for business.
All the latest appointments in the tonsorial line.
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Florists and Decorators. 142 North avenue.
Greenhouses at Netherwood and Westfield. A large stock of choice cut flowers, smilax, asparagus, etc., always on hand. Palms, rubbers, ferns, begonias, dracenias and a great variety of other plants at low prices. Floral designs, baskets and boquets made up with fresh flowers at short notice. Best work at lowest prices. Garden and greenhouse work attended to by contract or otherwise.

FALL AND WINTER Styles now Ready.
A. Hecht, Artistic Tailor.
No. 220 E. Front St. Voehl Building.
Late of Lexington ave. and 73d St., N. Y.
I have just received an immense variety of Fall and Winter samples, comprising the best that the market produces, suitable for ladies and gentlemen. The latest fashion plates received monthly. Clerical garments, uniforms and liveries, also cleaning, dyeing, scouring, repairing and pressing. A trial is solicited, the work and fit will speak for itself.

Special in Separate Dress Skirts
Made of fine black novelty goods, interlined of best material, workmanship of highest grade, we have just 21 to sell at $3 19. We are confident they cannot be equalled for less than $4.25.

Ladies' and Misses' Cloaks.
We are now showing a most complete assortment, cloaks that you would wear—perfect in style, perfect in quality. Prices as low as you might pay for some of the inferior cloaks sold in this town.

Special at $6.00.
There is an assortment sizes 32 to 38 black boucle, fly front jackets half silk lined, well worth $8.00.

Special at $10.75.
Kersey fly front jackets trimmed with Kersey straps, silk rhadame lined, black and green, 26 inch long.

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Boucle fly-front jackets braid bound, rhadame silk half-lined, black and green, 26-inch long.

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DESIGNING AND TRIMMING TO ORDER.
There is "a something" about the designing, the trimming that is pleasing to our patrons. Success has attended us in our efforts to conduct a first-class millinery store. Our prices are reasonable, in fact much less than you would expect. Each day brings something new, newest shapes, newest novelties in trimmings, always something to satisfy the most exacting.
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—The receipts from the fair run last week by the Independent Fife and Drum Corps shows that they were very successful.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by L. W. Randolph.

—Plainfield Senate, K. A. E. O., will be instituted this evening.

There is Nothing so Good.

There is nothing just as good as Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, so demand it and do not permit the dealer to sell you some substitute. He will not claim there is anything better, but in order to make more profit he may claim something else to be just as good. You want Dr. King's New Discovery because you know it to be safe and reliable, and guaranteed to do good or money refunded. For Coughs Colds, Consumption and for all affections of Throat, Chest and Lungs, there is nothing so good as is Dr. King's New Discovery. Trial bottle free at L. W. Randolph's Drug Store. Regular size 50 cents and $1.00.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Laire, of Park avenue, have returned after spending a week at Burwick, Pa.

Did You Ever

Try Electric Bitters as a remedy for your troubles? If not, get a bottle now and get relief. This medicine has been found to be peculiarly adapted to the relief and cure of all Female Complaints, exercising a wonderful direct influence in giving strength and tone to the organs. If you have loss of appetite, Constipation, Headache, Fainting Spells, or are Nervous, Sleepless, Excitable, Melancholly, or troubled with Dizzy Spells, Electric Bitters is the medicine you need. Health and Strength are guaranteed by its use. Fifty cents and $1.00 at Randolph's Drug Store.

William Jones, of East Third street, has returned from a vacation of two weeks.

A few weeks ago the editor was taken with a very severe cold that caused him to be in a most miserable condition. It was undoubtedly a bad case of la grippe and recognizing it as dangerous he took immediate steps to bring about a speedy cure. From the advertisement of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the many good recommendations included therein, we concluded to make a first trial of the medicine. To say that it was satisfactory in its results, is putting it very mildly, indeed. It acted like magic and the result was a speedy and permanent cure. We have no hesitancy in recommending this excellent Cough Remedy to anyone afflicted with a cough or cold in any form.—The Banner of Liberty, Libertytown, Maryland. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Lawyer Newcorn, of West Front street, was in New York and Jersey City Monday on business.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they do is tenfold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by druggists, price 75c per bottle.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

ANOTHER BODY FOUND.

The List of Wreck Victims Increased to Twenty—Coroner's Inquest.

New York, Oct. 27.—Another victim has been added to the list of dead in the great railroad disaster on the New York Central Railroad at Garrison's. The body of a man was taken from the day coach, in which most of the deaths occurred. The coach was raised late yesterday afternoon.

The body is that of a man apparently 35 years of age. It was found near the rear of the coach, face down. The man was of dark complexion, about five feet ten inches in height. He had black curly hair and a black mustache. He was dressed in an outing shirt of gray and a coat and vest of blue.

The body was crushed, the end of the car in which he lay being badly wrecked. Under the body was found a lifesize crayon in a gilt frame. The glass on the picture was not broken.

The engine was taken out from the river, pilot first, at 3.15 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Among the spectators was Mr. Depew. He had been informed of the hour when the engine would be raised, and he was there to inspect it.

When the engine was out of the water the body of the fireman, John Q. Tompkins, was found tightly wedged between two masses of iron in front. The body was disfigured, but not his face, which fact would seem to indicate that he had been forward on his engine, looking after the headlight or oiling some part of the machinery when the disaster came. The theory that he was in the cab with the engineer and was hurled through its window forward is combated by the lack of any wound upon the upper portions of his body or of his head.

It is now certain that the number of those killed in the wreck is twenty.

The investigation to fix the responsibility for the Central Railroad horror will begin to-night at 7 o'clock.

The Coroner says he will not leave a stone unturned to fix the responsibility, and if he and the jury find that the railroad company is to blame District Attorney James Bennett Southard, of Putnam County, will lay the matter before the Grand Jury and demand the indictment of the company's officials, including the president, Chauncey M. Depew.

LONG CHASE ENDED.

Alleged Murderers of Farmer Nichols in Custody at Last.

Bridgeport, Ct., Oct. 27.—Charles Bonal and David Weeks, the men who have been sought for the murder of George Marcus Nichols at Daniel's farm, in the town of Trumbull, on the morning of July 22 last, have been captured. Superintendent Birmingham, head of the police department in this city; Detectives Arnold and Cronnan, and Special Officer John Keenan captured them last night at the home of David Weeks' parents in Huntington, where they had returned late Monday night and where they were in hiding.

The capture was effected without a struggle. The men were taken by surprise, and although armed, did not have an opportunity to use their weapons. The murder and robbery at the Nichols homestead caused great excitement throughout this part of the country.

There was such a demand on all sides for a determined effort to capture the murderers that Gov. Cooke offered a reward of $1,000 for the arrest of the murderers. This was supplemented by a reward offered by the town of Trumbull and also by Miss Nichols, the sister of the murdered man, until over five thousand dollars was the prize to go to the persons instrumental in capturing the murderers. Pinkerton detectives were employed by the State, but after weeks of work withdrew.

RECEPTION TO NANSEN.

Nearly 2,000 Persons Do Honor to the Explorer in Washington.

Washington, Oct. 27.—The reception by the National Geographic Society in honor of Dr. Nansen, the Arctic explorer, at the Arlington last night was a notable affair.

Nearly two thousand persons attended the reception. Among them were Secretary and Miss Alger, J. Addison Porter, Justice and Miss Harlan, the delegates to the Russian, Japanese and American Conference on the seal question; N. J. Knagenhjelm, Charge d'Affairs legation of Sweden and Norway, and others.

The introductions were made by Dr. Gardner G. Hubbard, president of the society, who was Dr. Nansen's host at dinner just before the reception. During the evening Dr. Nansen made a brief address, being preceded by Dr. Hubbard, Gen. Greeley and Engineer Melville.

The explorer modestly gave the credit for his achievements to those who had preceded him, especially in the Jeanette expedition. "The men who blaze the way and fight the skirmishes do not often gain the glory of the victory; but it could not have been done without their work."

Dr. Nansen returned to New York to-day.

SHOT THREE TO DEATH

New Hampshire Town Terrorized by a Railroad Man's Gun.

HE WAS CRAZED BY DRINK

He Boasted That He Had "Three Bloods" on His Hands—Mortally Wounded a Man Who Tried to Stay His Mad Career.

Gorham, N. H., Oct. 27.—Selectman Woodbury Gates, the last victim of Thomas Monahan, will die. The physicians who attended him said this morning that there was no hope of his recovery.

Thomas Monahan, while crazed with drink, shot Joseph Gauthier, an employee of the Grand Trunk Railroad, yesterday morning, killing him instantly. Monahan also shot Selectman Gates, of Gorham, fatally injuring him. Another body was afterward found, which is believed to be that of a third victim of Monahan. The murderer was arrested by Sheriff Hamlin. Monahan has been known as a village loafer, and was always a heavy drinker when he was able to get money enough to purchase liquor.

Gauthier, who was a French Canadian, was employed in the Grand Trunk coal sheds, and usually slept in a small wooden shanty near the railroad. Monahan walked into the shanty. He had evidently been drinking heavily, and carried a gun. Gauthier had no time to defend himself, and was shot just as he was arising from his bed. The weapon which Monahan used had been heavily loaded. Part of the charge pierced Gauthier's heart and he fell dead on the floor of his cabin.

The murderer fled from the place and ran up the railroad track. At a point about a quarter of a mile from Gauthier's cabin he met a man and compelled him to halt. The man, whose name has not been learned, was made to walk around the cemetery at the muzzle of Monahan's gun.

The report of the shooting of Gauthier had alarmed several residents of the vicinity, and a number of men started out to look for the murderer. Selectman W. Gates found him about 7.30 o'clock and attempted to arrest him.

Monahan became furious when Gates approached and brought his gun to his shoulder and fired. A charge of shot struck the Selectman in the neck and shoulders, fatally injuring him. The jugular vein was pierced by several shots, and the wounded man almost bled to death in a few minutes.

When Gates fell the madman became cooler, and when several persons who had heard the shooting reached the spot he utterly collapsed. The liquor which he had drank overcame him and he was unable to stand.

Sheriff Hamlin, who had been summoned, arrived, and Monahan was placed under arrest. Monahan did not seem to care very much at first after his arrest, although several times he looked as if he would like to make further trouble. He raved and swore and boasted of having "three bloods this morning."

This statement, repeated several times, led to a search and the discovery of the body of another man. The legs appeared to have been crushed, and at first there was some doubt as to the cause of death.

COUNTERFEITERS CAUGHT.

Italians Used Pure Silver to Make the Coin.

New York, Oct. 27.—Carlo Salla and his wife, Mary, were arraigned in the Jefferson Market Court yesterday on a charge of counterfeiting. Mrs. Salla went into Andrew Cuneo's store, at 507 West Broadway, and bought two cents' worth of fruit, paying for it with a counterfeit ten-cent piece.

Cuneo saw that the coin was spurious and followed the woman. She met her husband outside and they made small purchases in many stores, always paying with ten-cent pieces. the woman dropped the change she received in a small leather bag. Cuneo called Policeman Murphy and had the couple arrested. At the station house several bad coins were found in their possession. They also had several molds for the making of dimes.

Salla insisted that the coins were made of silver, saying that he found he could use that metal and make a profit. The counterfeits were well executed. Detectives Hunt and Wolf found the couple's two young children in the hall outside the rooms in Watts street, and took them to the rooms of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children.

Then the detectives decided to search the apartments of Salla. They hurried to the house. Salla's rooms are in the basement. They were not rewarded for their trouble until they found a rear window that was boarded up. The arrangement of the boards aroused their suspicions and they tore them down. To their astonishment, a dark cave was revealed to them. The detectives obtained a lamp and entered the subterranean apartment. It was six feet square and dug under the back yard. Here was a complete and expensive outfit for manufacturing counterfeit money.

A stamping machine, weighing probably 250 pounds, stood in one corner, while dies, molds and other paraphernalia were strewn about on the floor. A rolling machine for reducing the metal into strips of the required thickness was also in the cave. The detectives were unable to find any of the bogus coin. They learned that Salla and his wife have lived in the house for nearly two years, and none of the tenants was ever permitted to enter their rooms.

High-Up Masons.

Washington, Oct. 27.—The meeting of the Supreme Council of Sovereign Grand Inspectors-General, thirty-third and last degree of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Free Masonry, which is being held in this city is one of the utmost importance, and many interesting questions will come before the Supreme Council for a final disposition. The session will continue until Friday.

Among the questions to be acted on is the proposed removal of the Grand Orient of the Order, the headquarters having been situated at New York since 1807.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Unsettled Weather Will Continue Tonight and Thursday, With Probably Light Showers; Stationary Temperature. At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 78 Degrees.

PUNISH THEM.

Not a single newspaper that comes to our office has thus far condoned the outrageous proceedings of the New York and Philadelphia Traction Company in its methods and attitude in respect to acquiring the right of way through a section of Bridgewater township about which there was some dispute with a rival company. The unanimous sentiment of the press has been of the severest condemnation, in most cases actually urging that all the principals concerned in the usurpation and defiance of the laws should be punished by imprisonment in jail. Beyond the opinion of newspapers in other sections, we know from the number of people who have personally spoken to us in approval of our attitude expressed in the editorial in Monday's paper that the citizens of the community wherein the anarchial scenes were enacted are aroused to a sense of the injustice done. The apparent victory of the New York and Philadelphia Traction Company ought to be made so hollow by the officials of Somerset county that its backers will never again attempt like proceedings. And as a matter of fact those officials will not be true to their sworn duties if some action is not instituted toward punishing the flagrant acts committed by those who were totally conscious of the wrong they were perpetrating.

BAH!

The good women of the Town Improvement Association are sorely in need of homely admonition when they set out to have Plainfield adopt the curfew bell. Such a movement smacks so much of foolishness and wasted effort that if it had been undertaken by an unorganized set of people, instead of an organization that has already accomplished some good for the town, it would be laughed down without a serious thought. The curfew bell is a relic of puritanical notions and even if tolerated on the statute books it would be a dead letter in effect. The Town Improvement Association has shown an energetic purpose in endeavoring to make the city a better one in some respects than it is, and they have been liberally commended and appreciated therefor. But when they essay to fasten a curfew restriction we feel like saying bah!

Newspaper men seem to be faring pretty nicely in the matter of acquiring public positions in New Jersey. The latest to grasp a fat official plum is Howard B. Tindell, the "Freeholder" of the New Jersey edition of the New York Press, whose saucy comments on things political in this commonwealth are a marked and interesting feature of the Press. Mr. Tindell is to have a place in the Supreme Court.

It is announced in Mercer county that Senator Edward C. Stokes will not accept the appointment as deputy clerk of the Supreme Court under William Riker, but will continue in the Senate and be a candidate for re-election next fall. It was found that Mr. Stokes could not accept the position and remain in the Senate, and he was unwilling to give up his political career.

Governor Griggs yesterday issued his proclomation declaring the anti-gambling and ad-interim amendments to the Constitution passed and the woman's suffrage amendment beaten. The proclamation of the Governor does not prevent the making of a recount on the anti-gambling amendment.

Without heralding ourselves as prophesiers, the thought is suggested that because the odds are on certain candidates now in a betting way, there is no reason to believe that the voters won't try to get even on election day.

This campaign is such a quiet one for Union county candidates that the walkover some of them claim they are going to have must involve a still hunt for votes.

—On Sunday afternoon, November 1st, a soldiers' meeting will be held in the W. C. T. U. rooms, under the auspices of the committee on soldier and sailor work.

COMING EVENTS.

October 27—Institution lodge of K. A. E. O. Evening.
October 28—District meeting of the Epworth League in Monroe Avenue church
October 28—Annual meeting of Parliamentry Club at 10 a. m. in Y. M. C. A.
October 28—Rev. H. K. Samuelian will give his second illustrated lecture for the Y. M. C. A.
October 29—Cake and apron sale at Mrs. John Doull Miller's home, Watchung avenue and East Ninth street.
October 29—"Shore Acres" at Music Hall.
October 31—Men's meeting at Y. M. C. A., 4:15 p. m. Captain Agnes Cater, Minnie and Bertie Badenhaupt, will sing with guitar and auto harp
November 1—Miss MacMartins classes for ladies and children will be resumed in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Rev. P. S. Gibson has returned from a few days visit out of town.

Louis Lowrie, of Armstrong's pharmacy, has returned from his vacation.

J. P. D. Kirch, of Park avenue, was in Newark yesterday on legal business.

Mr. Harris, of Philadelphia, formerly a resident of Plainfield, is visiting friends in town.

Mrs. Loughlin, of Troy, is visiting her son, Letter-carrier Robert Loughlin, of East Front street.

Miss Alice Jenkins, of East Sixth street, was home from the Trenton Normal School for over Sunday.

Fred Dunavan, of Randolph's pharmacy, left Monday for Newark, where he will spend a week with relatives.

Hon. Wm. N. Oliver, of Elizabeth, will leave this week for the springs of Mt. St. Clement, Mich., for his health.

Mrs. L. C. Hurtt and family, of Manasquan, who have been visiting Plainfield relatives, have returned home.

Mrs. Charles H. Frost, of Canada, is visiting at the home of her father-in-law, George H. Frost, on Watchung avenue.

Miss Bessie Baldwin, of New York, has been spending several days with Miss Mabelle Smith, of Westervelt avenue.

Stuart Patterson and wife, of East Ninth street, have returned to their home after an extended trip through the country.

Among those attending the State convention of Baptists at Trenton is Rev. Dr. Yerkes, pastor of the First Baptist church.

Miss Minnie Floor has returned to her home in Brooklyn after a two weeks' visit with Mrs. Richard Menzel, of West Front street.

W. L. Smalley, Jr., and family, of the borough, left the city yesterday morning for the south, where they will reside in the future.

Former Mayor Jacob T. Stout, of Atlantic Highlands, visited Former Mayor and Mrs. John H. VanWinkle, of Duer street, yesterday.

The marriage of Miss Minnie Zeisz, of Chatham street, to Charles Van Middlesworth, of Brooklyn, will take place this evening at the home of the bride.

The engagement of Miss Emma Case, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus K. Case, of East Ninth street, to Georga Morton, of New York, is announced.

George Vosseller, of Bridgewater township, Democratic candidate for surrogate of Somerset county, was in North Plainfield Monday looking after his interests among his friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward F. Randolph, of West Front street, left the city yesterday for Nyack, where they will remain for a time in the hopes that Mr. Randolph may regain his health.

CLOSED HIS WIFE'S OPTIC.

Cruel Assault Made by a Colored Man on His Wife.

A young colored woman, well dressed, came into city court this morning, with a terrible looking eye. It was Mrs. A. Alice Thompson, of Liberty street. Last evening, her husband, Paul Thompson, grew angry at her and struck her in the eye with his fist. The blow was a vicious one and left its mark behind. The wife made a complaint and the husband was arrested and spent the night in jail.

This morning Mrs. Thompson appeared and said that she did not want to press the charge. Thompson was very penitent and expressed great sorrow that he had injured his helpmeet.

The Judge was not inclined to deal leniently with a man who would strike his wife thus in anger but let Thompson off with a severe lecture and a fine of $10.

Scrofula is the advertisement of foul blood. It may be entirely driven from the system by the faithful use of Hood's Sarsaparilla, which thoroughly purifies the blood.

Hood's Pills are easy to take, easy to operate. Cure indigestion, biliousness. 25c.

—The women of the German Reformed church realized about $150 on their recent fair, and this money will be devoted to the church work.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

—Forecast for this week and year—fair dealing at Peck's.

—The Woman's auxiliary of the A. O H. will hold a meeting tomorrow evening.

—The sewer beds are reported to be in the best of condition by those who have charge of them.

—Friday evening of this week an important meeting of the Woman's Relief Corps will be held.

—A missionary meeting will be held in Warren chapel Friday evening. There will be a special speaker.

—Special Patrolman Cash was on duty Monday night in place of Patrolman Myers who had a night off.

—An entertainment will be given this evening under the auspices of Lucetta Council, Daughters of Liberty.

—The Plainfield Sanitary Company's business is increasing every day, and the plant is working in an excellent manner.

—The regular monthly business meeting of the Park Avenue Baptist church will be held this evening in the church parlors.

—Testimony will be taken on Thursday in the court house at Elizabeth before Surrogate Parrott in the Rachel Clark will case.

—The contract case of Wilcox against Keiderling was tried before Justice Newcorn yesterday, and a nonsuit granted.

—Miss Kittie Ransom, of East Fifth street, has secured a position at Putnam & DeGraw's dry goods store on West Front street.

—An entertainment will be held in the Mt. Zion A. M. E. church this evening The proceeds will be for the benefit of the church.

—At the meeting of the Asbestos Club yesterday afternoon several interesting papers were read on the latest topics of the day.

—The new houses on Mariners avenue were examined Monday by Health Inspector Addis for sewer connection and house improvements.

—Several of the large letter boxes have been located on East and West Front street, to take the place of the smaller ones formerly used.

—The Slape house on West Front street has been raised and is now all ready to be moved to the foundations adjoining the Industrial home.

—The new overcoats for the borough marshals will be received very soon. As the cold weather is coming on they will appreciate the coats very much.

—Last evening the Christian Endeavor Society of Warren chapel held their regular monthly consecration meeting, which was largely attended.

—Miss Backer, formerly a saleswoman at Putnam & DeGraw's store on West Front street, has resigned her position and has entered a business college to pursue a business course.

—During the temporary absence of Superintendent R. K. Case, of the First Baptist church Sunday-school, owing to ill health, his place is being filled by his assistants, G. F Brown and G. H. Batchelor.

—A meeting of the Sons of Veterans fair committee was held Monday evening and nearly all arrangements were completed for the fair which will open one week from last night in Washington Hall on West Second street.

—Thursday of this week the Epworth League members of the Elizabeth District will hold a convention in this city. Sessions will be held in each of the Methodist churches, morning, afternoon and evening.

—W. J. Roome, of Washington Park, is having a neat and attractive park made on his property. The shrubbery will be especially fine, and Mr. Roome may erect a small piece of statuary in the centre of the park.

—Stephenson, the North avenue caterer, has been obliged to secure another cook, owing to the large increase in his business. He now has one cook for the evening as well as the day time. He keeps open until 12 p. m.

—The North Plainfield Board of Education will hold their regular meeting tomorrow evening, when it is expected that something additional regarding the overcrowded condition of the school will be considered.

—Somerville has again fallen in line with Plainfield. A meeting was held in that city Monday evening for the purpose of arranging for a series of University Extension lectures. The first of the lectures was delivered Monday evening and the next will be held Friday night.

A pain in the chest is nature's warning that pneumonia is threatened. Dampen a piece of flannel with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bind over the seat of pain, and another on the back between the shoulders, and prompt relief will follow. Sold by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

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BEATS OFF THE HIGHWAYMEN.

Young VanHorn Leaves the Two Rascals Stretched Out.

A daring attempt to hold up Harry VanHorn, of New Brunswick, at a lonely spot on the road from Bound Brook to New Brunswick, Monday night, was foiled by VanHorn. He is eighteen, and the manager of his father's livery stable in New Brunswick.

When about half way to New Brunswick as he was driving slowly, because of a particularly dark stretch of road, two men sprang out of a clump of bushes at the side of the roadway. One caught the horse's bridle, bringing the animal to a stop. The other started to climb into the buggy.

VanHorn shouted to the fellows to release the horse.

"That's all right," said the man at the side of the wagon. "We want this turnout, and if you know when you are well off you will give it up without trouble."

VanHorn struck the nearest highwayman a blow with the butt end of the whip that stretched him out. He gave the horse a savage lash, and the animal sprang forward, throwing the other road agent under the wheels. VanHorn says both wheels went over the man.

On getting home he notified the police, and an effort was made to find the highwaymen, but without success It is thought they were tramps.

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If you think of buying a Piano we can save you FIFTY DOLLARS—during October. Every one of our HARDMAN, GABLER, VOSE, STERLING and STANDARD PIANOS is marked down that much for this Sale.

If you don't need your Piano for three months it will pay you to buy now. We'll store it for you

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You are not asked to buy building lots, your own judgement tells you what to do. It is a sight to see the marvelous work that has been done in so short a time. Take a train on C. R. R of N. J., come in carriage, on bicycle or horseback, it will pay you to look at the wonders.

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We have just received our new

Fall Suitings and Trouserings.

Trousers to order, $5, $6 and $7.
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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS ITHAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Mrs. Baldwin has entirely recovered from her recent illness.

J. C. VanDyke, of Plainfield, was in town on business yesterday.

Harry McDonald, of Plainfield, was in town yesterday on business.

Mrs. William Craig spent yesterday in Plainfield with friends and relatives.

Miss Kittie Dinneen has returned from a pleasant visit with friends at Junction.

Miss Tingley rode her wheel to Plainfield yesterday and spent the day with friends.

Mrs. W. H. Cole expects to leave soon for Stroudsburgh, Pa., where she will visit relatives.

"Uncle" Dan Roberts and wife, of Plainfield, were welcome guests in town yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Dealaman left this morning for Washington, D. C., where they will spend several days.

Lawyer Murphy, of the firm of Murphy & Blatz, of Plainfield, was in town yesterday looking after some legal interests.

The M. E. church will be well represented tomorrow at Plainfield when the Elizabeth District Epworth League convention will be held.

Mr. Smith and granddaughter, Miss Bessie Smith, left this morning for their home at Pottersville, after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Smith.

The demand at present for money in the Building and Loan Association is not very great. This is due to the fact that there is no building going on in the borough.

Augustus Warden, who was so badly burned recently while atttending to a hive of bees, was able to go to work yesterday for the first. The burns are almost healed and Mr. Warden feels like himself once more.

A fair was held yesterday afternoon and evening at the M. E. church under the auspices of the Epworth League. The attendance was large and the goods on sale were easily disposed of. The proceeds will be devoted to the church.

Yesterday morning while Alvah Gray was attempting to dump a car of coal in his yard, the lock suddenly gave way and allowed Mr. Gray to fall through the car a distance of about eight feet to the ground. At first it was thought that he was severely injured, but such was not the case. He escaped with a few bruises and scratches, which was exceedingly fortunate.

SCOTCH PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Fanwood Council No. 744, Royal Arcanum, held a meeting last night.

William Craig, of Elizabethport, was in Scotch Plains on business yesterday.

The smokestack was blown from William Lee's hotel during the storm Monday.

Constable Robert Walpole has returned from a visit with friends in Elizabeth.

The Scotch Plains football team will play the Dunellen team at Scotch Plains Saturday.

The landlord and tenant case of Hamilton against Elliot was tried in Justice Clark's court yesterday and a judgment was rendered for the plaintiff.

Rev. J. S. Braker, pastor of the Scotch Plains Baptist church, will deliver an address at the Union county Sunday school convention to be held at Cranford Thursday.

The Ladies' Circle of the Baptist church hold a meeting at the home of Mrs. F. W. Westcott, this afternoon, to make arrangements for an apron sale to be held shortly in the church parlors.

Croup Quickly Cured.

MOUNTAIN GLEN, Ark.—Our children were suffering with croup when we received a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It afforded almost instant relief.—F. A. Thornton. This celebrated remedy is for sale by T. S. Armstrong, apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

—The regular meeting of Central Lodge, A. O. U. W., will be held tomorrow evening.

WESTFIELD

VARIOUS BITS OF NEWS.

WESTFIELD HAPPENINGS SERVED UP TERSELY FOR THE PRESS.

Many People Go and Come in the Pretty Suburban Town—Items Interesting Because of Their Brevity

Westfield Lodge, No. 169, I. O.O.F., meets tonight.

Mrs. Fred A. Kinch has returned from a visit to Williamsport, Pa.

Mrs. Cunningham, of Hillside avenue, has removed to Central avenue.

Samuel Packer, of Elm street, has been entertaining friends from New Brunswick.

Miss Nellie Bogert, of Central avenue, has returned from a visit in Washington, D. C.

Arthur Spooner, of Central avenue, has moved into F. A. Ernst's house, on Mountain avenue.

The Union chapel at Garwood will be dedicated with appropriate ceremonies November 4th.

The teachers of the Baptist Sunday school will hold a meeting in the church parlors tonight.

The I. O. S. will hold a progressive heart party at the residence of R. V. Hoffman, Friday evening.

A new bell has been received for the Garwood schoolhouse and it will be placed in position at once.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Rollin P. Grant was made happy Monday by the arrival of a girl baby.

Joseph Blackburn, of North avenue, has accepted a position in the C. and C. Electric Company, at Garwood.

Samuel Vought, of Cumberland street, has accepted a position with the C. and C. Electric Co., at Garwood.

Rev. Wesley Martin, of Flemington, formerly pastor of the Westfield Methodist church, was in this place yesterday.

The Westfield Universal football team will play the Battin High School, of Elizabeth, at that place, next Saturday afternoon.

Frank Howe's football team defeated a picked team on the North Broad street grounds yesterday afternoon by the score 6 to 4.

Justice E. R. Collins has just completed a compilation of the game laws of twenty States, and the work will shortly be published in book form.

The Epworth League of the Methodist church will send a number of delegates to the Epworth League convention to be held in Plainfield tomorrow.

A lecture will be delivered in the Congregational church this evening on "The Hebrews of Today," by Rev. Samuel Frender, a former Jewish rabbi.

The Westfield Club football team has no game scheduled for Saturday in the Journal League. The team will play the Cranfords next Tuesday afternoon.

An address on misson work in Persia will be delivered in the Baptist church this evening by Yonan Shabaza, a native Persian, who has recently graduated from Hamilton College.

The members of the Westfield Baptist church are arranging for a social gathering on a large scale to be held at the residence of Charles F. Oxley, on Westfield avenue, November 7th.

Rev. Charles Fiske, the new rector of St. Paul's church, will enter upon his duties next Monday morning, when he will conduct the morning service in observance of All Saints day.

The Republican candidates for county offices will meet with the Westfield executive committee in Etta Hall tonight to discuss ways and means for the present campaign.

A large delegation of Sunday-school workers from Westfield will attend the annual meeting of the Union County Sunday school Association which will be held in the Cranford Presbyterian church tomorrow.

A delegation from the Congregational church is in attendance today at the meetings of the Congregational Home Missionary Union and Philadelphia Branch of the W. B. M., which are being held in the First Congregational church, at Trenton.

Justice Collins has issued summons in the cases of Griffen against H. B. Smith, on contract, C. A. Smith & Co., against Horatio Johnson, on contract, and Berner against Herder, landlord and tenant. All the cases will be tried next Monday afternoon.

Justice Nash's Court.

Summons have been issued in Justice Nash's court in the cases of Kyte against Rockafellow, landlord and tenant, returnable on the 1st., Jones against Minerva Temple, Rathbone Sisters, on contract, returnable on the 1st.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The fac simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. is on every wrapper.

Quality and Price Are the Prizes.

What would you think of a lawyer who tried to secure clients by offering chances on a bicycle? Would you want the services of a physician who offered to give coal hods or sofa pillows to patients who employed him regularly?

We think not. We believe also that when sickness comes and you have prescriptions to be filled or need any other aid that the skilled pharmacist can render, you want perfect service at a fair price— nd nothing else.

We give such service. We are apt to save you 15 to 25 per cent on the cost—druggists that are conscientious about quality are pretty sure to be as careful about price.

FRANK ROWLEY,
DRUGGIST,
45 SOMERSET ST. TEL. 213 A.

LINCOLN.

A meeting of the school trustees of Piscataway township was held yesterday at Lincoln, and a majority of the board met Silas D. Drake, and the school trustees resolved to supply teachers for a public school and school exercises are to be commenced by December 1st. Mr. Drake, on behalf of the New Jersey Mutual Realty Co., agreed to build a new school building two stories high using the first floor for school, and church purposes, and the second story for Council meetings and public entertainments. The building will be completed by December 1st. Mr. Drake made some happy remarks to the school trustees, saying he felt it a compliment to have the town of Lincoln so recently founded to receive the approval and endorsement of the learned school trustees of Piscataway township, and it spoke volumns for the town to know that the trustees felt there was a necessity for a public school.

THEATRICAL.

It is only two or three times during the theatrical season that the patron of the drama is offered an opportunity of seeing so enjoyable a play as "Shore Acres." This interesting comedy-drama is the outcome of years of thought and labor on the part of its author, James A. Herne, and it is well known that he wrote the piece five times, and then not being satisfied with some of his character sketches he went and lived for nearly a year among the people he was representing, so that he might more truthfully portray their idiosyncrasies. It is an unusual thing for an actor to write so good a play as "Shore Acres," and Mr. Herne cannot be too warmly commended for giving to the English-speaking stage a work of such intrinsic merit. Arrangements have been made for a full scenic production of this famous play at Music Hall next Friday evening.

'FEST THE PRINCIPAL TOPIC.

The Coming Hospital Benefit Discussed by the Board of Governors.

The Spielkartenfest was the principal topic of conversation at the meeting of the board of governors of the Muhlenberg hospital, Monday evening. There was the regular routine business in connection with the hospital to be transacted and the report of the medical director, Dr. T. H. Tomlinson, was received.

The report showed that 21 patients had been admitted during the month, 18 discharged cured, 1 discharged improved. The total number treated was 37, and 18 remain in the hospital. There has been 43 treated at the dispensary and 124 visits made.

Blind?

Probably not, but why run the risk of seriously injuring your eyes by the use of incorrectly fitted glasses when you can be skillfully fitted by Leech, Stiles & Co., of Philadelphia, whose eye specialist is at 107 East Front street every Thursday. He will not charge you to determine if glasses will improve your sight.

Those who believe chronic diarrhœa to be incurable should read what Mr. P. E. Grisham, of Gaars Mills, La., has to say on the subject, viz.: "I have been a sufferer from chronic diarrhœa ever since the war and have tried all kinds of medicines for it. At last I found a remedy that effected a cure and that was Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy." This medicine can always be depended upon for colic, cholera morbus, dysentery and diarrhœa. It is pleasant to take and never fails to affect a cure. 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

—The weekly meeting of Unity Lodge of Knights of Pythias will be held this evening.

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A Pharmacy conducted in the interest of the People's Health. Nature's Wonderful gifts to alleviate the ills of life. Pharmacists having years of experience compound your needs. We solicit your continued confidence.

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BEAUTIFULLY ILLUSTRATED.
Y. M. C. A. Hall, Thursday, Oct. 28,
8 p. m. ADMISSION, Ten Cents. 10 27 2

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will have a special sale of plants commencing Oct. 28th to Nov. 3d, at 142 North avenue, also at the Netherwood greenhouses. A large variety of well growing flowering and decorative plants will be offered for sale at very low prices. Headquarters for cut flowers of all kinds. Smilax, etc., special prices for large quantities. DECORATIONS for all occasions.

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A FIRST-CLASS RESIDENCE.

Central Park west, near 93d street station, New York, four-story and basement; cream stone front, bay windows, hardwood finish, finely decorated; price, $39,000; would sell furniture; would take country place in part payment. Address E. W. AUSTIN, Cranford, N. J.
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DIED.

FENESEY—In this city, Oct. 26, 1897, Bridget Fenesey, age 80 years.
Funeral from St. Mary's Church at 9 o'clock, Thursday morning, Oct. 28, 1897. Friends and relatives are respectfully invited to attend. Interment in St. Mary's cemetery.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

$500 wanted on second mortgage; "Gilt Edge" property; state terms, no agents. Address Mortgage, care Press. 10 25 tf

MONEY to loan on Bond and Mortgage. Chas. L. Moffett, Attorney, cor. Park and North Aves. 10 21 eod 4

TO LET—Furnished front room, centrally located; suitable for two young men, all conveniences. Address Pearl, care Press. 10 26 3

FOR SALE or to let, (bakery) store and dwelling with stable, 120 West Fourth street. Mulford, broker. 6 16 tf-w s

BUILDING lot, 46x150, West Fifth street, near Monroe avenue, for sale; price $175.

BUILDING lots for sale, Lyman place, 50x125; price $200 to $300 each.

CHEAPEST building lots in the city for sale; Manson place, 40x150; price $300.

6 room house, East Sixth street, all improvements for sale; price $2,500, cash or installments.

7 room house, Mountain avenue, all improvements, hot water heat, large lot; price $3,000. Charles H. Hand, 317 Watchung avenue. 10 25 eod 2

BABCOCK BLOCK — Offices, flats and large room for lodge or meetings. Elevator to all floors. 9 1 eod tf

STORE and dwelling connected, to let or for sale. Apply 214 Richmond street. 10 25 eod tf

WANTED—A responsible farmer to take a farm on shares, one who knows how to run a grist mill preferred; must have reference. Address C, care Press.

WANTED—Experienced white girl as waitress at once. 949 Central avenue.

WANTED—Young woman, German or Swede, for general housework no washing; references. 508 Central avenue. 10 27 tf

WANTED—To hire a good tailoress at R. Dunham's, 159 North Ave.

POSITIVE bargain; desirable dwelling for sale at a sacrifice. Address Owner, care Press. 10 23 tf

FIRST-CLASS help and first class places at the Swedish intelligence office, 23 Somerset place. 8 23 tf

DESIRABLE house, low rental, improved. 235 East Sixth street. Call, 231. 9 10 tf

GAS or gasoline engine wanted. Debele's dairy, 111 Somerset street. 10 25 tf

KNIFE pleating made by the yard Leave orders at Rand's, 140 West Front street. 10 25 3

STRAWBERRY plants by 100 75c. or 1,000 $3; Lovett, Greenville and Brandywine. For sale by W. H. Rogers. Washingtonville, N. J. 10 11 tf

FOR SALE—Several fine fresh Jersey cows. Geo. Demler, Jr., Washingtonville. 10 25 3

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We sell goods cheaper than all other stores.

THE LEVER OF LOW PRICES

has lifted this business into its present popularity. This same lever props up every trade transaction which takes place over our counters. Never in this store's history have you been invited to investigate such an assortment of close priced merchandise. 'Twill well repay you to compare our prices and our goods with others—we know we will

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Dress Goods

values. Not ordinary every day lots at ordinary every day prices, but bargains in every sense of the word.

40 in Fancy Plaids.....49c
40 in silk and wool Mixtures.....48c
54 in Ladies' Cloth.....49c
50-in Broad Cloth.....79c
45-in Granite Suiting.....49c
50-in Boucle Suiting.....69c

A Silk Sale

When you read this we will have on sale two thousand yards of the finest black silk ever shown in this town of yours and ours from the great auction sale of Schuarzenback, Huber & Co., all bought 40 per cent below their value and sold the same way.

Beautiful Faille.....69 cts
Satin Rhadames.....79 and 85 cts
Satin Mascottes.....89 and 98 cts

A postal card will bring you samples.

Hosiery and Underwear.

Just the opening items. Goods and prices talk stronger than columns of chat. 'Twill be our busy week in hosiery and underwear.

Children's fleeced lined vests and pants, ...5c up
Children's natural wool vests and pants, ...10c up
Ladies' ribbed vests and pants, fleeced 25c
Ladies' natural wool vests and pants, 50c
Children's heavy school hose, all sizes 10c
Ladies' fine seamless hose, fast black 12c
Ladies' extra fine hose, 25c kind, 18c pair

Men's Furnishings.

Men's heavy wool shirts.....29c
natural wool shirts.....38c
outing shirts.....32c
white linen shirts.....33c
suspenders, 25c kind.....13c
half hose.....10c pair
silk neckwear, 50c kind... 25c
cambric handkerchiefs.5c each
linen handkerchiefs...15c each

A Book Bargain.

Over 500 finely-bound Novels that 'twill pay you to buy now for Christmas. Regular prices 50c, 75c and $1. Our price 19c, and take your pick.

A Cloak Week.

Many new lots from the best makers. The coat or cape you want is among them, and it won't cost you so much as you think. We ask you to inspect our stock.

Kid Gloves.

Famous kid glove values—we make every customer a satisfied one in this important department. Four-button and five-hook P. L. gloves, $1.00 warranted. SPECIAL.—100 pairs of two-clasp P. L. gloves, red tans, slightly imperfect, real value $1.25, our price 59c. We sell the celebrated Kayser double-tip cashmere gloves, 25c, 35c, 50c. Every pair warranted.

Corsets.

The best corset ever sold for 50c is here in black, white and drab—'tis the called Comet. Ask to see the Sonnette corset, a medium short waist, made of French contill and full boned—the price $1. The Kosmo, an extra heavy black corset, is a good one—price 75c. We carry a full line of W. B., P. N., Her Majesty and Thompson's corsets.

To Be Seen.

On second floor. Take elevator.

Fine cambric wrappers.....75c | Flannelette wrappers.....98c
Fancy wool plaid shirt waists.....$1.37
Russian blouse waists, made of pretty worsted goods, $2.75. Skirts to match, $4. Suits, $6.75.
Corset covers.....9c, 12c, 17c, 19c and 25c each.
Fine black satine skirts.....$1, $1.25, $1.75 and $2.
Boys' outing flannel shirt waists.....25c, 29c and 50c

EDWARD WHITE.

Oak Dining Tables, $4.50 up.
Oak Sideboards, $9 up.
Oak Dining Chairs, 95c. each up.

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LOST—A young pup—hound. Reward if returned to Geo. Richter, 15 Somerset street. 10 26 2

WANTED—Capable girl as laundress. Apply with references, 452 West Eighth street. 10 27 3

WANTED—Three or four men, canvassers. Call at 303 West Fourth street, Kenyon, after 4 p. m. 19 26 4

6 room house to let. 39 Emily street. 10 26 2

FIRST class places furnished girls out of employment; and reliable help secured for those desiring girls, at St. Joseph's Home, (Non Sectarian), 43 Manning avenue. 11 23 tf

LOST—Pug dog. Finder will receive suitable reward by returning to 1057 Central avenue. 10 26 2

TO LET—Fusnished rooms with or wihout board. 9 Grove St. 10 25 3

REMARKABLE CASE.

A Bloomsburg Lawyer to Be Tried Again for Murder.

Bloomsburg, Pa., Oct. 27.—The retrial of Lloyd S. Wintersteen, a prominent lawyer of Bloomsburg, who is charged with attempting to kill Levi S. Waller and family, commenced yesterday.

This case, one of the most remarkable in the country, was first called for trial at Bloomsburg May 25, 1897, and after three weeks the jury disagreed, standing eight for conviction and four for acquittal. The case reads like a romance. Wintersteen, an ambitious and self-made man, has arisen after years of hard work to a prominent place among his fellow men, and was one of the most active lawyers and most wealthy man in Columbia County.

According to the story of Clifton Knorr, a college graduate and a somewhat dissipated young man, Wintersteen had a grudge against Waller and plotted to kill Waller by paying Knorr to shoot him down in the street.

It is alleged that when this failed he conceived the scheme of blowing up his house with dynamite and destroying not only Waller but his wife and family, and his father and mother. This plot, it is claimed, also failed through the careless fusing of the dynamite, the explosion merely destroying the front of the building and injuring no one.

Wintersteen is also accused of attempting to poison Knorr's aunt through the instrumentality of that young man, and for the purpose of gaining a large sum of money. Knorr says he was Wintersteen's tool and was paid for his work. Knorr has made a complete confession, and was the chief witness for the prosecution.

A panel of forty-eight jurors has been drawn for this trial, and it is expected that it will take at least two days to secure a jury. The prosecution claims it has secured further corroboration of Knorr's testimony, and expects to present a much stronger case than at the first trial.

They have, too, they say, some evidence that a couple of important witnesses for Wintersteen were bribed to testify falsely. The men charged with proposing the alleged bribery are now under arrest. The evidence relative to this feature is expected to have a marked effect on the case. The defense is silent as to its strength, but some new developments are expected.

Judge Ermentrout, of Reading, presides, and the same attorneys are engaged in the case. District Attorney Graham, of Philadelphia, is the leading attorney for the prosecution, and A. S. L. Shields, of Philadelphia, is the chief attorney for the defense.

HARRISON'S OPINION.

Arrives Home and Talks About the New York Campaign.

Indianapolis, Oct. 27.—Gen. Harrison reached home from New York yesterday, considerably tanned by his sojourn in the mountains. He said he had been running a crosscut saw and grubbing during the Summer, and looked significantly at his hands. When asked regarding New York politics, he said:

"As to the prospects of the campaign, I know nothing. I saw Gen. Tracy several times, but not within a week or ten days of my departure. He was busy with his campaign. I do not think that any one can predict the outcome of the campaign with so many parties in the field. The information I received came chiefly from the New York papers from day to day. The Republicans whom I met seemed to feel that they were going to win. They appeared to be sincere in that belief, but how much they really knew about it I cannot tell."

Gen. Harrison was asked to given an estimate of Henry George, and as to his strength as a candidate. This he declined to do. Continuing he said:

"I saw some of my old Republican friends who were supporting Low, and talked with them. I have nothing to say about Mr. Low. As to speeches, not talking about eloquence, Gen. Tracy is making a strong campaign. The campaign is in a tangle that nobody at this time can tell anything about. It is possible that in the days that are left there may be a turning of people from one to another of the candidates that will change the result greatly from any present indication."

GIRLS IN BURNT CORK

A Minstrel Show Given for the Benefit of Mount Vernon Church.

Mount, Vernon, Oct. 27.—Mount Vernon society was entertained last night with a minstrel performance at the Opera House, in which forty or more young women appeared with blackened faces and wearing short skirts of red satin, with full dress coats and waistcoats, and white shirts, collars and cuffs to match.

Some of the parents and members of Trinity Episcopal Church, in aid of which the show was given, orginally challenged the propriety of short skirts, and for a time it looked as if this feature would be abandoned. But arguments in favor of the short skirts finally triumphed.

"I don't see why we can't wear medium skirts on the stage," said one of the girls. "They're not near so short as the ones some of the older women who are criticising us wear when they go out for a ride on their bicycles."

Every one who saw the performance last night was pleased, and reported that it was modest and proper. The interlocutor was Miss Mary Lewis, representing QuQeen Lil of the Sandwich Islands. The tambourines were Misses Hattie and Annie Loomis, and the bones Miss Evelyn Graham, a daughter of the rector, and Miss Blanche Martin. The affair ended with a cake walk. It was liberally applauded throughout. The receipts will be used to repair the organ, which broke down during the service only last Sunday morning.

Marine Band Not to Go.

Washington, Oct. 27.—Because of the protests of the labor unions, which fear the competition of the Marine Band, the Secretary of the Navy has revoked the permission which he gave the organization some time ago to go to Chicago to furnish music for the horse show.

More Gold Is Coming.

Sydney, N. S. W., Oct. 27.—The steamship Mariposa, which sailed from here for San Francisco, carried $1,275,000 in gold to the United States.

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20th Day of December

next, the names of the defaulters with their respective taxes will be returned to the City Judge for prosecution. The Commissioners of Appeal in cases of taxation in and for the said City will meet at the Council Chamber, No. 109 Park avenue, Plainfield, N. J., on the

4th Tuesday of November

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Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 8 0, 7 58, 8 00, 8 30, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 9 15, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday, 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 10, 11 16 a. m.; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 22 p. m.

Leave New York, foot Liberty street, at 4 30, 8 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00 a. m.; 12 00 m., 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 4 p. m.; 12 15, 1 00 night. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00, 9 00 9 15 a. m.; 12 m.; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 5 30, 7 00 7 30, 9 00, 10 00 p. m.; 12 15 night; 1 00 a. m.

Leave New York from Whitehall street at 7 00, 7 55, 8 25, 8 55, 9 55, 11 55 a. m., 1 00, 1 25, 2 25, 3 25, 3 55, 4 25, 4 55, 5 25, 5 55, 6 25, 6 55, 7 50, 8 25, 9 10, 9 55, 11 30 p. m., 12 10 night. Sundays—At 7 00, 8 55 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 2 30, 3 55, 5 25, 6 55, 7 25, 8 25, 9 50 p. m., 12 10 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 50, 8 00, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 01, 52, 10 08, 11 16 a. m.; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 18, 7 55, 8 38, 9 03, 10 05 a. m.; 12 10, 1 15, 1 35, 2 35, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 25, 5 42, 6 18, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 05 p. m. Sunday, 7 18, 9 05, 9 30, 10 35 a. m.; 1 10, 1 35, 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 20, 10 20 p. m.

Passengers for Newark please change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a.m 1 01, 2 11, 2 32, 3 35, 4 36, 5 03, 5 15, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 16, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p. m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 06, 9 55, a. m; 2 03, 3 39, 6 35, 8 30, 10 15, 11 14 p. m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35 45, 8 19, 9 02, 9 48, 11 45, a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05 3 25, 4 25, 5 28, 6 08, 6 40, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05 p. m Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a. m; 12 05, 1 20, 5 15, 6 35, 7 53, 8 05, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a. m., 1 01, 2 11, 4 35, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 9 06 a. m; 2 03, 6 35 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a. m; 12 32, 4 06, 7 00, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 52 a. m; 6 30 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

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WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For staticns to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 15 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, & c with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

1 01 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for station on D., L. & W. R. R.

2 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, MauchChunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

4 35 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Scranton, Wilkesbarre, Tamaqua, Shamokin, (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

5 05 and 5 15 p. m., way or Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg.

8 01 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 05 a. m. Sundays for Easton.

1 00 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

4 09 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

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For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10 27 a. m.; 1 15 3 51, 5 22 p. m.

For Lakewood, Toms River and Barnegat 3 37, 8 13 a. m.; 1 15, 3 51 p. m. Sundays 8 52 a.m

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For Trenton, 5 17, 8 44, 9 46 a. m.; 1 01, 2 17, 4 35, 5 34*, 6 38* 8 21, 9 37* p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a. m.; 2 25, 4 55, 5 09, 6 35* p. m.; 1 17 night.

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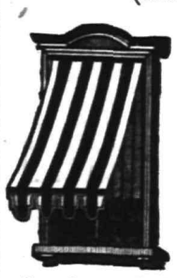

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At about 1 o'clock Miss Price landed at Catasauqua, and fifteen minutes later she was on the high bridge spanning the Lehigh River at Hokendauqua. She was hungry, destitute and penniless. She tried to jump from the bridge into the water, but was chased from the structure before she was able to carry her intention into effect. As she got to the east end of the bridge a trolley car came along, and she threw herself on the tracks to be ground up. The car was stopped in time to prevent her being hurt. The woman then disappeared, and appeared at the rear of the Thomas Iron Company's works. She was about to jump from the bank into the river, when Ed Kade and Patrick McClain seized her and took her in charge. They brought her to the Eagle Hotel at Catasauqua and put her in charge of Chief Sheckler. Capt. Bartholomew provided her with dinner at the hotel and made her comfortable. An effort is being made this afternoon to secure subscriptions to send her to her friends at Chicago.

"OLD SALT" IS DEAD.

He Was Lieutenant-Governor Under Gov. Fenton.

Syracuse, N. Y., Oct. 27.—Thomas Gold Alvord, known as "Old Salt," died yesterday of old age. He had been confined to his bed for a fortnight, gradually failing.

Thomas G. Alvord was born in Onondaga, N. Y., Dec. 20, 1810, of English and Dutch descent. His grandfathers on both sides were Revolutionary pensioners. He was a lieutenant in the Home Guards under Gov. Throop. In politics Mr. Alvord was originally a Democrat, but in 1861 he became a war Democrat, and had since been a Republican, although he supported Greeley in 1872.

Mr. Alvord represented his district in the Assembly during the years 1844, 1858, 1862, 1864, 1870, 1871, 1872, 1874, 1875, 1877 and 1878. He was Speaker of the House in 1858, 1864 and 1879.

He was elected Lieutenant-Governor in 1864 on the ticket with Gov. Fenton, and served in that capacity for two years.

Mr. Alvord was made a member of the Constitutional Convention in 1867-68. During his long service he worked upon many of the most important committees of the House, and was repeatedly chairman of the Ways and Means, and chairman of the Apportionment Committee in 1878.

FOOTBALL COST HIS LIFE.

Boy Dies of a Broken Neck Received in a Scrimmage.

New York, Oct. 27.—Andrew Hasche, of this city, died yesterday in the Astoria Hospital, L. I., of a broken neck. The injury was received in a scrimmage in a game of football in which Hasche engaged at Casino Beach, near Steinway, on Sunday afternoon.

The scrimmage in which Hasche was injured occurred in the second half of the game. The eleven of which young Hasche was a member was fighting hard to prevent the advance of the ball, and the scrimmages were frequent and fierce. When the mass of players disentangled themselves after one of these struggles Hasche was found unconscious at the bottom of the heap. When ordinary efforts to revive him proved vain physicians were summoned, and an examination showed that Hasche's neck was broken.

He was still living, and early in the evening he was removed to the Astoria Hospital. He remained in a comatose condition until his death. He was 19 years old.

England's Big Strike.

London, Oct. 27.—The federated employers of the engineering and shipbuilding trades held a meeting at Manchester yesterday. They decline to announce their decision in advance of communication with the Board of Trade, but it is understood that they will agree to hold a conference with the striking employees upon these conditions:

That the demands of the men for a forty-eight-hour working week be unconditionally withdrawn, and that there shall be no discussion as to arbitration of the question of hours.

Low Gains in the Betting.

New York, Oct. 27.—The odds on Van Wyck against the field took another drop yesterday, this time going from 5 to 3, where they stood on Saturday night, to 5 to 4. It was thought by betting men last night that this shift in the odds on Van Wyck against the field was more than usually significant, inasmuch as the change was made by Tammany bettors. These same men predict that still further changes along this line will be reported before the end of the week.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Ten new cases of yellow fever were reported in New Orleans yesterday.

The War Department has located the lost Fifth Infantry near Kingston, Tenn.

Trouble is threatened in Borgu, West Africa, between the French and English interests.

Gov. Griggs issued his proclamation declaring the anti-gambling amendment passed in New Jersey.

John A. Jordan, a deputy sheriff, was shot at Lakeview, N. J., by John Marboefen, who suspected that he was a burglar.

Ute Indians near Lilly Park, Col., resisted arrest after violating the game law and fired on the game warden, whose party then killed five Utes.

Col. John J. McCook, at Kansas City, said he had received no intimation of an invitation to succeed Attorney-General McKenna in President McKinley's Cabinet.

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The pathetic tale of the young woman who fled into the hands of two policemen on Watchung avenue Saturday night, laboring under the hallucination that she was pursued by two highwaymen, came near having a tragic sequel in Pennsylvania yesterday, and as it was it proved exciting enough. The following news item taken from The Press telegraphic service tells the story:

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—Lucetta Council will give an entertainment and dance in Washington Hall this evening.

—Neuman Bros, the Watchung avenue grocers, have just received a shipment of 500 bushels of choice early rose potatoes.

—Childs & Stanley will have a special sale of plants and flowers at their store, 142 North avenue, commencing tomorrow. Those desiring some choice plants for the house will do well by calling early.

SINK HOLES MUST BE FILLED UP.

Board of Health Orders a North Avenue Nuisance to be Abolished.

The attention of the local health authorities has been called to the condition of the sunken fields on North avenue in the vicinity of Netherwood. The stagnant water gathers there and is a menace to the health of all those living in that neighborhood. Some time ago the Board of Health ordered these lots to be filled up but it has not been done and the Board again considered the matter at the regular meeting of the Board last evening.

The Board decided that the lots must be filled up at once and ordered that a notice to that effect be given to all the property owners who own any of the land in question.

The house to house inspection of West Front and Second streets was reported completed and the Board ordered that all houses on those streets, west of Central avenue, be connected with the sewer.

After the usual routine business, the report of the health inspector, William Addis, was received.

ENDEAVORERS INVITED.

Epworth League Extend an Invitation in a Spirit of Love and Unity.

An invitation has come to the Local Union of Christian Endeavor Societies from the Epworth Leagues of the city to attend the district convention to be held in this city tomorrow. The invitation came too late to be read at the last meeting of the individual societies so that it is extended to all the Endeavorers in this manner. It is none the less cordial because it was not in time for the meetings and will receive a general response from the local Endeavorers.

Justice Thomas' Court.

Yesterday afternoon in Justice Thomas' court was tried the contract case of John Cronin against R. F. M. Chase and his wife, Miss Anna S. Chase. H. C. Runyon appeared for the plaintiff, and judgment was given him for the full amount, including costs. The defendants did not appear. The case of C. R. Mitchell, president of the Mutual Fertilizing Company, of Tremley, against J. Newton Voorhis, of Middlebush, to recover the amount of a promissory note, was also tried and judgment was given in full to the plaintiff.

MISCHIEF GOT THEM IN JAIL.

Colored Boys Took T. J. Carey's Horses Without Asking the Owner.

The puzzle which Councilman Tunis J. Carey has been considering for some time has been solved. He used to find that several of his horses were completely used up when morning came and he wondered. Now it has been discovered that two colored lads have been visiting his barn on West Front street, borrowing his horses without leave, driving them most of the night and then leaving them in the barn again in an exhausted condition.

It is alleged that the two young offenders were Jim Connett and George Kline. Kline was arrested and locked up by Constable Mattox last evening on a warrant issued by Justice Nash. Connett gave himself up last night and appeared for a hearing this morning with Kline. They were held in $100 bail to await the action of the Grand Jury. The charge is malicious mischief. They cannot get bail.

DIDN'T PAY FOR HIS BOARD

Oscar Vaughn Accused of Making False Pretences to His Landlord.

Oscar Vaughn was arrested by Patrolman Higgins last evening on a warrant issued by Justice Nash, charging him with securing board on false pretences. The complainant is Walter Williams, of West Fourth street. He says that Vaughn claimed to be in the employ of the Potter Press Works and promised an order for his board bill. He was not working and left, it is alleged, without paying the bill.

Vaughn is also charged by the police with attempting to commit suicide. He says that he was merely trying to avoid a train on the railroad and had no intention of throwing himself in front of a passing train.

He was held in $100 bail for a hearing tomorrow morning.

A Flood of Scalding Water.

This morning about 10:30 a serious accident was narrowly averted at Henry A. Voehl's bakery on Somerset street. The water-back in the kitchen range burst and threw a large quantity of water all over the kitchen. It was thought that the house would take fire, and an alarm was sent from Box 141 at the corner of Manning avenue and Somerset street by a young man named DeCamp. In the meantime, Mr. Voehl and his men succeeded in repairing the trouble. The oil cloth on the floor was scalded in spots by the boiling water that gushed forth from the range, but fortunately no one happened to be near the range at the time. The fire apparatus was not taken out. Mr. Voehl at once secured a plumber and had a new water-back put in to replace the damaged one. The cause assigned for the break is a defective water-back.

Their Tenth Wedding Anniversary.

The tenth anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. David T. Kenney, of 151 Grove street, was celebrated at their residence last evening. Mr. and Mrs. Kenney received the many friends who came to congratulate them upon the occasion and the evening was spent in a most pleasurable manner. It was a repetition of the day that was being celebrated with most of the friends present who came to congratulate the couple ten years ago.

Death of Mrs. Fenesey.

The death of Mrs. Bridget Fenesey, a widow, aged 80 years, occurred at her home, 534 West Fourth street, last evening. She leaves two daughters and one son. The latter is the station agent at the Fanwood station on the Central Railroad. The funeral will be held from St. Mary's church at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning. Interment will be in St. Mary's cemetery.

—Additional locals on page 3.

A BRILLIANT WEDDING.

Marriage of Dr. Louis G. Newman and Miss Lillian M. Wright in New York.

A pretty and largely attended wedding last evening was that of Miss Lillian M. Wright, the only child of Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Clark Wright, to Dr. Louis Gilbert Newman, of Brewster, N. Y., which took place at 8 o'clock in the Union Methodist Episcopal church, in West Forty-eighth street, New York city, of which the bride's father is pastor. The floral decorations were elaborate and effective, and some special music was contributed by the regular choir of the church, assisted by professional musicians. As the bridal party entered the church at 8 o'clock the choir sang the bridal chorus from "Lohengrin," and during the ceremony there was subdued music played by the organist. The officiating clergymen were the brides's father, Rev. Dr. Wright; Rev. Dr. Richards, of this city; Rev. Dr. S. Parkes Cadman, of the Metropolitan Tabernacle, New York; Rev. Dr. James M. Yeager, of Carmel, N. Y.; Rev. Dr. William N. Searles, of New York, and Rev. E. L. Hoffecker, of Kingston, N. Y. The bride, a beautiful young woman, wore a gown of white satin trimmed with point lace and chiffon. Her veil of tulle was caught up with orange blossoms, and she carried a bouquet of lillies of the valley. Her only attendant was her cousin, Miss Alice M. Lent, of New Rochelle. The bridegroom, who formerly lived in this city, and a graduate of the Homœpathic University, of New York, had as best man his brother, Frederick B. Newman, of Williams College.

The ushers, New York University men, were Dr. Klots, Dr. Ives, of Mount Vernon; Campbell C. Carmichel, Frank W. Dobbs, E. V. Valentine, Charles Fletcher Lent and Wm. Sebrecht. There was no reception. Dr. and Mrs. Newman leaving the city on their honeymoon trip. They will pass some time in Tennesse, and on their return will live in Brewster.

Searing-Pruden Nuptials.

A pretty wedding was solemnized last evening when Miss Mabel Pruden became the wife of Augustus Searing, at the home of the bride's parents, 148 East Second street. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C E. Herring, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, of which both the bride and groom are members. Only the immediate relatives of the couple were present at the ceremony, and after a wedding supper had been served, Mr. and Mrs. Searing left upon their wedding journey. Upon their return they will reside in their own house on Westervelt avenue.

Likely to Appeal to the Courts.

A meeting of the objectors to the report of the Watchung avenue Commissioners in the borough, was held last evening in the basement of St. Joseph's church. There was a large attendance of those interested, including Lawyer G. W. Bird, Andrew Lutkins, Richard Boyce, Messrs. Daley as leaders of the movement to carry the matter to the courts. No definite action was taken at the meeting but another meeting will be held soon when it is believed that some decisive steps will be taken.

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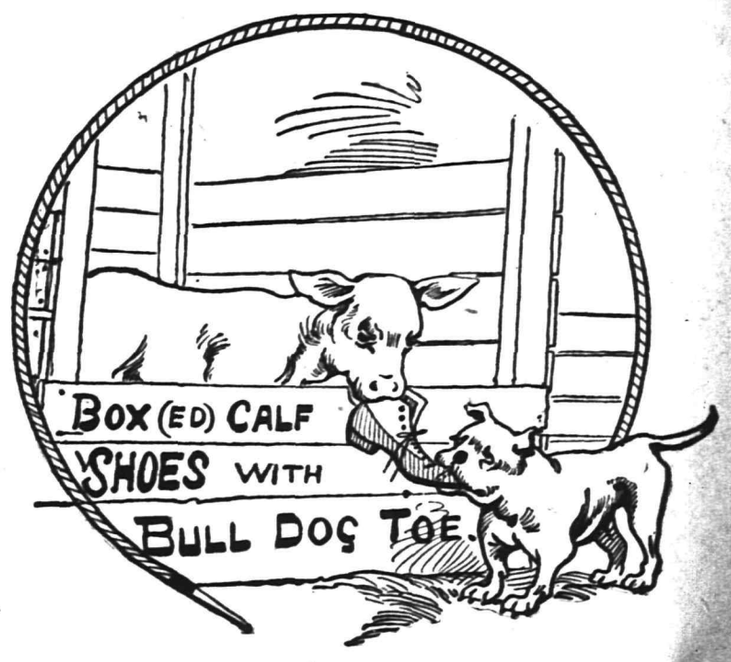

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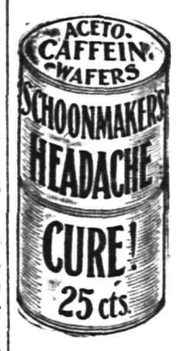

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Children's Knee Pants	150	1.00
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Children's Overcoats	6.00	3.98
Children's Suits	4.00	2.98
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Men's Pants	1.75	.98
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Men's Suits	9 50	5.48
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Men's Working Shirts	.50	.29
" Shirts and Drawers	.50	.39
" Neckwear	.50	.39
" Sweaters	.50	.18
Men's Derby Hats (large assortment)	2.00	1.30
" " "	3.00	1.90
" " " (a large assortment)	1.50	1.00
Soft Hats		38c up
Large assortment of Gloves		25c up

THIS IS ONLY A FEW BARGAINS WE OFFER, COME AND SEE THE REST.

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K. A. O. E. INSTITUTED.

AUSPICIOUS BEGINNING OF THE CHARTER SENATE OF NEW JERSEY.

Its Membership is of the Highest Character and Standing in the Community—Names of Officers Installed.

Plainfield is the home of many prosperous and substantial lodges of secret orders, but never was one inaugurated under more auspicious circumstances than Plainfield Senate, Knights of the Ancient Essenic Order, which was officially instituted last night in Masonic Hall in the Babcock building. It is the 621st senate in the world and has the distinctive honor of being the charter one in New Jersey, with 101 members of the highest character and standing in the community.

It was early in last June when Major Samuel W. Wall, supreme deputy organizer, arrived in town for the purpose of organizing a senate here. It was not an encouraging outlook before Mr. Wall, considering the fact that he was a total stranger and had come into a city already prolific with institutions very similar in general purposes to the one with which he was identified. But his ability as organizer was demonstrated last night in the fine body of men present at the meeting, whom he had induced to constitute the senate.

The senate was instituted by Gen. C. J. Weatherby, of Biloxi, Miss., supreme ruler of the order, assisted by Col. George C. Campbell, of Massachusetts, and Major Wall. Previous to last night eighty-three members had taken the secret work in lecture form, and last night eighteen more were given the lecture by General Weatherby, at the conclusion of which the senate was instituted by the installation of officers and the declaration of the supreme ruler.

After the officers had been inducted into the offices and their duties explained to them by the instituting officers, brief remarks were made by General Weatherby, Col. Campbell and Major Walls. Delegations of Knights were present from Newark and New Brunswick, where senates are being organized and will be instituted in a short time.

The officers of the senate are as follows: Excellent senator, Frank H. Smith; senior seneshal, William N. Runyon; junior seneshal, Frank Jones; sarcedas, Nathan Titsworth, secretary, Clarence L. Murphy; treasurer, George O. Stevens; trustees, E. V. French, Charles B. Sturdevant and L. S. Pocock; senior vigilante, Frank Blatz; junior vigilante, Fred W. Stack; councilors, H. C. VanEmburgh, J. S. Higham, Robert Clark, C. J. McNabb, Thomas Smith, F. D. Randolph, Alonzo Titsworth, M. C. VanArsdale, C. E. Teel, George Schoonmaker and C. C. Pierson.

At the conclusion of the meeting the members adjourned to the banquet room, where a sumptuous spread was served by Caterer Stephenson. During the course of the refreshments numerous selections were rendered by the musical talent of the senate.

The senate will meet the second and fourth Wednesdays in each month in Red Men's Hall.

The objects of the order are purely fraternal and social, no direct financial benefits being attached to it.

A Plainfielders Advancement.

The Electric Arc Light Company has removed its offices from 687 689 Broadway, to the American Tract Society building, 150 Nassau street. William C. Hubbard, of 427 West Seventh street, Plainfield, has been elected secretary and general salesagent of the company and will have charge of the new office. Mr. Hubbard is a pioneer in the enclosed-arc lamp business, having been associated with Prof. L. B. Marks from the first experiments in this line, and assisted largely in the introduction of the "Pioneer" arc lamp.

City Nurse Resigns.

Miss Rendall, who for some time past has been employed by the city union of King's Daughters, has resigned her position, and for the present Miss Palmer, a nurse at the hospital, is filling the position. Commencing with December 1st, Miss Hartranft, who is now assistant superintendent at the hospital, will take the position permanently. Miss Rendall has decided to adopt other lines of similar work.

Life on the Bridge.

The second illustrated lecture entitled "Life on the Bridge" (Constantinople) will be given by H. K. Samuelian in Y. M. C. A. Hall this evening at 8 o'clock. The lecture is said to represent the crowd passing in great waves, each one of which is of a hundred colors, and every group of persons represent a new style of people. Reference to another column of this paper will show the remarkably low price of admission.

PARKS AGAIN VICTOROUS.

STILL HOLD CHALLENGE TROPHY

The North End Club, of Newark, Were the Defeated Ones—Other Whist Games for the Week.

The Park Club whist four added another victory to their already long list last evening. It was another contest for the Park Club challenge trophy which the Parks took away from the Elizabeth Athletic Club two weeks ago. Last week the Parks defeated the North End Club, of Newark, and this week the new challengers, the New Jersey Whist Club, of Newark, came to this city in an effort to win the trophy.

The Parks took a lead at the start and retained it to the end, although their opponents braced up in the third round and decreased the lead. The final score was 15 to 12, the Parks winning by three tricks. The game was close enough to be exciting and the Park team found the visitors worthy adversaries.

The New Jersey Whist Club was represented around the tables by Dr. Long, and Messrs. Rose, Foerster and Tappin. The regular team represented the Park Club. This was the fourteenth victory for the cup since it was offered.

Friday evening the Park Club four will go to Newark to play the Otis team of the New Jersey Whist Club for the American Whist League challenge trophy. The Otis team is composed of several of the same players that came to Plainfield as representatives of the North End Club and include some of the best players in the State. Although from the same club as the team that was defeated by the Parks last evening, the players are different.

Saturday evening all New Jersey plays the Atlentic Association for the Auxiliary trophy. The Atlentic Association includes Pennsylvania, Delaware and Maryland. There will be forty players on either side. The Park Club will furnish six, Messrs. Townsend, McCutchen, Howell, Rogers, Reed and Matthews.

LUCETTA'S INCREASED FUNDS.

$105 Turned In as a Result of the Contest for a Bicycle.

An entertainment and dance was given last evening in Washington Hall under the auspices of Lucetta Council, Daughters of Liberty. The programme consisted of an overture by Nathan Guttman's orchestra, recitations by Miss Try Mattox, Miss Belle DeMott and W. R. Mattox, songs by B. W. Hand, cornet solo by Nathan Guttman, xylophone solos by Clarence Hillman. Two tableaux were given. The first was entitled "The New Woman," and was presented by Mr. Whiteneyberger and Miss Messler. The second tableau was called "Americans," and was attractively arranged. Miss Emma Stratton represented the Goddess of Liberty, and the part of Uncle Sam was taken by Fred. Ross. The Indian character was taken by Miss Sadie Mattox, while Mrs. Robinson, Miss Try Mattox and Miss White, represented the Red, White and Blue.

A great deal of interest was manifested in the awarding of the contest for the bicycle, which was contested for by several members of the council. John Bowman, of Pioneer Council, Bound Brook, secured the wheel, as he turned in the largest sum of money, $68. Mrs. Oliver Voorhis was second, and she collected $20. Mrs. W. W. Stratton turned in $12 and Mrs. Halfpenny $5. In all $105 was given over to the council.

Those who composed the committee in charge of the affair were Miss Try Mattox, chairman; Miss White, W. W. Stratton, B. W. Hand, W. B. Ayers and Mrs. W. R. Mattox.

Revival Services.

Tomorrow evening revival services will be commenced at Grace M. E. church. The "Drew Quartette," from Drew Theological Seminary, will have charge of the services, and will speak as well as sing. They will remain here until Monday night, and will return to the church next week Friday and will remain until the following Monday. This arrangement is made so that studies will not be interfered with at the Seminary.

Damrosch Recital.

An explanatory recital on the piano will be given by Walter Damrosch, the well-known orchestral conductor, at the Casino tonight. The recital will be on Wagner's opera, "Tristan and Isolde." Walter Damrosch will be the guest this evening of Mrs. Pierre Mali, of East Front street.

Druggist Randolph to Build a Home.

B. A. Hegeman, Jr., of Washington Park, has sold one of his valuable lots on Myrtle avenue to L. W. Randolph, the Front street druggist. Mr. Randolph will at once commence the erection of a handsome home for himself.

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YET IN HIS TEENS HE TRAGICALLY ENDS HIS LIFE

Eighteen-year-old Boy Hired a Hotel Room to Use as a Death Chamber.

Bertram Weitheimer Came From New York to Plainfield and Committed Suicide by Drinking Carbolic Acid and Shooting Himself in the Abdomen With a Revolver—Died in the Hospital.

Why Bertram Weitheimer, of 342 East 62d street, New York, came to Plainfield yesterday afternoon and attempted to commit suicide at Schorb's Hotel on East Front street is the all-absorbing question that is puzzling the police of this city. Such was the case, however, and the result of the well attempted effort was successful.

It was 2:09 o'clock yesterday afternoon when Mr. Weitheimer arrived in Plainfield on the Central Railroad train due in this city at that time. He was of medium height, well dressed in the latest fashion, and had the appearance of being a prosperous young man. He was a German-Jew and about 18 years of age.

Soon after his arrival he went to Schorb's Hotel and made arrangements for a night's lodging. He at first called at Henry Haurand's saloon and inquired of Frank Haurand, the bartender, where the proprietor was. The man was directed to the second floor where Mrs. Schorb lives, and when he ascended the stairs and entered Mrs. Schorb's room, there were present Mrs. Rochet, her daughter, Miss Josie Rochet, William Trust and Mrs. Schorb. Mr. Weitheimer made known his errand and Mrs. Schorb gave him the choice between a room for thirty-five cents and one for fifty cents. He decided to take the former room. In his hand he carried a neatly-wrapped package, which was missing last evening after the fatality occurred. He informed Mrs. Schorb that he had some business about town and he would return later and he soon afterward left the hotel.

It was about 4:15 when he returned to the hotel, and he immediately went to his room. He had not been in his room over ten minutes when those in the room below heard some strange noises as though someone was in great agony. Miss Josie Rochet was the first one to hear the noise, and she spoke to her mother about it. Just then Mrs. Rochet heard the same noise but she thought little of it at first, for she was of the opinion that it came from the saloon. The groans continued and an investigation was deemed best. Mrs. Rochet ascended the stairs to the floor above where the stranger was located. When nearly to the top of the stairs she looked up and noticed that the door of the room occupied by Weitheimer was open, and stretched out on the bed was the stranger.

He was groaning and fighting the air frantically as though mad. Without going further she returned to her room and told what she had seen. Immediately Mr. Trust hastened for Sergeant Kiely and Dr. Long. The former arrived first and took charge. Soon afterward Dr. Long arrived. The man was found in an unconscious condition, but apparently in terrible agony. On a table close to the bed was a wine glass and a small bottle labeled "carbolic acid." Dr. Long endeavored to ascertain whether the man had taken any acid, but was unable to detect the odor of the acid on his breath. Lying on the floor near the bed was a revolver of 32 calibre. One cartridge had been used, the ball out of which had entered the left side of the abdomen. The man was undressed.

Dr. Long made an examination and found that the man was in a very critical condition. He thought it best to have him taken to the hospital and the ambulance was sent for. This was between 4:30 and 5 o'clock. A search was made about the room and through the man's clothes to see if there was anything by which he could be identified. But all efforts failed in this direction until later in the evening, when Miss Moss, superintendent at the hospital, through great effort, succeeded in arousing the man sufficiently to get his name and address as given above. No further information was she able to secure, for he lapsed off into unconsciousness and so remained until he died.

The police locked the door to the room at the hotel after removing Whitehamer and later they returned and made a search. They found a note torn into shreds and were able to learn that it was from Elizabethport and was addressed to "Harry." The clothes were taken in charge and will be sent back to Brooklyn with the body. The case is being investigated and later developments may disclose the object of the deed.

Miss Josie Rochet says that she heard the discharge of the pistol at the hotel, but it was not a loud report. Mr. Trust states that when he left the stranger in his room he opened the window so that the room might be aired, but when the man was found by the police the window was closed tightly.

Weitheimer wore a dark suit of clothes of exceedingly fine texture, a light overcoat, a brown derby and patent leather shoes. He also carried some jewelry, very little money, and any number of pocket novelties, but not a piece of paper, a letter or a card was found on him.

Dr. Long, in conversation with a Daily Press reporter this morning, said that Weitheimer drank an ounce of carbolic acid, but first the odor of it could not be detected, the effects of it were seen in the mouth and throat after he was taken to the hospital. Last evening the full hospital staff was in attendance and an operation was performed on the abdomen. The bullet was not found, but the traces of it showed that it had penetrated the stomach. The acid alone was sufficient to cause death, and no doubt the real cause.

Weitheimer died at 9 o'clock this morning, and ten minutes before he died he aroused from unconsciousness and told Miss Moss, the superintendent, concerning himself. He said that his father was living in Germany, and that he has a sister living in New York who is a dressmaker. He secured a promise that his address would not be given, but it was in the vicinity of the address given above. He also stated that he had been employed in New York as a bookkeeper, but just where he refused to tell. He told Miss Moss that he had no desire to live and wanted to die. When asked why he committed the deed, he refused to divulge the secret.

Miss Moss sent a telegram to the dead man's sister this morning, and Chief Grant went to New York this morning to ascertain concerning the relatives and what should be done with the body.

The bottle containing the carbolic acid was purchased in New York, as was shown by the name on the bottle, part of which was defaced.

RECEPTION OF A CHURCH AID.

Helping Hand Society Entertained in a Charming Manner.

The Helping Hand Society of the Grace P. E. church gave a reception to their friends in the parish house last evening. The reception proved a charming affair and was well attended by the members of the congregation of that church. The members of the society, under the direction of their president, Mrs. W. T. Pelletier, received the guests and then passed the refreshments later during the evening. The rooms were charmingly decorated for the occasion, the prevailing color of the decorations being light green. Rugs, easy chairs and divans are arranged about the rooms and gave them the finishing touch needed.

Young Westervelt Out of Jail.

Former Deputy Sheriff W. H. Reynolds became bondsman for Charles Westervelt yesterday, one of the young men charged with the Frucht robbery. The bail was fixed at $500, and the recognizance is for Westervelt's appearance at an examination to be held tomorrow morning.

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GIVEN LICENSES AT LAST.

Campbell, at Summit, and Huber, at Westfield, Have Applications Granted.

After a fight which has lasted nearly two years, Joseph F. Campbell, of Summit, obtained a license yesterday from the Union County Court. Campbell was in business in Summit for several years, and about two years ago built a new saloon. The law and order people protested against the granting of a license on the ground that the saloon was too close to the town hall, and also in proximity to a school.

They presented a big remonstrance to the court and have succeeded in holding up the license at every term of the court until now. Campbell's bondsmen are Prosecutor F. C. Marsh and County Detective Keron.

Michael A. Huber, of Westfield, whose license application has also been held up for some time by the court, was granted permission yesterday to open his place for business.

—Frank W. Morse will move next week from his flat in the Jackson building to his new residence at Garwood.

DON'T WANT TO JOIN A. A. U.

BASKET BALL PLAYERS PERPLEXED.

The Game is Becoming so Popular That an Effort is Being Made to Keep Professionals out.

There is trouble in the ranks of the basket ball players, not only in this city but throughout the State. The trouble is occasioned by the action of the Amateur Athletic Union which compels the players, as far as possible, to come into the fold of that organization.

Until this year there has been nothing said about the A. A. U. in regard to the basket ball games that have been played throughout the country. At first the game was almost exclusively confined to Y. M. C. A.'s, but now it is gaining in favor among the athletic clubs and colleges of the country and the A. A. U., which is the governing body in regard to athletics in this country, has decided that the game should come under its protection to keep from it the taint of professionalism, which it was claimed was gradually creeping into the game.

All members of the A. A. U. have to pay yearly dues of $1, and it is also necessary to pay $1 to the union. Members are forbidden from playing against those who are not members and it is necessary to have the games sanctioned by the A. A. U., under penalty of suspension.

Now the Plainfield boys are not anxious to join the A. A. U., but, under the present outlook, it appears that they will have to if they want to play any of the outside teams, most of which have joined the union. Several of the best players on the Plainfield team have utterly refused to join and, while several others are already members, the team will have to be either one or the other. The boys are still practicing but, unless some new way of getting out of the present situation appears, the Plainfield team will not have the strong team, if any, on the floor that she expected to have, or would have, but for this very unexpected course of events.

JUSTICE STORMS CRITICISED.

Charged That Certain Fees Were Not Turned Over to County Clerk.

Alfred Storms, a justice of the peace, of New Market, was severely criticised in the Court of Common Pleas of Middlesex county, at New Brunswick yesterday morning, by ex-Senator Robert Adrain. It was in the case of Kelly Brothers against Fred J. Harris. Mr. Adrain asked that the case be put on the list. "The County Clerk," said Mr. Adrain, "has not put the case on the list because Justice Storms, before whom the case was tried in the first place, has not sent in the fees. These were paid over to him. This may be a case of forgetfulness, and then again it may not. At any rate justices of the peace in this glorious county of Middlesex have been known to do this sort of thing before. We want the case to go on the list, and, if necessary, will pay the fees a second time." The case was ordered placed on the trial list.

Borough Drunks.

A batch of cases were treated in Recorder Thomas court this morning, all of them being drunk and disorderly. John Murphy was arrested this morning by Marshal Wise, and was released after paying a $10 fine. John Pope was found at the Arlington Hotel early this morning causing a disturbance. His hearing was set down for this evening Mrs. Hannah Vandevoort, who lives near the mountain, was intoxicated yesterday afternoon and was arrested. This morning she paid a $4 fine and was released. In default of paying his fine John McElroy was taken to Somerville this afternoon by Constable Hansen, and will spend thirty days at that place.

Examined the Bridge.

The members of the Somerset County Board of Freeholders met in this city Tuesday afternoon to examine the Watchung and Sycamore avenue bridges. They spent considerable time at the bridge and seemed to be very much satisfied with the work and the progress of it.

Busy Time for Dressmakers.

As an evidence of the great interest that the social circles are taking in the coming Spielkartenfest, it may be noted that the Plainfield dressmakers declared that they have not been so busy for many months as at present in preparing the many gowns for the different dances.

Now a Paying Teller.

F. S. Cutter, of Richmond street, has secured a very desirable position in the New Amsterdam Bank, corner of Broadway and 39th street, New York, that of one of the paying tellers at the ladies' window, and he entered upon his duties Monday morning.

—Next Monday evening the City Council will hold its regular November meeting.

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PLIGHTED LOVE FOR LIFE

NUPTIAL VOWS TAKEN BY POPULAR COUPLE BENEATH A FLORAL BELL.

Miss Minnie Zeisz the Bride and Charles H. VanMiddlesworth, of Brooklyn, the Groom—The House Prettily Decorated.

Amid a large concourse of admiring relatives and friends, Miss Minnie Zeisz, daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth Zeisz, of Chatham street, and Charles Henry VanMiddlesworth, of Brooklyn, were united in marriage last evening at the home of the bride, by Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph. D., pastor of Trinity Reformed church.

The house was beautifully decorated with autumn leaves and flowers, while in one corner of the parlor, where the ceremony was performed, was a large arch of flowers, in the centre of which was suspended a white floral bell.

At the appointed hour, 8:30, Miss Matie VanHorn, who presided at the piano, rendered the "Bridal Chorus," from Lohengrin. At the same time the bridal procession entered the parlor. First came Miss Lillian Zeisz, sister of the bride, and Miss Stella Apgar, who acted as bridemaids. They were gowned in white organdie over pink silk, trimmed with pink satin ribbons, and they carried bouquets of pink roses. Following was the bride and groom. The bride was richly gowned in white organdie over white silk. She wore a veil which was caught up with orange blossoms, and she carried a shower bouquet of bridal roses. Then came the groomsmen, Theodore A. Kurzhals, of this city, and Howard Lacy, of Brooklyn. The party formed a circle beneath the floral bell, and during the ceremony the wedding march was played by Miss VanHorn.

After the ceremony, congratulations were showered on the two popular young people, and following a brief social time a wedding supper was served.

Mr. and Mrs. VanMiddlesworth received bountifully from their relatives and friends, in the way of useful and ornamental presents, and they will find the gifts very handy in their new home in Brooklyn. The groom has a lucrative position in the City of Churches, and his employer very kindly remembered him in a handsome manner by furnishing one room complete in his new home.

The house was thronged with guests from Brooklyn, New York, Westfield, Elizabeth, Newark, Dunellen and Plainfield, and when the bride and groom left the house for Brooklyn, they found it exceedingly difficult to get away, for the guests played all sorts of tricks on them. They will go to housekeeping at once, and next Sunday evening a reception will be given them at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry VanMiddlesworth, on West Front street.

Exempts May Have New Uniforms.

The Exempt Firemen held their regular meeting last evening and discussed the advisability of purchasing new uniforms. Samples from several clothing manufacturers throughout the country were submitted for examination, but nothing definite was decided. The committee having in charge the old hand-engine reported that arrangements would be made to have it brought to Plainfield in a short time. Other business transacted was of a routine nature.

Justice Newcorn's Court.

The case of Thompson against Smith, on contract, in Justice Newcorn's court, was adjourned today for a week. Summons were issued in the following contract cases, all returnable on the 4th: Weigman against Smith, Hand against Mier, Linke against Muldowney, Werner against Seeder, Tomlinson against Wilmot, Tomlinson against Kane.

An Assistant Inspector.

Division Inspector F. D. Morse, of the Sons of Veterans, has appointed Past Captain H. C. McVoy, of Camp 28, this city, as one of the assistant inspectors of the division, and he will inspect Camp 40, at Somerville next Monday evening.

—Justice Moffett has issued an attachment in the case of McVey against Francisco.

—A meeting of the Martin Act Commissioners will be held in the Mayor's office tonight.

—Perseverance Lodge, Knights of Pythias, will hold its regular meeting tomorrow evening.

—The gypsies, who were encamped at Avon Park, have moved on to their next stopping place.

—L. N. Lovell, of Crescent avenue, left yesterday morning for Pennsylvania on a business trip. He will be away for several days.

—There will be no regular matches at the Gentlemen's Driving Park Saturday afternoon, although several of the horses will be at the track and impromptu trots will be arranged.

LOOKS LIKE FOUL PLAY

New York Central Wreck Perhaps Caused by Dynamite.

THE CORONER'S INQUEST

Hints at Revenge as the Motive—A Passenger Tells of a Bowlder Hurled Upon the Track Some Weeks Ago.

New York, Oct. 28.—Reports to the effect that Chauncey M. Depew had positively stated that the New York Central Railroad disaster at Garrison's was the work of dynamiting fiends is denied.

Mr. Depew, when seen by a reporter, said that although he recognized as a hypothesis the theory that a section of the railroad had been blown up by dynamite, and the awful result of Sunday the result of a crime, he was by no means ready to announce these statements as facts.

The examination into the cause of the wreck, Mr. Depew said, had been placed entirely in the hands of Col. Katte, who is regarded as the chief expert on the subject of explosives in the United States. He is assisted by a large staff. The colonel had for many years been in the employ of the New York Central Railroad.

"There are many things," said Mr. Depew, "both for and against the train-wrecking theory. No one heard any explosion; on the other hand, 'the vertical cut in the rock,' and the suddenness of the disaster would argue that criminals had placed dynamite there. Of one thing you may be sure, the investigation will not be stopped until every circumstance which is at present shrouded in doubt is brought to light."

Some One's Revenge.

"If the embankment of the railroad was torn up by dynamite, the motive of those who did it was not robbery, but revenge," was the statement made by one official of the road at Garrison's. One of the roadmasters said to his fellow officials that the excavation looked to him like the work of dynamite. The tendency of dynamite is to blast downward rather than upward or outward, and a very light charge of dynamite would have collapsed a section of track fully as extensive as the section in question.

The locomotive was found in the river at least thirty feet south of the depression in the track, which makes it seem reasonably certain that the engine leaped the space before it started in its plunge into the mud bottom of the river. It is known that the engineer had shut off his steam and applied the air brakes to the train before the crash came, and those circumstances lead the officials to believe that Engineer Foyle saw that something was wrong with the track before he went into the river with his engine. Still, it is admitted that he would have instantly applied the brakes the moment that he felt his engine sinking.

A gentleman who travels from Garrison's to New York every morning said that three weeks ago this same train, No. 46, had a narrow escape from being wrecked at a point about two miles south of the spot where it finally met its fate. A bowlder weighing two tons was discovered on the track just in time for the train to be stopped. The bowlder must have fallen from the top of the mountain, for it cleared the inland track and landed squarely on the down track.

The Inquest.

Cold Springs, N. Y., Oct. 28.—Coroner William T. Wood, of this town, began his inquest last night into the cause of the deaths of the nineteen or twenty persons who lost their lives in the accident on Sunday morning. John P. Donohue is foreman of the jury, and District Attorney A. J. Bennett Southard, of Putnam County, conducted the examination.

William Patterson was the most satisfactory of the witnesses. He had been a porter on the railroad, he testified, for thirty-one years. He was the only one who was able to describe the character of the break in the earth of the roadbed. Each of the others said that they saw a circular hole in the ground and the tracks were gone, but none of them could tell whether the wall beyond was gone or what the character of the break in the rail was, although Mr. Southard tried hard to find out whether the earth there had simply slid off, leaving a slanting line of rail from the edge of the break towards the river, or whether the earth had parted with a perpendicular break. Mr. Patterson said that he had been riding over that part of the road for thirty years and never heard or thought that portion to be more dangerous than any other.

The hearing lasted more than an hour, and was productive of no information whatever bearing upon the cause of the disaster. The inquest was adjourned until Nov. 4.

Chief Detective Humphrey, of the railroad, was asked last evening if the arrest of any persons was contemplated on suspicion of having caused the wreck of the express.

Mr. Humphrey admitted that the railroad company suspects that the roadbed was blown out by dynamite, but refused to divulge any information. He said that his instructions were to report the result of his investigations personally to President Depew.

No Evidence of Dynamite.

President Depew, of the New York Central, said yesterday that his statement regarding dynamite as a possible cause of Sunday's accident has been misinterpreted. He did not say that dynamite was a probable cause, but that dynamite could have caused the accident. There is absolutely no evidence to show that dynamite was used.

"We are as much as ever in the dark as to the cause of the accident," said President Depew. "I do not believe that the fault was in the condition of the roadbed or in the seawall. The facts we know are that the roadbed was in good condition less than an hour before the accident, and the fact that the throttle of the sunken engine was closed seems to show that when the Buffalo special came along Engineer Foyle saw something wrong with the track and tried to stop his train."

Senator Morgan, ill at San Diego, Cal., is reported better.

SALE OF UNION PACIFIC.

The Government Will Get Dollar for Dollar of Its Debt.

Washington, Oct. 28.—"The problem of the Government's relations to the Pacific railroads has been solved," said Attorney-General McKenna to a reporter yesterday. "It will get dollar for dollar of its debt on the Union Pacific, and in consequence of that result, the Central Pacific must in settlement of its indebtedness pay the same. It cannot escape from that now. And this Administration thinks it is entitled to the credit for bringing about this condition of affairs. Who would have thought, even as late as a month ago, that the United States would ever get out all the money she had put into the Union Pacific? I venture that nobody except President McKinley and myself. We started with a proposition from the Reorganization Committee to pay $48,000,000 for the roads; to-day it agrees to pay $58,000,000 for the Union Pacific alone, leaving the Kansas Pacific line to be disposed of separately. At most, if the Kansas Pacific be sold at its lowest possible price, under the terms of Judge Sanborn's decree, the Government stands to lose $7,000,000, a large sum, it is true, but comparatively a small one. But the Government will get every dollar of its debt on that line, as well as that on the Union Pacific. The Reorganization Committee, in its prospectus, provides for the placing of over $30,000,000 of securities on the Kansas line—a fair indication, certainly, of their idea of its value.

"The sensational publications have been only detrimental to the interests of the Government," said the Attorney General. "The continual assertion that the Government had sold the road to the reorganization committee created the impression that it was disposed of in advance, and it has only been within the last two weeks that the interested parties have come to believe that there was a show for any one beside the committee at the sale."

Attorney-General McKenna called attention to another misconception arising out of the proposition to postpone the sale.

"The Union and Kansas Pacific railroads," he said, "have never been dealt with as one property, and there has been no division suggested. The Union Pacific properties are to be sold next Monday, and the Kansas Pacific was to be sold on the 5th and 6th of November, but will now go over until Dec. 15."

"Will Coates & Co. buy the Kansas Pacific?" was asked.

"They may buy the Union Pacific," Mr. McKenna answered. "They have until to-morrow to deposit the $5,325,000 of cash and bonds with Commissioner Cornish at Omaha to qualify them as bidders under the terms of the decree. It can be done by telegraph, if they want to. But I expect the reorganization committee will buy the Kansas Pacific Railroad, as it will the Union Pacific, and pay the full amount of the Government's debt for it, after having gone as far as they have in underwriting securities for it under the new arrangement."

NEW JERSEY'S CAMPAIGN.

Six Senators and Sixty Members of the Lower House to Be Elected.

Trenton, Oct. 28.—While the political battle in Greater New York is about drawing to a close, the battle for control of the New Jersey Legislature, which means a great deal in the matter of the selection of a successor to James Smith in the United States Senate, has just about opened in real earnest.

This week all the candidates for the upper and lower branches of the Legislature which have been nominated, will file their certificates with the Secretary of State, and, as commanded by the law, that officer will proceed forthwith to prepare the official ballots to be cast in November next.

Besides the election of six Senators and sixty legislators for the lower House, there are local contests waging in nearly every county.

Six Senators are to be elected. Five of the counties where elections are to occur were represented in the last Senate by Republicans. The Democrats had Senator Kuhl from Hunterdon County.

This year the Democrats hope not only to retain Hunterdon, but to regain Sussex and Middlesex, and some pretend to believe that the Democrats have a chance of defeating Williams in Passaic, but it is safe to predict Mr. Williams' re-election.

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Me and My Children

so much good I purchased another supply. We continued taking Hood's Sarsaparilla until we used five bottles and I can safely say that neither myself nor children have any signs of the poison. It has entirely left us and we are perfectly cured. We give the whole credit to Hood's Sarsaparilla. Before resorting to this medicine I was reduced in weight, but now I weigh 175 pounds. Hood's Sarsaparilla has not only done much good but has been the means of saving me a great deal of money. I would not be without it in my house and I heartily recommend it to all who are afflicted." I have written this statement for publication, of my own will, as I want others to know what Hood's Sarsaparilla has done for us." CHARLES MORRIS.

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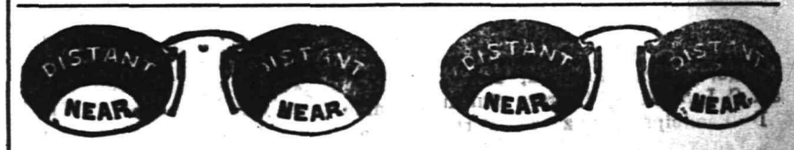

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A. R. Johnson, of Elizabeth, formerly of this city, was the guest of Plainfield friends yesterday.

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—The Union county Republican executive committee held a meeting at Elizabeth yesterday afternoon.

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Miss Ayers, of Grant avenue, has secured a position as saleswoman at Lederer's dry goods store.

A pain in the chest is nature's warning that pheumonia is threatened. Dampen a piece of flannel with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bind over the seat of pain, and another on the back between the shoulders, and prompt relief will follow. Sold by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Miss Jennie Morris, of New Brunswick, is visiting Plainfield relatives.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by druggists, price 75c per bottle.

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Henry Lovell, of Crescent avenue, has gone south on a business trip.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

John King, of Liberty street, spent Tuesday with friends in New Brunswick.

Thomas Coddington and family, of Mt. Bethel, are the guests of Plainfield friends.

Miss Mary VanEps, ot East Front street, is visiting relatives in the country.

W. S. Arthur, of New York, was the guest of Plainfield friends Tuesday evening.

Alfred E. Holmes, of East Fifth street, has been visiting friends at Cranbury, N. J.

Patrolman Myers is much improved from a severe illness which has laid him up for a time.

Miss M. G. Morse, of Franklin place, returned yesterday afternoon after a visit with friends in Cranbury, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward F. Randolph, of West Front street, have gone to Spring Valley, N. Y., to spend several days.

Miss Jennie Morris, of New Brunswick, was the guest of Miss Sadie Randolph, of West Eighth street, yesterday.

Mrs. W. H. Lyons and daughter, of Orange, are visiting Mrs. Lyons' sister, Mrs. G. R. Vanderhoef, of East Front street.

The funeral services of the late John Polhemus were held from the house at Somerville this afternoon at 12:30.

Miss Grace Rowland, of East Second street, entertained a few friends at her home last evening. A progressive whist game furnished amusement for the guests.

Miss Mabel Stevenson and Miss Anna Searles, of West Third street, who have been spending a few days with relatives in Somerville, have returned home.

Wm. F. Phillips, of New London, Conn., returned to his home yesterday morning after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Cardner, of Orange place.

Sydney Ross Titsworth, of West Fifth street, who is now studying at Alfred University, has been elected president of the freshman class in that institution.

Walter Damrosch, the well-known leader, who is to give a recital at the Casino this evening, is a guest at the home of Mrs. Pierre Mali, of whom he is a personal friend.

Mrs. T. H. Tomlinson, of LaGrande avenue, has been in attendance at the W. C. T. U. convention in Buffalo, and is now at Toronto attending the World's convention of the same association.

Mr. and Mrs. William Colfax and daughter, of Bloomfield, spent Tuesday and yesterday at the home of G. L. VanEmburgh, of East Second street. Mrs. Colfax is a brother of Mrs. VanEmburgh.

—The delegates in attendance at the Baptist State convention at Trenton have returned home.

Warerooms open till nine on Saturday evening.

Don't Miss This Chance!

During this great October Piano Sale, we're selling good new Upright Pianos for less money than equally good Pianos were ever sold before. $170 cash, or $190 on time, worth $250. Five years' guarantee with each.

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—Advertise in The Daily Press.

—Harold Chandor, of East Fifth street, has accepted a position in New York city.

—Fred W. Dunn, of Sandford avenue, has recently purchased a rubber-tired runabout.

—Thomas Ryder of Toronto, has been secured as a salesman in Lederer's dry goods store.

—A gang of Street Commissioner Gavett's men were at work yesterday cleaning the mud off Watchung avenue.

—Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Randolph, of West Second street, have given up their house and will board during the winter.

—A new culvert is being laid across LaGrande avenue at the intersection of that thoroughfare with Watchung avenue.

—Contractor Ferrier is about completing the work of building the foundations for the new Sycamore avenue bridge.

—A special missionary service will be held in Warren chapel tomorrow evening. A special address on the subject will be delivered.

—There is a low spot on East Seventh street, near Park avenue, that remains muddy long after the surrounding streets have dried up. It needs attention.

—George Feiring, of fire headquarters, assisted George Chester, of Prideville, in securing his release from the borough lockup yesterday by paying his fine.

—An entertainment will be given in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue church Saturday evening by the Cheerful Workers' Circle of King's Daughters.

—At the meeting of Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr., O. U. A. M., this evening, there will be reports from the delegates who are now attending the State convention of the order.

—Rev. George Hauser, pastor of the German Reformed church, has been secured by Dr. A. D. Warde to teach German at the New Jersey Military Academy. Mr. Hauser commenced work this week.

—City Judge DeMeza had a narrow escape from being struck by a train at the North avenue station, Wednesday morning. He turned to speak to a friend while crossing the track and did not notice an approaching freight train.

—The costumes for some of the dancers in the Spielkartenfest arrived on Tuesday evening so that the participants in several of the dances could have their photographs taken. These photographs are to form part of the programmes.

—One week from next Friday evening, in the Y. M. C. A. building, Mrs. Horton, of Cranford, will address the Young Woman's Mission Band, of Trinity Reformed church, and their friends. Mrs. Horton is no stranger in Plainfield, and there will no doubt be a large number of people who will desire to hear her.

—An illustrated lecture will be given this evening in the Y. M. C. A. Hall, by Rev. Hovhannes K. Samuelain, of Nicomedia, Turkey, for the benefit of the local post Volunteers of America. This is done in the hopes that the local post may be assisted in their efforts to clear themselves of their present indebtedness.

—The Newark Trading Stamp Company, with branch store at 133 East Front street, this city, are giving valuable presents to those who present their book filled with stamps either marked Sperry & Hutchinson or Newark Trading Stamp Company. There are no goods sold at the store or money received in part payment for goods. You fill your book with the above-named stamps and take it to their store and receive any article you may select in exchange. See their advertisement in this issue.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

(Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Partly Cloudy Weather, Preceded By Threatening Weather and Possibly Light Showers on the Coast Tonight; Stationary Temperature.

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 75 Degrees.

Have you paid your sewer tax? That's the question that Collector Bird wants The Press to put to every property owner in Plainfield. If you have, why it's all right. But if you haven't—you had better. Why? Because if the sewer tax is not paid before Monday Collector Bird will be obliged under the law to declare you a delinquent and publish your name, with the amount you owe, in the daily newspapers of the city. It is not always pleasant to have your name put in cold type as being a delinquent. So pay up.

The Woman's Town Improvement Association, of Plainfield, is in favor of a curfew bell ordinance, under which every child under the age of fifteen years must be home by 9 o'clock and stay there. Before the town can do anything like that it will require legislative authority, and the Legislature of New Jersey is apt to act slowly in considering a measure of that kind.—Tribune.

"Of an operation commonly looked upon with more resignation in this world of wickedness and small woes, a Mississippi paper says: "Some fiend incarnate, with the roaring furnaces of hell staring him in the face, entered the residence of John Jones Sunday night and stole the Presbyterian Sunday-school collection."

With the women of Plainfield trying to force the curfew bell on the community, the people of Hillsdale accusing a woman of witchery, and school trustees of Orange refusing to issue a certificate of graduation because the applicant writes poetry, we are wondering if this is 1897 or 7981.

According to the experience of a Topeka clergyman people out there will pay more to be married than they will to hear the gospel preached. He says he makes more by performing marriage ceremonies than he does by preaching.

LEFT WITH BOARDER'S OVERCOAT.

Former Dog Catcher Oscar Vaughn Arrested For Larceny.

Oscar Vaughn, former dog catcher of the borough, came before Justice Nash this morning on the charge of obtaining board from Walter Williams on false pretences. The complainant did not appear and Vaughn was released. Before he had time to leave the courtroom he was arrested on a warrant, issued by a Morristown justice and endorsed by Justice Nash, charging him with stealing an overcoat. He was taken to Morristown.

Vaugn accepted a position with the Rice Comedy Company early in the fall and started with them on a tour through the country. He went as far as Morristown when he found that the life of a traveling thespian was not all it was cracked up to be. He left, it is alleged, with an overcoat belonging to a boarder at the Morristown hotel on his back. An overcoat answering to the description of the missing one was found in the possession of a man who said that he bought it of Vaughn. Vaughn denied stealing the overcoat

A Chainless Wheel.

George W. Rockfellow, agent for the Columbia chainless bicycle, will receive a single wheel tomorrow to be put on inspection. He invites the public to call at his store, corner Park avenue and West Fourth street, and inspect it.

"Golden Slippers" in Destitution.

Miss Martha Quarters, colored, better known as "Golden Slippers," was removed to the City Industrial Home yesterday. She was found living in a barn on Mountain avenue in a destitute condition.

Scrofula is the advertisement of foul blood. It may be entirely driven from the system by the faithful use of Hood's Sarsaparilla, which thoroughly purifies the blood.

Hood's Pills are easy to take, easy to operate. Cure indigestion, biliousness. 25c.

—Lederer has a change of advertisement in today's Press that will prove interesting reading in all purchasers of dry goods. Look it over.

Interesting Local News on the Third Page.

COMING EVENTS.

October 28—District meeting of the Epworth League in Monroe Avenue church.
October 28—Rev. H. K. Samuelian will give his second illustrated lecture for the Y. M. C. A.
October 28—Damrosch concert at the Casino.
October 29—Cake and apron sale at Mrs. John Doull Miller's home, Watchung avenue and East Ninth street.
October 29—"Shore Acres" at Music Hall.
October 31—Men's meeting at Y. M. C. A., 4:15 p. m. Captain Agnes Cater, Minnie and Bertie Badenhaupt, will sing with guitar and auto harp.
November 1—Gymnasium classes for women and children taught by Miss MacMartin at the Y. M. C. A.
November 1—Miss MacMartins classes for ladies and children will be resumed in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium.

EPWORTHIANS ARE HERE

SECOND ANNUAL CONVENTION OF THE ELIZABETH DISTRICT.

Address of Welcome by Rev. W. C. O'Donnell and a Happy Response by Rev. F. Simmons—Increased Members.

The morning session of the second annual convention of the Epworth League of the Elizabeth district opened in the Monroe Avenue M. E. church, of this city, at 10 o'clock today. The pretty audience room was thronged with delegates to the number of about 250, who had gathered from over forty towns and cities along the line of the New Jersey Central Railroad from Allentown to Elizabeth, and from Perth Amboy, Metuchen, New Market and Staten Island.

The session opened with a short devotional service, led by Rev. W. C. Snodgrass, D. D., of this city. Rev. W. C. O'Donnell, pastor of the Monroe Avenue church, delivered the address welcoming the delegates to his church and to the city. The response to the welcome was given by Rev. F. S. Simmons, pastor of the Park M. E. church, of Elizabeth. He caused much merriment by declaring that he thought the pastor of the Monroe Avenue church ought to get married, and that he hoped the present convention would bring happy results for him.

Miss Anna Grace Adams, superintendent of the Deaconess Home, in New York city, made the principal address of the session, explaining the nature and the workings of the order to which she belongs. Her definition of a deaconess was "a consecrated, trained woman, divinely called to the service of the church."

At 11:45 o'clock the District President, Lewis E. Potter, of Woodbridge, announced the appointment of the following committee: On nomination, Rev. George W. Smith, D. D, of Plainfield; James Ramsey, of New Germantown, and Rev. J. B. J. Rhodes, of Lebanon; Mrs. Barnard, of Plainfield, and Isaac Stites, of Dunellen; auditing committee, Rev. Wesley Martin, of Flemington; A. H. Stites, of White House, and Miss Leora Wenzel, of Plainfield.

The report of the secretary, Rev. E. E. Roberson, of Whitehouse, showed a gain of 597 in membership since the organization of the district, and a general gain in all departments of the work. The treasurer of the district, Moorehouse, of Westfield, rendered the annual financial report showing receipts of $51.63 and disbursements of $32.82.

The report of the superintendent of Junior leagues was next read by Miss Charlotte Aldrich, of this city. It emphasized the need of more workers in the Junior field, and called attention to the fact that the largest Junior league in the district is that of the Monroe Avenue church, of this city, which has a membership of 125. The second largest Junior league in the district is at Tottenville, and the third largest is at the Grace M. E. church, of North Plainfield, which has 108 members.

At 12:30 o'clock the convention adjourned for luncheon, which was served in the First M. E. church.

A Church Anniversary.

The fifteenth anniversary of All Saints' church, of Scotch Plains, will be celebrated with appropriate services on All Saints' Eve., next Sunday. The programme will include an early celebration of holy communion at 9 o'clock in the morning, morning prayer with the Sunday-school at 10 o'clock, litany and holy communion with a sermon by the rector, Rev. Edward H. True, at 11 o'clock; union Sunday-school service of all the Sunday-schools of Scotch Plains, with addresses by several clergymen and laymen, at 3 o'clock; and at 8 o'clock the full choral even-song, by the choir of Holy Cross church, of North Plainfield.

A Great Thing for Overworked Women

E. B. Titsworth, of New street, who came to Plainfield when he was 23 years old, and who is now living the last half of his 81st year, has opened a store at 122 Park avenue, where he will sell washing machines. Mr. Titsworth is one of Plainfield's oldest merchants. He was the first man to erect a three-story building in this city, and W. C. Ayers did the work. The building was then known as Temperance Hall and is located next to Charles Smith's saloon on West Front street. Up to the present time Mr. Titsworth has sold over two thousand washing machines of his own make.

—The class of '98 of the Plainfield High School will hold a Hallowe'en party Saturday evening.

A VERY QUIET CAMPAIGN

POLITICAL AIDS ARE DOING THEIR WORK IN A PERSONAL MANNER

Local Republicans Will Hold a Meeting This Evening to Introduce Their County Candidates and Hear Some Remarks.

Plainfield is remarably quiet for four days before election. Of course, both parties are working but most of it is below the service. There are no great principles to expound to the people as at the last national election.

In Union county the fight is over three Assemblymen, the surrogate and the coroner. Political mass meetings have not been a feature of the campaign. Most of the work has been done in personal canvass. The Republicans claim that if they can get out the vote, they will win without trouble, hence most of their efforts will be to have all the Republicans at the polls. The two candidates for the Assembly in Elizabeth are counted on carrying considerable weight with the vote there. Roger F. Murray is looked upon as capable of drawing some of the Democratic votes in Plainfield besides rallying all the Republicans around the party banner.

Neither Rahway nor Summit have any of the plums on the Republican ticket, while Rahway is represented on the Democratic ticket. There the fight will also be on party lines, as the candidates of the two tickets are equally popular.

This evening, the Republicans will have their first outward demonstration in their headquarrers on East Front street. It is not to be a regular mass-meeting according to the general acceptance of the word, but the voters are invited to come and meet the candidates, see what nice fellows they are and spend a pleasant social time. The candidates will probably be called upon to say something.

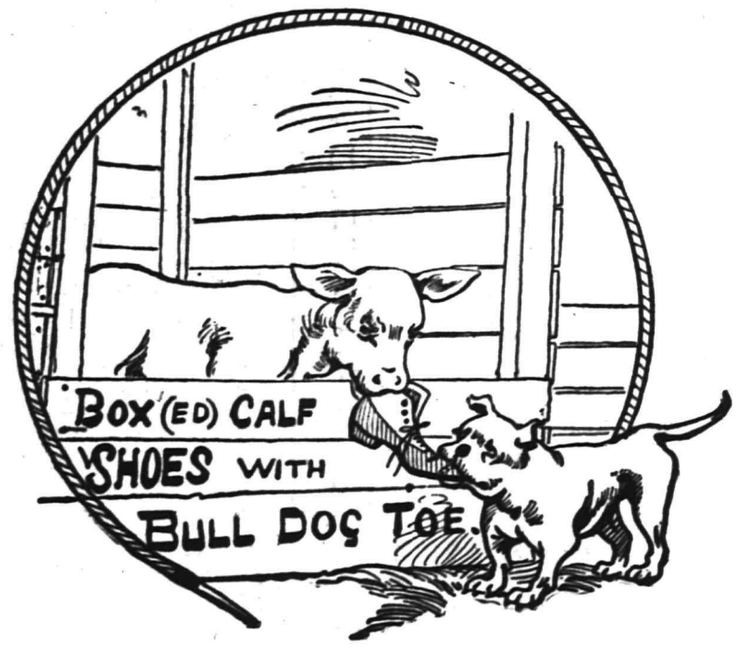
It is expected that all the candidates on the Republican ticket for Union county will be present and meet the local voters. Then there will be a great gathering of the local politicians and everybody will talk over the plans and chances for the election on Tuesday. The gathering is scheduled to begin at 8 o'clock.

John Crowell, Democratic candidate for surrogate of Union county, and Assembly Candidate Lawrence, of Elizabeth, are here today shaking hands with voters.

Selling Tickets South Now.

The Central Railroad Company is now selling tickets as far south as Georgia. The yellow fever is decreasing and no doubt will disappear shortly.

—At the meeting of Jerusalem Chapter, R. A. M., tonight, the Royal Arch degree will be conferred.



Ladies' calf bals, bull dog toes, $1.50; Ladies' calf bals, hand sewed, $2.25; Misses' calf lace shoes, all solid, $1.25; Children's calf lace shoes, $1.

Men's box calf bals, calf lined, invisible cork sole, $3.

Rubber sole, English cap toe, strictly water proof, men's shoes, $3.

Milton calf bals, calf lined, bull dog toe, invisible cork sole, $3.

Men's invisible cork sole calfskin shoes, bull dog toe, leather lined, SPECIAL $2. Men's invisible cork sole enameled bals, $2.50. Our leader men's double sole lace and congress shoes, $1.50.

Do not purchase any Winter shoes until you have seen these beauties. They are right, just right. We have the best boy's $1 shoe in the city.

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Frank Fulton has resigned his position at Leggett's drug store and accepted a similar position in New York city.

—A barn dance will be held this evening in the Lawton barn at South Plainfield. Many from this city will probably attend.

—The regular meeting of the McAll Auxiliary will be held at the Public Library Wednesday morning, Nov. 3d, at 10 o'clock.

—Thus far about thirty young men in this city have signed their names to the paper signifying their desire to join a company of militia in this city

—Eli Odam has purchased an interest in the Wheeler & Mayo Manufacturing Company, of Newark, manufacturers of electro silver-plated ware. He will probably remove to Newark next spring.

—I. J. Enyard, of Brooklyn, who was a resident of this city twelve years ago, has rented the furnished house at 127 East Ninth street, belonging to Mrs. J. K. Coards, and will take possession next Monday. The house was rented through Mulford's agency.

—An apron, cake and candy sale will be held at the residence of Mrs. John Doull Miller, of East Ninth street, tomorrow afternoon, by a number of the ladies of the Crescent Avenue church. The proceeds will be devoted to the work among the poor whites in the south that is now being conducted by Rev. E L. Walz, Jr.

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SPECIAL NOTICE!

We have just received our new

Fall Suitings and Trouserings.

Trousers to order, $5, $6 and $7.

Business Suits to order, $15 and $20.

SEBRING'S, 202 West Front Street.

Oak Dining Tables, $4.50 up.
Oak Sideboards, $9 up.
Oak Dining Chairs, 95c. each up.

POWLISON & JONES,

149-151 EAST FRONT ST.

SOME Phenomenal Chances ON Friday and Saturday.

Sensational Values in Cloak Department!

A big purchase at our own price enables us to offer these three unheard of values.

Black and navy Beaver jackets, fly front, half silk lined, 26 inch long, $3.50, worth $5.50.

Black Boucle jackets, fly front, Kersey strapped seams, half silk lined, 26 inch long, finely made, at $6.50, worth $9.

Black Astrachan jackets, all silk lined, exceptional quality and handsomely made, at $8.50, worth $11.

Separate Dress Skirts.

These two exceptional values, black figured skirts, full width, at $1.49, worth $2. Black figured skirts of fine material, finely made, at $3, worth $4.

GENTS' FURNISHINGS.

Unequalled values for Friday and Saturday.

Heavy natural wool shirts and drawers, all sizes to 48 in., 39c and 32c.

Heavy grey underwear, all sizes to 48 in., 23c.

Heavy white underwear, 23c.

BOY'S UNDERWEAR.

Natural wool, all sizes, 23c. Boy's heavy white underwear, all sizes, 20c.

A NEW FEATURE, MEN'S HATS

The most fashionable shapes, and we are going to cut prices on Friday and Saturday to introduce this department. Derby hats, Youmans, Miller & Dunlap Blocks, the $2.00 kind $1.75, the $2.50 kind $2.00. Tourists hats, the $1.75 kind $1.49.

FURNISHINGS.

½ hose fast black, 9c pr. Natural wool ½ hose, 10c and 12½c pr.

SUSPENDERS.

10c and 12½c per pair, worth 15c and 20c. 4 ply linen collars 9c, cuffs 10c. Silk initial handkerchiefs, 15c. Teck scarfs, 25c.

BLANKETS and COMFORTABLES.

10-4 white blankets 47c, 59c and 65c. All-wool blankets, $3.89. Comfortables 49c and 65c. Full size comfortable, white cotton filled, at 98c.

BOYS' CLOTHING DEPARTMENT.

A complete new stock, and some introductory values for Friday and Saturday. Boys' suits, all worsted, double breasted, nicely made, sizes 4 to 8, $1.95, worth $2.50. Double breasted suits, all wool, braid trimmed, sizes 4 to 10, $2.25, worth $2.75.

HOSIERY—Interesting Values from a Great Hosiery Store.

We handle only good hosiery, and all values we offer are for perfect, clean goods and far less than you would pay elsewhere. Ladies' fast black seamless hose 7c, 9c, 12½c. Children's fast black seamless hose, size 5 to 10, at 10c per pair. Children's fine ribbed hose, extra heavy, 15c per pair.

DRESS GOODS DEPARTMENT.

All wool Gilbert cloth, 12 different shades, 54 inch wide, at 47c yard. 38 inch Novelty goods, 10 different patterns, at 47c. 38 inch Novelty goods, 5 different colorings, 35c. 40 inch Novelty goods, very handsome colorings, at 79c yard.

1,000 yards Outing flannel, at 4c yd. 1,000 yards Indigo blue print at 4½c. 1,000 yards Shaker flannel at 4½c. 1,000 yards Plaid dress goods at 5c. 1,000 yds Linen toweling at 6c. 5 pieces all linen table Damask at 22c.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

W. H. Terry is able to be out again after a severe attack of asthma.

Miss Scully, of Plainfield, called on friends in the borough yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Maxson Dunham have been visiting relatives in Plainfield.

Mrs. I. E. Giles and son, Raymond, are the guests of friends at Plainfield.

Mrs. George Schenck has returned from a visit with friends in Plainfield.

Mrs. H. J. Swackhamer is entertaining company from Pluckamin for a few days.

Miss Mattie Humble, of Plainfield, was the guest of friends in the borough yesterday.

Miss Kittie Dinneen left this afternoon for Junction, where she will spend the winter.

Miss Anna Titsworth, of New Market, left this week for Tennessee, where she will spend the winter.

A fair will be held next week in the chapel of the Presbyterian church for the benefit of the church.

Alvah Gray is much improved from his recent fall, at which time he narrowly escaped serious injury.

If the weather is favorable there will be bowling on the green at the residence of Christian Schepflin next Saturday afternoon.

The fair at the M. E. church netted about $60 profit for the Ladies' Aid Society. The money will be devoted to mission work.

John Beetham began threshing his grain yesterday. He has a large crop and it will require several days to complete the work.

The painters started the second coat of paint on the Presbyterian church yesterday. The work will be completed next week.

There will be a regular meeting of the Borough Council next Monday evening, at which it is expected that some important matters will be considered.

The funeral of Ludlow Squiers was held yesterday morning at 11 o'clock from the Baptist church at New Market. Rev. Frank Fletcher, the pastor, officiated, and spoke words of cheer and help to the bereaved ones. There was a large attendance of relatives and friends at the services, which was strong testimony of the esteem held by all for the departed. Interment was in the Plainfield avenue cemetery at Plainfield.

SCOTCH PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Wm. Lee has returned from a visit in Raritan.

The Scotch Plains football team will play the Dunellen team at Scotch Plains Saturday afternoon.

Charles Reicke, the young lad who was severely bitten by a bulldog Monday, is recovering nicely from his injuries.

Rev. J. S. Braker, G. E. Hall and Norman C. Dunn have returned from the Baptist State convention, which was held at Trenton Tuesday and yesterday.

A few weeks ago the editor was taken with a very severe cold that caused him to be in a most miserable condition. It was undoubtedly a bad case of la grippe and recognizing it as dangerous he took immediate steps to bring about a speedy cure. From the advertisement of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the many good recommendations included therein, we concluded to make a first trial of the medicine. To say that it was satisfactory in its results, is putting it very mildly, indeed. It acted like magic and the result was a speedy and permanent cure. We have no hesitancy in recommending this excellent Cough Remedy to anyone afflicted with a cough or cold in any form.—The Banner of Liberty, Libertytown, Maryland. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

—J. M. Smalley's meat market on Somerset street has just been repainted in white, giving an appearance of cleanliness. Mr. Smalley will strive to please his customers and give them the best to be found in the market.

WESTFIELD

VARIOUS BITS OF NEWS.

WESTFIELD HAPPENINGS SERVED UP TERSELY FOR THE PRESS.

Many People Go and Come in the Pretty Suburban Town—Items Interesting Because of Their Brevity

Fireside Council, No. 715, Royal Arcanum, meets tonight.

Westfield Lodge, No. 169, I. O. O. F., held a meeting last night.

Edward N. Brown, of Elmer street, is confined to his home by illness.

Mrs. George Chamberlin has returned from a visit in Flemington.

John Herder and family have taken possession of Mrs. Mapes' house on Prospect street.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Hall take possession this week of their house on Downer street.

Mrs. John Crane, of Roseville, has been visiting Mrs. William S. Welch, of Westfield avenue.

Miss Bessie French, of Prospect street, is entertaining her cousin, Miss Ollie French, of Otange.

Mrs. C. B. Peddie and daughter have returned from a visit of two weeks with Mrs. Peddie's uncle in Flint, Mich.

Mrs. Fred A. Kinch has returned from Williamsport, Pa., where she attended the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. Maria C. Noble.

The Westfield Republican executive committee held a meeting in Etta Hall last evening at which the candidates for office were present.

The Westfield Congregational church will hold its annual fall reunion and sociable in the church parlors tomorrow evening.

A lecture on "The Hebrews of Today" was given in the Congregational church last evening by Rev. Samuel Freuder, a former Jewish rabbi.

Frank Howe's football team defeated a team captained by Chester Moffett on the North Broad street grounds yesterday afternoon by the score 26 to 0.

Several Westfield young men are organizing a bowling team which will bowl a match with a Rahway team in Gale's Clubhouse, on Elm street, Saturday night.

Rev. William H. Ruth and a number of the young people of the Methodist church are in attendance at the district meeting of the Epworth League, which is being held in Plainfield today.

Yonan Shabaza, a native Persian who has recently graduated from Hamilton College, delivered an interesting address on mission work in his native country in the Baptist church last evening.

Edward N. Hall and Martin Pickell have gone as delegates from Central Council, No. 131, Jr. O. U. A. M., of this place, to the annual convention of the N. J. F. B. A., which is being held at Trenton.

INSPECTED FIRE DEPARTMENT.

German Tourists Shown How Plainfield is Prepared to Fight Fire.

Six visitors from Berlin, Germany, who are visiting this country, were shown through the Plainfield fire department Tuesday by Chief Doane. They saw an alarm sent in and the rapidity with which the hores and men responded, and were filled with astonishment thereat. They declared that, while they had often heard of the rapidity with which the American fire departments responded, they had no idea that it was anything as fast as they had seen. They were loud in their praise of all the arrangements in the Plainfield department houses.

THEATRICAL.

"Shore Acres" has proved an epoch-marking play. In it Mr. Herne has demonstrated the value of quiet and intense acting, and the effects he has obtained are valuable to the makers of plays. He has also show the player that it is not necessary to act whenever he is on the stage. Although it is but a play of simple, every day life upon a New England farm yet rarely has its minute analysis of the human passions been equalled. This is the sixth consecutive season and Mr. Herne feels confident it will prove attractive for many years to come. Entire new scenery will be used in the production of this beautiful play. At Music Hall tomorrow night.

Pastor Gibson's Trial.

The trial of Rev. P. S. Gibson, the colored pastor of the Mt. Olive Baptist church, for breach of promise, will come up in the Council Chambers before City Judge DeMeza and a twelve-men jury this afternoon.

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For Infants and Children.

The fac simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. is on every wrapper.

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DRUGGIST,
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WOMEN'S CLUBS TO GATHER.

New Jersey's Federation Meets in Camden Today.

A two days' session of the Federation of Women's Clubs of New Jersey will begin in the First Presbyterian church, Camden, today.

The educational session, to be held tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock, will be opened by Miss Cecelia Gaines, of Jersey City. Miss Burdock, librarian of the Free Public Library of Jersey City, will treat woman's work in the schools from several different standpoints, while the Misses Sterling and Wilson and Mrs. Florence Howe Hall, of this city, all well-known woman's club workers, will speak on school books for children.

At the historical session tomorrow, Mrs. Julia Keese Collins will make an address on "Historic New Jersey," previous to which Mrs. Alfred Chester Coursen will present an illustrated paper on "The Song Writers of America." One of the principal features of the gathering will be the address this evening by Miss Blauvelt on "Browning."

BAEHR'S SENTENCE DELAYED.

Appears in Court So Ill that the Judge Lets Him Go.

Samuel Baehr, father of Edith Baehr, the girl who gave the Union County Court so much trouble about a year ago, was arraigned at court in Elizabeth yesterday for sentence in the same assault case for which his daughter was punished. Miss Edith Baehr and her sister accompanied their father from Bergen County, where the family now are.

Baehr's head was swathed in bandages and he shook as if he had the palsy. Judge McCormick, when he saw the man's condition, said sentence would be postponed until Jan. 13.

In view of Baehr's illness sentence may be suspended. He was released on his own recognizance.

Attempted Burglary.

An attempt was made Tuesday night to rob the law offices of Counselor W. K. McClure in the First National Bank buildidg on Front street. The janitor of the building upon making his evening rounds found everything undisturbed in the build ing, but the next morning the windows leading from the hallway to the offices were found broken open. Nothing was missing from the offices, however, and it is thought that the invaders were frightened away before effecting an entrance.

—The class for Bible study, led by W. D. Murray, will hereafter meet at the Y. M. C. A. building every Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Interesting Local News on the Third Page.

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$500 wanted on second mortgage; "Gilt Edge" property; state terms, no agents. Address Mortgage, care Press. 10 25 tf

WANTED—Young woman, German or Swede, for general housework, no washing; references. 508 Central avenue. 10 27 tf

WANTED—Capable girl as laundress. Apply with references, 452 West Eighth street. 10 27 3

DESIRABLE house, low rental, improved. 235 East Sixth street. Call, 231. 9 10 tf

POSITIVE bargain; desirable dwelling for sale at a sacrifice. Address Owner, care Press. 10 23 tf

FIRST-CLASS help and first class places at the Swedish intelligence office, 23 Somerset place. s 23 tf

FIRST-class places furnished girls out of employment; and reliable help secured for those desiring girls, at St. Joseph's Home, (Non Sectarian), 43 Manning avenue. 11 23 tf

WANTED—Three or four men, canvassers. Call at 303 West Fourth street, Kenyon, after 4 p. m. 19 26 4

TO LET—Furnished front room, centrally located; suitable for two young men, all conveniences. Address Pearl, care Press. 10 26 3

WANTED—First-class custom tailor. 220 East Front street.

TWO fine rooms to let with board, near Public Library; reasonable. Address Home, care Press. 10 28 eod 3

WANTED—Ericsson or Rider hot-air pumps. Charles I. Hobkirk, 45 Dey street, New York. 10 28 6

WANTED—Situation at any kind of work by colored man; housework or take care of horses. 131 Madison avenue. 10 28 3

LOST—A maltese cat with red ribbon and bell around his neck. A suitable reward will be paid for his return to 531 West Eighth street.

WANTED—50 horses to board for the winter. Inquire or address 503 LaGrande avenue, Plainfield. 10 28 3

WANTED—Colored girl for general housework, washing and ironing; Plainfield references required. 319 Webster Place. 10 28 2

WANTED—Girl for general housework, to cook, wash and iron; German or Swede preferred; good reference required. Call 10 to 1 Friday, Mrs. E. O. Bacon, Sixth and Washington streets.

FOR SALE—Old violin in perfect condition. 145 East Fifth street. 10 28 3

6 rooms to let Apply 211 New street; immediate possession. 10 28 3

FOR SALE—By private familly at a bargain; pool table (Callenders) in complete order, with balls, cues, bridges, bottle, racks, etc. Address Quick, care Press.

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Children's fleeced lined vests and pants, ... 5c up
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Ladies' ribbed vests and pants, fleeced 25c
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Children's heavy school hose, all sizes 10c
Ladies' fine seamless hose, fast black 12c
Ladies' extra fine hose, 25c kind, 18c pair

Men's Furnishings.
Men's heavy wool shirts 29c
natural wool shirts 38c
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suspenders, 25c kind 13c
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Over 500 finely-bound Novels that 'twill pay you to buy now for Christmas. Regular prices 50c, 75c and $1. Our price 19c, and take your pick.

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Many new lots from the best makers. The coat or cape you want is among them, and it won't cost you so much as you think. We ask you to inspect our stock.

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Famous kid glove values—we make every customer a satisfied one in this important department. Four-button and five-hook P. L. gloves, $1.00 warranted. SPECIAL.—100 pairs of two-clasp P. L. gloves, red tans, slightly imperfect, real value $1.25, our price 59c. We sell the celebrated Kayser double-tip cashmere gloves, 25c, 35c, 50c. Every pair warranted.

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Fine cambric wrappers ..... 75c | Flannelette wrappers 98c
Fancy wool plaid shirt waists $1.37
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Very Best Choice Lard ..... 5c. lb.
Fresh Milk, Oyster or Lemon Crackers ..... 5c. lb.
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Fairbank's Gold Dust ..... 14c pkg
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95c doz. High Grade Tomatoes ..... 8c can
80c doz. Sweet Corn ..... 7c can
90c doz. Fancy Marrowfat Peas ..... 8c can
$1.10 doz. Early June Peas ..... 10c can
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80c doz. Boston Baked Beans ..... 7c can
90c doz. Fancy Pumpkins ..... 8c can
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Executor's Settlement.

Notice is hereby given, That the account of the subscriber, Executor of Deborah W. Brant deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphan's Court of the County of Union, on Wednesday, the fifteenth day of December next.

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Dated, October 13th, 1897. 10 14 o a w 10 th

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20th Day of December

next, the names of the defaulters with their respective taxes will be returned to the City Judge for prosecution. The Commissioners of Appeal in cases of taxation in and for the said City will meet at the Council Chamber, No. 109 Park avenue, Plainfield, N. J., on the

4th Tuesday of November

next, (November 23rd, 1897,) at two o'clock p. m., to hear complaints relating to assessments.

E. H. BIRD,
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Dated, Plainfield, N. J., October 1st, 1897.
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MURDER IN A CHURCH

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WAS ROBBING POOR BOXES

Priest Whistles for a Policeman and the Thief, When Cornered, Fires a Fatal Shot—Murderer Will Be Tried on Monday.

New York, Oct. 28.—Burglar Fritz Meyer has confessed to the foul murder of Policeman Fred Smith early yesterday morning in the Church of the Redeemer. He admits he was trying to rob the poor box.

Startling as is the murder of Smith, the police are certain that Meyer is chargeable with even a colder-blooded crime—the recent murder of Bellringer Stelz in the Church of the Holy Trinity, in Williamsburg.

Both murders were committed in churches; both were done in identically the same manner.

District Attorney Olcott will ask the Grand Jury to-day to indict Meyer, and the trial of the case will probably begin next Monday.

Early Tuesday evening the murderer sneaked into the Church of the Most Holy Redeemer, in East Third street, while the October devotions of the Rosary were in progress, and concealed himself in the gallery. At midnight, when the congregation and the priests had gone away, he went down to break open the poor box. He was armed with a jimmy and revolver.

In prying open the box he set off the burglar alarm and it rang in the priest's house next door. It had been put there because thieves had robbed the box before. The alarm was heard by one of the priests. He took a police whistle, and, opening a window in the front of the house, blew several shrill blasts.

Policemen Smith and Conklin heard the whistle and ran to the rectory. The priest told them that the alarm had sounded, and they ran on to the church. Smith entered first, and in the dim light before the altar saw a man moving around the edifice. The man was Meyer.

As the policeman entered Meyer stole to the door leading to the school and darted out of sight. Smith dashed down an aisle, followed by Conklin. Smith leaped through the passageway somewhat in advance of Conklin. As he entered the schoolroom Meyer raised a revolver and fired.

Smith sank down as Conklin ran into the room. Meyer leaped through a window, carrying the whole lower sash with him. Several men who were in the street caught sight of the fleeing Meyer and soon overtook him.

They fell upon him, and one of the men dragged his revolver from him, while another wrested the jimmy out of his hand. By this time word of the shooting had reached the East Fifth street police station, and half a dozen men started up the street on a run. They reached the burglar as he was struggling to his feet. One of the policemen subdued him by a blow from his club, and they started him for the station. The crowd had increased to several hundred excited citizens.

"Kill him! Lynch him!" they cried, and it was only by hurrying their man along that the policemen prevented probable violence. In the station Meyer admitted the shooting but denied that he had broken into the church.

He said he laid in wait, intending to rob the poor box and take whatever else he could. When the policeman surprised him he shot, knowing it was all up with him. Meyer is a thin, cadaverous-looking fellow, with reddish hair and mustache.

Smith lived five minutes after the shooting. The bullet entered his mouth and came out at the back of his head. The priest administered the last sacrament of the Church as he was breathing his last. Smith had been on the force fourteen years. He was 43 years old and lived at 97 Avenue A.

THE QUEEN'S COUSIN DEAD.

The Duchess of Teck Expires After an Operation.

Richmond, Eng., Oct. 28.—The Duchess of Teck, cousin of Queen Victoria, sister of the Duke of Cambridge and mother-in-law of the Duke of York, died at the White Lodge here yesterday.

The Duchess was seriously ill in April, and underwent a critical abdominal operation. She was considered to have been completely restored to health. Yesterday, however, she suddenly became ill. Her condition rapidly assumed a grave phase, and the doctors who were summoned operated upon her immediately. The operation was successful, but heart failure supervened.

The Duchess of York was at her bedside at the time of her death.

Princess Mary Adelaide Wilhelmine Elizabeth was the second daughter of the late Prince Adolphus, Duke of Cambridge, a sister of the present Duke of Cambridge and a cousin of Queen Victoria. She was born in Hanover Nov. 27, 1833, and married to the Duke of Teck at Kew, London, June 12, 1866. She leaves four children, the eldest of whom, Princess May, was married to the Duke of York on July 6, 1893.

News of Prof. Andree.

Christiana, Oct. 28.—Advices which have just reached here from Spitzbergen, the group of islands in the Arctic Ocean situated midway between Greenland and Nova Zembia, say that the crew of a wrecked ship has just reached that part of the world.

A rumor prevails that the seamen have brought news of Prof. Andree, the Swedish explorer, who left Danes Island, Spitzenberg, in a balloon on July 11 last in an attempt to cross the site of the North Pole.

Twenty Wheat Cars Wrecked.

Iroquois, Ont., Oct. 28.—A freight wreck took place at the Grand Trunk station here yesterday. Twenty cars loaded with wheat are splintered and telescoped, and the wheat is piled up to a depth of two feet. The rear cars broke off west of here and then crashed into the forward cars, which were standing still.

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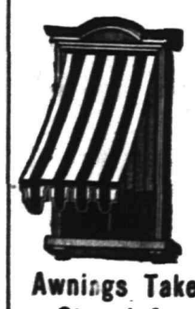

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THE CUBAN SITUATION

Keeping Secret the Correspondence Significant.

POSSIBILITY OF A RUPTURE

President McKinley Is Not Likely to Act Until He Can Have the Co-operation of Congress—Is a Crisis at Hand?

Washington, Oct. 28.—The text of the Spanish reply to the note of the United States was received at the State Department this morning, but according to the understanding with Senor Sagasta, Secretary Sherman will not make it public.

The State Department is even more secretive than heretofore concerning Cuban affairs. Inasmuch as an agreement has been entered into with the Spanish officials to withhold the correspondence from the public until after the reassembling of Congress, it is not likely that its exact character will be known until then. But this extra precaution is in itself significant. Enough has been given out officially at Madrid to indicate that the reply to Minister Woodford, in whatever phrases couched, is substantially a defiance. This being the case, the existence of an agreement between the two Governments that the correspondence shall be kept secret is interpreted to signify that its character is such as to excite popular feeling, and that its publication would precipitate a rupture of friendly relations.

Desires Peace.

Mr. McKinley desires to maintain peace, if possible, and if anything can occur between now and the meeting of Congress to lessen the gravity of the situation he is willing that time shall be given. At all events, if there is to be a rupture, he wants to act with the co-operation of Congress. This delay does not mean that the Administration will be tolerant of Spanish insults. As stated in these dispatches heretofore, such a reply from Spain as the official announcements from Madrid indicate will meet with a sharp rejoinder, which is likely to be followed by the breaking off of diplomatic relations. But the Department of State will wait for the full text of Sagasta's letter and will guard against hastiness of action. If Spain should actually attempt to enforce the threat of searching American vessels, it would, of course, precipitate a conflict at once, but in the absence of any overt act on her part, there will be no disposition on the part of the Administration to proceed further than necessary in the matter until Congress has assembled.

The feeling is practically universal in official circles that the contention has reached an acute stage, and that a conflict with Spain is extremely probable. This will result, however, only from the aggressive attitude and spirit of defiance manifested by Spain. It is expected that immediately upon the assembling of Congress the President will communicate the correspondence to that body, consisting not only of the communication sent to the Spanish Government through Minister Woodford and Sagasta's reply to that communication, but also the rejoinder to that reply, which will be sharp and decisive. This will leave the case in a situation for Congress to act, and the sentiment of Congress is well known.

Congress Will Act.

Any communication by the President to Congress on the Cuban question which does not show a settlement of the controversy will be accepted as an invitation for legislative action, and will surely lead to such action. The recognition of the belligerency of the Cuban insurgents is the least that can be expected from Congress, and if the correspondence proves to be of the character at present indicated its transmission is sure to be followed by preparations for hostilities. In fact, it is believed that the rejoinder to Sagasta's communication will be delayed until just before Congress meets and that it will be of such a character as to result, in the present temper of the Spanish Government, in the recall of the Spanish Minister.

McKinley Keeps Silent.

Washington, Oct. 28.—Although repeated denials have come from the State Department that the reply of Spain has not been received, prominent men close to the Administration still insist that President McKinley has received by cable a very fair forecast of the leading points made by the Sagasta Cabinet.

The chances are that nothing will be given out before the President leaves for Ohio to-morrow.

GOT AROUND THE RULES.

A Pennsylvania Congressman Gets a New Pension Examining Board.

Chambersburg, Pa., Oct. 28.—Congressman Thad M. Mahon, of this place, has solved the problem which has been puzzling many Republican Congressmen of how to get rid of Democratic boards of pension examiners, protected under civil service rules. He did it by having the board here abolished, and by instituting a new board at Greencastle, in the southern end of the county, near the Maryland line. This was done at his solicitation by orders from the department at Washington. The solid Democratic board here was protected by the civil service rules, and the Cleveland appointees could not have been removed except on charges. Republican physicians wanted the places, and they got them yesterday.

In a short time it will likely be found that it is inconvenient to have the board sit away from the county seat, and that it must come back to Chambersburg, but by the time that is discovered the Republicans will be secure in their places. Congressman Mahon will have a good story of practical politics to tell his Republican brethren on the first Monday in December.

Troops for Indians.

Washington, Oct. 28.—Gen. Otis, commander of the Department of Colorado, has sent troops against the Utes, who, it is feared, will take the warpath as a result of an encounter between poaching braves and the game wardens near Lilly Park, Wyo., Tuesday evening, during which two bucks, one squaw and two wardens were killed.

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GOSSIP FROM GRIDIRON.

HAPPENINGS AMONG THE LOCAL FOOTBALL PLAYERS.

Games That are to be Played and Points About Teams and Individual Players That May Prove Interesting to Cranks.

The Plainfield A. A. eleven will not play any match game on Saturday afternoon. A game had been arranged with the Riverside Athletic Club, of Newark, but the close proximity of the Election Day game with the San Remos, of New York, and the absence of fully half of the team, made it necessary to call that game off a week ago. The Riversides will come to this city later in the season, when the full team will turn out to meet them. The Riversides are very strong and have the reputation of doing considerable slugging.

The Election Day game of the Plainfield A. A. will be the most important game of the season so far. The powerful San Remo team, of New York, the old rivals of the Plainfield boys, will be here on that occasion, and, as the Plainfield eleven is to be considerably strengthened, an exciting match may be assured. The game will be called at 3 o'clock, instead of 4, as in the other games. Admission will be twenty-five cents.

The Crescent football team, of this city, will play the eleven from the Rahway Y. M. C. A. in this city Saturday afternoon, on the Plainfield A. A. gridiron on Martine common. The game is one of the contests in the Journal league. It is called for 4 o'clock. Plainfield A. A. season tickets will admit to the grounds.

The Plainfield A. A. team will meet for practice this evening, tomorrow evening and Monday evening on the Westervelt avenue grounds. Every candidate is expected to be on hand, as it is very important that all should understand the new plays that are to be introduced for the Election Day game.

The Alis first team defeated the second team yesterday afternoon by a score of 17 to 10. Woltman kicked a goal from the field during the second half.

GOLF.

Carl Walz, who was known as the tennis champion of the Hillside Tennis and Golf Club, has now develped into a crack golfer and is improving his game every day. He spends much of his time at the links of the club in all kinds of weather, and has been making some excellent scores in practice. His showing in the matches that he has played has been very good.

The mixed foursomes record at the Hillside Tennis and Golf Club links was equalled yesterday morning by Miss Emma Schoonmaker and Morris Dumont, who completed the nine holes in 53 strokes.

Although a trifle windy, the weather of the last few days has brought out the golfers in great numbers, and the links of the Hillside Club were the scene of many exciting matches.

—The four boys who now stand accused with being the burglars that entered the store of Frucht, will come up for their hearing tomorrow morning.

—As a result of a bon-fire at the residence of A. E. Hall, on Plainfield avenue, yesterday afternoon, a portion of the front porch and lattice work caught fire and a few pails of water soon extinguished the flames.

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—J. J. Dolliver, of South Branch, has started work on the erection of a new barn for J. K. Arnold on his lot on Manning avenue.

—There will be no sessions in the Plainfield public schools Tuesday on account of its being Election Day, which is a legal holiday in this State.

Interesting Local News on the Third Page.

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Found Guilty by Twelve Men Jury in the Trial Before the City Judge.

No Sensational Testimony Was Produced—Swain Girl Told Her Story But the Minister Denied all Charges When Put on Stand—Strong Arguments by Counsel—The Judge's Sentence.

"Guilty" said the foreman of the jury, after two hours deliberation, and the word was quickly passed along that Rev. Phillip S. Gibson, the colored pastor of the Mt. Olive Baptist church, had been convicted on the charge of adultery. The charge was made by Overseer of the Poor Marx a week ago, and the young woman named was Miss Lucy Swain, a member of his flock. The case was tried before City Judge DeMeza and a jury of twelve well-known Plainfielders. After a long trial, the jury retired to bring in a verdict of guilty. There was very little sensational evidence adduced during the trial. The case may be considered a great victory for Senator Reed, Miss Swain's lawyer.

The Council Chamber, where the trial was held, was crowded even before the Judge appeared. Most of the occupants of the benches outside of the rail were colored and formed the army of witnesses that had been subpœnaed by both sides.

After the case was called, Patrolman McCue called a jury. Isaac Vail was excused by the Judge. Nelson Giles was challenged by Assemblyman W. R. Codington. Senator Reed was satisfied with the personal of the jury. The following jury was sworn in: George H. Willey, John Martin, E. H. Cleveley, John J. Kenney, George Moore, John Ross, Michael Coyne, George O. Stevens, C. H. Herring, Charles H. Hand, Joseph Sattels, Harry W. Marshall.

Senator Charles A. Reed was present as representative of the complainant and prosecuting attorney in the absence of Corporation Counsel Craig A. Marsh. Assemblyman W. R. Codington and S. S. Swackhamer were the lawyers for the defence.

Lucy Swain was the second witness called. She was rather nervous at first, but finally gathered courage and told her story. She said that she was twenty four years old and had lived in Plainfield three years. She had been a domestic. She met Rev. Mr. Gibson at his church when she first came to Plainfield. He afterwards called on her while she was employed by Mrs. Templin, on East Sixth street, and then was with her at a picnic to Florida Grove sometime after. The prisoner sat in the back of the room with bowed head. The night after that picnic, she said, they had met and he had told her that he loved her and they had spent the evening together. After that, she said, they had met every Thursday evening when she was in the city. She told of a trip to Washington with him last year. This year she went to Cranford one Tuesday night and met him at church there. She also testified that before Easter she went to New York with him while his wife was in the hospital. She told of a visit to Gibson's house, Sunday, April 25th, and how he had written to her to tell her not to come in when anyone was in sight.

There came out the fact that all the eight letters, that she claimed to have received from Pastor Gibson, had disappeared. She said that while working for Mrs. S. G. Smith, of Putnam avenue, soon after the proceedings were started, a man, dressed like a policeman, had come and taken the letters saying that they were needed in court. She had given them up. She had seen all the policemen, but could not recognize the visitor.

"Gentlemen," said Senator Reed to the lawyers of the defendant, "we ask you to produce those letters." Assemblyman Codington denied all knowledge of the letters, and the complainant proceeded with her testimony.

A month later she said that she told Rev. Mr. Gibson that she was in trouble. He asked her to withhold his name, she testified, and he would do anything he could. According to her story he never came to see her again. She then testified that she wrote to him when he was on his vacation, and his wife found the letter.

Assemblyman Codington conducted the cross-examination. She stated that she decided to make the complaint when the prisoner told her that he was not the father of the child.

She remembered calling on a friend a week ago Sunday and having conversation about the case. She refused to implicate John Reid in any way.

She said on re-direct examination that S. S. Swackhamer called on her and tried to persuade her to sign a paper clearing Rev. Mr. Gibson, but she refused.

Charles Barber, a trustee in Gibson's church, had seen them together on the street late at night. He had warned her to be careful. He also saw her come out of the pastor's house on April 25th. No one was living in his house at that time. There had been talk about the two before. A committee had been appointed to investigate, he said.

The last witness for the prosecution was Nathan Pollard, financial secretary of the church. He had seen Lucy go into the pastor's house at 10 o'clock at night. He said that he conversed with the pastor about it.

Senator Reed announced that the city rested its case.

Assemblyman Codington stated that his client denied any improper conduct with Lucy Swain and declared the witnesses prejudiced against Rev. Mr. Gibson.

Mrs. Frances Scott was the first witness for the defence. She testified that Lucy Swain had called on her and said that she would not have charged Gibson if he had not called her a notorious liar.

Mrs. Anna Robinson told how Lucy Swain went to board with her and how John Reid came to see her. She said that she ordered her away and put her trunk outside. She was a remarkable witness and made lots of fun. The electric lights went out, but she told the Judge that she could talk in the dark.

The defendant, Rev. Philip S. Gibson, was at last put on the stand. He told of his first acquaintance with Lucy Swain. Lucy had been to his house only once, he said, and then to see the woman who was occupying the second floor of the parsonage. She often shouted at meeting and disturbed him and he said she was a hypocrite. He told of a rumor of trouble between John Reid and Lucy Swain, which was investigated by a committee, as a result of which she was excluded from the church with his consent and wish. He denied the testimony of Barber and the rest.

April 26, he testified, he took tea with Mrs. Martha Rodgers and was not with Lucy Swain. He had tried to interest her in the church and Sunday-school. He testified he never wrote a letter to her.

Scipio J. Willington, one of the deacons of the Mt. Olive church, told of the pastor's good character. Matthew Robinson and Edward Maynard, other deacons, gave similar testimony.

Mrs. Martha Rodgers remembered that he was at her house April 26th.

In rebuttal Senator Reed called John Reid, who denied Mrs. Robinson's testimony about himself and Lucy Swain. Mrs. L. Wyckoff also contradicted Mrs. Robinson's testimony.

After a brief recess, the summing up began. Assemblyman Codington made a short speech, and then S. S. Swackhamer completed the summing up for the defence in an eloquent speech. Senator Reed closed the case with one of his best appeals in which he presented his case in a very able manner Then the City Judge charged the jury and they retired at 7:30 o'clock. They had no dinner.

Rev. Mr. Gibson appeared before City Judge DeMeza this morning and was sentenced to pay $2.50 a week for the support of Lucy Swain and the child, and all necessary doctor's bills.

To Help the Needy.

The Cheerful Worker's Circle of the King's Daughters will give an Entertainment in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue church tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. Tableaux and music will be rendered by the members among whom are Misses Martie Wadsworth, Elsie and Helen Hartman, Grace and Gladys Kaufman, Edith Fisk, Edme Corelies, Ursula Rowland, Elizabeth Cady, Wilhelmina Patton, Florence Beebe and Maysie Day. Admission 25 cents. Proceeds will be used for the relief of needy children.

For Missionary Purposes.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society of Hope chapel held their regular meeting yesterday in the chapel, at which time the collection-box for missionary work was opened. It contained about $11, and this amount will be used in helping various missionary causes. During the meeting Mrs. G. Kennedy Newell presented a paper of great interest concerning missionary work at home and abroad. There was a good attendance of members and the meeting was an exceedingly helpful one for all.

MR. M'GEE IS PRESIDENT.

CHOSEN AS HIGHEST EPWORTHIAN OFFICER IN ELIZABETH DISTRICT.

The Most Interesting Feature of the Convention Was the Parade of the Juniors—Rev. J. R. Day's Apt Words to Christians.

The second annual convention of the Epworth Leagues of the Elizabeth district continued its sessions yesterday afternoon in the Grace M. E. church, of North Plainfield. The opening devotional service was led by Rev. H. J. Johnston, the pastor of the church.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President Walter McGee, of North Plainfield; first vice-president, Miss A. H. Mooney, of Scotch Plains; second vice-president, Rev. J. B. J. Rhodes, of Lebanon; third vice president, Miss Effa Ham, of Cranford; fourth vice president, Miss Helen Carleton, of Elizabeth; corresponding secretary, Rev. E. E. Roberson, of White House; recording secretary, J. A. Stafford, of North Plainfield; treasurer, A. H. Stiles, of Whitehouse; superintendent of junior leagues, Mrs. Theodore Holcomb, of Frenchtown.

An invitation was presented by the First M. E. church, of Rahway, and seconded by the Trinity M. E. church, of the same place, urging that the district convention be held in that city next year. The invitation was accepted amid much enthusiasm.

The principal address of the afternoon was delivered by Rev. J. A. Hensey, of Verona, upon the text Nehemia 2-4: "Run, speak to this young man."

At 4 o'clock occurred an event which to many was the most interesting feature of the convention. After the adjournment of the afternoon session the Junior Epworth Leagues of the Monroe Avenue, the First M. E. and the Grace M. E. churches, accompanied by the Junior Christian Endeavorers of Trinity Reformed church, marched with pastors at their head to the Grace M. E. church, where a service devoted especially to the Juniors was held.

A short devotional service was held and Miss Nettie Beeching, of Washingtonville, president of the Plainfield Primary Sunday-school Teachers' Union, taught the Sunday-school lesson for the coming Sunday. At the close of the lesson, Rev. Henry A. Butchel, D. D., pastor of Calvary M. E. church, of East Orange, gave the children a short talk.

At 6 o'clock the delegates were served with supper in the basement of the First M. E. church. About 200 were served. The supper was in charge of a committee, the general chairman of which was Miss Gertrude Sharp. The chairmen of the individual committees were: From Grace Grace M. E. church, Mrs. John Valiant; Monroe avenue church, Miss Leora Wenzell, and First M. E. church, Miss Gertrude Sharp.

The principal event of the evening was an address by Rev. J. R. Day, D. D., LL.D., Chancellor of Syracuse University. As the speaker arose he was given the Chautauqua salute. Times are changing for the better, he said. Not many years ago the young people were in the way in the churches, but now the old have grown young and the young are grown older, and the arrangement is altogether an admirable one. The old-fashioned idea was that a boy of 14 who had religion should act like a Christian of seventy, looking gloomy and feeling gloomy, and living in the fear of going to hell and watching timidly for a chance to slip into heaven. Religion now takes a man just as he is, with all his capabilities and all his aptitudes and makes him a force for good without destroying him.

A vocal solo was sung by Charles L. Lewis, of this city, and a duet by Mr. Lewis and Elmer Runyon, with piano accompaniments by Mrs. Charles Lewis.

A vote of thanks was passed for the pastors of the churches, the members of the Epworth Leagues, the speakers, and all who had assisted to make the convention a success. The benediction was then pronounced by Rev. W. C. Snodgrass, D. D., and the convention was at an end.

A Fine Programme.

The programme for the approaching Spielkartenfest promises to be a work of art. A special design has been made for the cover while half-tone pictures of the participants in the different dances will be scattered through the programme. It will be a small sized volume, as at the Kirmess, with short descriptions of the dances and a list of the chaperones and dancers. The book will be made of a fine quality of paper and will make a delightful souvenir of the Spielkartenfest.

Interesting Local News on the Third Page.

THE FIRST G. O. P. GUN.

THE REPUBLICAN COUNTY CANDIDATES MET THE VOTERS.

An Informal Levee Held in the Republican Association Rooms Last Night—An Effort to Get All Republicans Up Into Line.

The first gun in the coming campaign was fired last evening by the Republicans. It was not a large gun but was intended to deeply penetrate the enemy's ranks. It was the first move of either party that has appeared on the surface and was considered a successful one by the Republican leaders. It was a novel scheme, that of making the voters personally acquainted with the candidates who are to come before them on the Republican ticket next Tuesday.

The Republicans have a rather strange state of affairs to deal with in the city of Plainfield this year. The Republican majority is a large one and then there is a sprinkling of mug wump votes to be looked after. The chief worry of the local managers has been to round up all the Republicans in town. Perhaps it was the doings of the present Council, perhaps it was not, but at any rate there was a thread of revolt stretched through the ranks that threatened to reduce the majority uncomfortably unless a big effort was made to round up all the wavering ones. Then, too, the workers needed to be encouraged.

So it was that the sub-committee from the local executive committee invited all the candidates on the county ticket to come down and meet the Plainfield voters. An informal reception was held in their honor at the Republican headquarters last evening, and the voters dropped in during the evening from 8 to 10 o'clock. Robert Houston, George E. Squier, of Elizabeth, and Roger F. Murray, of this city, the three candidates for the Assembly were here and so was George T. Parrot, nominee for Surrogate. Of course, there were very few, indeed, that did not already know Roger Murray, but they wanted to shake hands with him and tell him that they were with him. The other candidates proved to be genial fellows and the Plainfielders who happened in extended them a hearty welcome. Several of the Elizabeth workers came up with the candidates and talked on the political situation with their Plainfield friends.

Assemblyman W. R. Codington, chairman of the city executive committee, was present and introduced the candidates to the voters. He was assisted by Judge William A. Newcorn, City Clerk J. T. MacMurray, J. W. Murray, Jr., J. W. Murray, J. B. Coward, and other well-known workers of the city.

More Than a Dime's Worth of Fun.

A pleasant dime social was held last evening at the home of Mrs. James Radin, on North avenue, under the auspices of Martha Washington Council, No. 23, Daughters of America. There was a large attendance of members and their friends, and all joined in making the event a happy one. There was vocal and instrumental music and a little dancing, all of which helped to furnish a good time for those present. There was a goodly sum of money received at the door which will greatly help the council. The committee in charge of the affair was composed of Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Higgins, Mrs. Kinsey, Mrs. James Radin and Mr. Welsh.

Needlework Guild.

Contributors are requested to send their donations to the Needlework Guild before November 1st, as we have had several calls for garments this month. Last winter the reserved fund of garments were called for by the directors and others for many in pressing need. Six hundred and fifty-four new garments were distributed in the winters of 96-97 to institutions, missionary boxes and private cases. Knowing this large want which this charity fills it is sincerely hoped that we will have a larger number of garments to distribute this winter. C. W. Adams, Secretary.

Parliamentary Club Elect.

At the meeting of the Parliamentary Club held yesterday in the Y. M. C. A. rooms, the following officers were elected: President, Miss C. R. Yates; vice-president, Mrs. T. F. Budlough; recording secretary, Mrs. H. M. Maxson; corresponding secretary, Mrs. G. H. Frost; treasurer, Mrs. J. D. Titsworth.

Young Republicans Active.

The Young Men's Republican Club is preparing to hold a demonstration in honor of the candidacy of Roger Murray in the Republican headquarters on East Front street, Monday evening. It is the eve of election and the officers of the club want to infuse a little of the campaign enthusiasm into the blood of the members. Of course, Murray will be there, and is expected to talk to his clubmates. Then there will be other speakers. The inner man will also be remembered.

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THREE TRAINS CRASH TOGETHER; ONE MAN HURT.

A Bad Wreck on the Lehigh Valley Railroad, Near South Plainfield, Last Night.

A Coal Train, Running Slow, Was Crashed Into by a Fast Milk Train—Wreckage Strewn Over the Tracks and an Approaching Express Train From the Opposite Direction Ran Into That.

The inhabitants of the little hamlet of Samptown, a mile and a half west of South Plainfield, were just preparing to retire for the night last evening when there came a mighty crash. The shriek of a locomotive whistle was heard above the din and then came another and louder crash. A milk train on the Lehigh Valley railroad, running at the rate of sixty miles an hour, had collided with the rear end of an east bound coal train and then a west bound express train, No. 7 according to the time-table of the Lehigh Valley, crashed into the wreck. Wonderful to say, no one was killed although several sustained injuries.

The trouble all lay in the fact that the coal train was on the main east bound track when the milk train was due. How it came to be there, the officials of the road are unable to say. At any rate, it was going east and had slowed up after passing the long curve west of Samptown preparatory to stopping at South Plainfield. The train was composed of fifty large gondolas filled with coal. It has been impossible to learn the names of the crew as they were from another division, and Superintendent Donnelly, of this division, could give no information on that subject. The train was bound for Perth Amboy.

As the train slowed up, the rear brakesman jumped off to go back and flag the approaching milk train. He had hardly gone fifty feet from his train when the headlight of the milk train appeared around the curve. There was no one in the caboose of the coal train.

The milk train was composed of one express car from the Lake Erie and Michigan Southern, which was loaded mostly with fresh fish, and occupied by two express passengers, and eight milk cars. The train makes a fast run from Mauch Chunk to Jersey City, being only fifteen minutes slower than the Black Diamond express. William Barber, of Jersey City, was the engineer of the milk train and Fred Miller, of Easton, fireman. "Doc" William D. Young was the conductor in charge.

As the milk train rounded the curve Engineer Barber saw the approaching flagman and the rear lights of the coaler. He applied the emergency brakes and the shock threw him down on the floor of the cab. The next instant the crash came and the big engine plowed right through the caboose and several of the coal cars, then it left the track and turned directly across the west bound track heading for the ditch.

Fireman Young was shoveling coal at the time and he was thrown fifty feet into a neighboring field by the shock. The express car fell over on its side and the two express messengers became entangled in the boxes of fish but escaped serious injury. Miller was badly bruised and was injured internally.

Engineer Barber left the cab as the locomotive came to a standstill only to see the glare of another train approaching on the west bound train. It was the express, No. 7. The train leaves New York at 8 o'clock and had stopped at South Plainfield. It is a through train to Chicago. The engineer was Elmer Luckenbeel, of Jersey City, the conductor, Joseph DeHart, of Phillipsburg, and the brakeman, William Mutchler, of Jersey City.

No. 7 had just left South Plainfield and got fully under way when the engineer saw the flagman of the freight jump off and then the headlight of the milk train appeared around the curve. Seeing that a collision was inevitable, he applied the emergency brakes and considerably reduced the speed before his engine struck the engine of the milk train which was standing directly across the track The latter engine was turned over on its side by the last collision and the tender thrown partially into the ditch. The locomotive of the express was completely demolished on one side and toppled over but was prevented from falling over by the wreck of the tender and coal cars beneath it. The engineer and firemen were in the high cab and thus escaped serious injury. Superintendent Donnelly told a Press reporter this morning that had the cab been of the ordinary low style, both men would have undoubtedly been killed.

Several of the express cars were derailed and the occupants of the sleeper on the rear of the train received a shaking up. Two women were standing in the car at the time and both were thrown to the floor. They escaped with bruises

Seven of the coal cars were wrecked and their contents scattered along the tracks. The rest of the train was shaken up and several couplings broken. The engineer of the coaler did not feel the accident, however, and kept on as far as South Plainfield before one of the brakemen could notify him that the rear of the train was missing and that sections of it had been dropped all along the track from the scene of the accident to South Plainfield. The stray uninjured cars were collected and the train went on to Perth Amboy.

The wreckage completely blocked both main tracks and two sidings at the spot. The first wrecking train arrived at midnight but the steam crane was delayed at New Market by another small wreck. The axle to the engine of the wrecking train broke and had to be removed from the track The crane arrived at Samptown at 3 o'clock, this morning, and the work of removing the wreckage was begun at once. One of the sidings was cleared at 8 o'clock and the trains that had been blocked were allowed to go through. There were twenty coal and freight trains stalled west of the wreck to Hillsboro. When the track was opened at at 10 o'clock, there were eight coal and freight trains and two passenger trains. A west bound passenger train was also delayed. The passenger trains were from one to two hours behind schedule time and will not be running on time until late this afternoon. The last of the wreck was cleared away at 2 o'clock.

Superintendent Jas. Donnelly was on hand at midnight and took charge of the removal of the wreckage. A field telegraph office was established at the scene of the wreck. In conversation with a Press reporter, he laid the blame for the accident on the crew of the coal train and on the flagman who, he said, should have went back long before.

The sleeper on No. 7 was sent back to Roselle and went to Bound Brook over the Jersey Central tracks.

The accident was witnessed by David F. Blackford who lives nearby. He was standing on the bridge over the creek within fifty feet of the collision and saw the entire wreck. He afterwards took Fred Miller, the injured fireman, home with him for the night. Miller was sent home this morning.

The wreckage took fire soon after the accident and the ruins of the caboose and coal cars were burned. The rails were bent and loosened and the ties cut up.

A FINANCIAL PLAN.

Board of Education Anxious to Know Each Month How Much to Spend.

A regular meeting of the North Plainfield Board of Education was held last evening in the schoolhouse on Somerset street. The first matter of interest considered was the adoption of a scheme whereby the members will be able to tell each month just how much there is in the treasury and how much can be expended. This scheme was introduced by the finance committee and was well received by the other members. Charles L. Lewis, teacher of music in the Plainfield public schools, was engaged to fill a similar position in the borough school. He is to teach music twice a week for the balance of the school year.

Regarding the overcrowded condition of the school the members discussed the question and decided to lay the matter over until the next meeting of the board.

—VanEmburgh & Son will offer tomorrow, Saturday, one hundred yards of Barnsleys half bleached table linen double weight for 65c.; real value $1. Read their new ad.

Dry Goods at Old Prices.

Although there has been a very decided advance of prices in dry goods of every description among manufacturers and retailers, there is one store in this town that is selling at old prices and in some cases at lower prices than ever before. Edward White was a very heavy buyer before the advance, and it places the store in a position to offer choice reliable merchandise at prices that are in many cases lower than the goods can be manufactured for at present prices. They tell of many of the goods in their advertisement.

First Marriage License.

Charles VanMiddlesworth, a former resident of this place, grandson of John VanMiddlesworth, was married at Plainfield last evening. The groom is now a resident of Brooklyn, and was obliged to get a marriage license. County Clerk Somers issued the license, which was the first issued in this county.—Unionist Gazette.

—Crane & Clark, hatters and furnishers, 120 West Front street, will have a special sale of cut prices tomorrow.

SPAIN REJECTS OFFERS

Will Not Allow the United States to Interfere in Cuba.

TEXT OF THE DOCUMENT

It Is Very Polite, but Evasive and Unsatisfactory to the Administration—Will Not Be Made Public Until Congress Meets.

Washington, Oct. 29.—President McKinley found time yesterday to read carefully the full text of the Spanish Premier's note on Cuban affairs, and there is warrant for the statement that it will be accepted by the Administration as a rejection of the offered mediation of the United States to end the war and secure Cuban autonomy or independence. The note itself is a model of diplomatic evasion on important points, while abounding in expression of regard and friendliness for the United States. The only harsh criticism in the note is the charge that the United States have been the recruiting ground for the friends of Cuba and that the McKinley Administration has been unwilling or unable to prevent filibustering. In all the honeyed phraseology there is no promise that Spain is willing to give up Cuba either to the Cubans or to the United States, and the Administration will therefore be compelled to frame and announce an alternative Cuban policy, which will hardly be agreed upon or announced before the meeting of Congress in December.

President McKinley has decided that, unless the Spanish Government objects, the text of the note will not be made public until he sends his annual report to Congress in December. A member of the Cabinet stated the attitude of the Administration on this point in saying: "As the stronger nation, it would not be fair or proper for us to make public the attitude of the Spanish Ministry. They must be allowed to follow their own desire on this point."

The Administration feels and expresses much gratification at the promised revocation of Weyler's concentration order. President McKinley, Secretary Sherman and other members of the Cabinet generally, in their correspondence and conversations with Minister Taylor, Consul-General Lee, Dupuy de Lome and other diplomatic officers here, always expressed the utmost concern regarding the inhuman and barbaric tyranny of Weyler's concentration order, and let it be plainly known that its revocation had to be the first step in the professed policy of friendliness to the United States and humanity to Cuba.

The recall of Weyler and the revocation of the concentration order are, however, not accepted as proof positive that the new Liberal Ministry is any more strongly disposed than its predecessor to grant reforms to Cuba.

There will be no time for deliberate consideration of the question until after the elections. Two of the Cabinet officers—Secretary of the Navy Long and Secretary of War Alger—left town yesterday, Mr. Long for League Island and Mr. Alger for Detroit. Before going, President McKinley read to them the text of the Spanish reply, so that they would be fully informed of its contents. The regular semi-weekly meeting of the Cabinet will be held today, and immediately afterward the President will go to Ohio. Secretary Sherman is going also, and the formal consideration of public questions will be resumed next week, when the annual reports of the President and members of the Cabinet will be outlined.

The Administration is but little concerned about the reference in the Spanish note to filibustering. A member of the Cabinet said this morning that it is very well known to the Spanish Minister, and through him to the Spanish Ministry, that the United States Government has gone to the very limits of its powers in its determination and effort to arrest filibustering expeditions and putting an end to the practice. Indeed, he says, in the minds of many, the Government has exceeded its duties and obligations in this regard, and Spain knows it.

Europe Won't Help Spain.

Madrid, Oct. 29.—Spain has received replies from the various European powers to her inquiries touching their attitude in case her relations with the United States became ruptured.

It is understood that in the replies Spain was informed that only diplomatic support would be given to her. Some of the continental governments, especially Germany, are understood to expressly repudiate the validity of the Monroe doctrine.

To Wed in Lion's Den.

Boston, Oct. 29.—When the Boston Zoological Society advertised that it wanted an attractive couple to be married in a den of lions at the Zoo, couples were heard from in all parts of New England, but one or the other of the twain always lacked courage.

The couple selected finally are Miss Charlotte Wiberg, of Boston, and Arthur St. Andrassy, of Perth Amboy, N. J.

The bride to be is very pretty, 21 years of age, and was born in this city. The name of the officiating clergyman is withheld for the present.

The ceremony will take place at the Zoo next Thursday.

Asks Damages for Divorce.

Phillipsburg, N. J., Oct. 29.—Mrs. Emma Herring will go to Wilkesbarre, Pa., next week to institute a suit for $20,000 damages against the parents of her husband, George B. Herring, for alienating his affections. Mrs. Herring is 19 years of age. She was formerly Miss Emma Myers, and is the daughter of Uriah Myers, a conductor on the Central Railroad of New Jersey. Young Herring has gone to Oklahoma and begun a suit for divorce under the laws of that State.

Bad Wreck on the Erie.

Binghamton, N. Y., Oct. 29.—Erie train No. 13, the west-bound Wells-Fargo express, was in collision in the yards yesterday morning with a D., L. & W. freight, which was crossing the Erie tracks.

The express engine was thrown off the track. Engineer J. C. Miller, of Elmira, and Fireman R. E. Jessups, of Hornellsville, were badly injured, and the damage is $20,000.

INDICTED FOR MURDER

Nineteen Counts Against the Hazleton Sheriff and Deputies.

BITTER TRIAL EXPECTED

Plenty of Testimony to Show that the Slaughter of the Miners Was Unprovoked—Likely to Stand Together.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Oct. 29.—The Grand Jury has returned true bills against Sheriff Martin and his deputies for the Lattimer shooting. The true bills included nineteen for murder, one for each man killed and one for the victims collectively. Thirty-six true bills were found in the same way against the *same defendants for felonious* wounding. It is understood from this fact that the defendants can have separate trials or can elect to be tried together.

The fact that true bills have been found occasions no surprise, for this action was expected, and if the jury had ignored the bills the defendants would have been at once rearrested. The general feeling here is that the case should be finally disposed of by regular trial, and it is likely that Sheriff Martin and his deputies will elect to stand together. The re-entry of Garman and McGahren into the case indicates that the prosecution will be pushed with vigor, and probably with a good deal of bitterness.

The prosecution has several hundred witnesses who will testify that the shooting by the deputies, on the order of Sheriff Martin, was entirely unprovoked; that no attack was made on the officers, and that the miners had merely crowded around the Sheriff to hear his reading of the order to disperse.

They will testify that the strikers immediately broke ranks, and fled, but that several volleys were fired after them, as the bullet wounds in the backs of many of the dead and injured bear testimony.

The men slain were not among the original hard coal strikers of the Hazleton district, but had been induced to leave the pits a few days previously by a marching column of strikers.

The shooting for which Sheriff Martin and his deputies have been indicted occurred on Sept. 10 at Lattimer, Luzerne County, Pa. A great number of alien coal miners had been on a strike for several weeks, and had been marching about the country and compelling other workmen to quit, in defiance of court injunctions. They had also been guilty of the destruction of property and many assaults. A large mob of strikers gathered at Hazleton on the morning of Sept. 10 and announced the intention of marching against the collieries at Lattimer and driving out the men employed there. Sheriff Martin and a force of deputies, after one brush with the rioters at Hazleton, intercepted them on the edge of the village of Lattimer. The Sheriff ordered the strikers to halt, and stepped forward to read the riot act. They paid no attention to his command, but tried to push him from the road, and the deputies fired, killing nineteen of the rioters and wounding many others.

QUAY AND MARTIN.

Evidence that the Long-Time Antagonists Are United Again.

Philadelphia, Oct. 29.—Local political events confirm the prognostications made some months ago that all signs in Pennsylvania pointed to a coalition between Senator Quay and his old adjutant, now Secretary of the Commonwealth, David Martin. Wednesday Quay paid his first visit to the headquarters of the Republican City Committee in ten years and mingled with the active element in local politics. The Senator left the committee rooms and strolled down the street with Martin.

It was reported six weeks ago that the gap between Quay and Martin in State and local politics had probably been closed. Quay is for the local organization and for the Martin local ticket for city offices in February. Whether he is for Attorney-General McCormick for Governor is doubtful, but the State end of the problem will work itself out before the discontented forces of Bryanism and other elements become formidable in their antagonism to the Republican State organization next year, as heralded last night in a speech at Wilkesbarre, by ex-Governor Pattison.

MADDEN CLAIMS FORFEIT.

And Also Claims the Championship for Gus Rublin.

New York, Oct. 29.—Billy Madden was again at the Illustrated News office at 3 p. m. yesterday to make a match on behalf of Gus Rublin against Peter Maher, but M. J. Connelly, Maher's manager, did not show up or send any word, notwithstanding that he has a forfeit of $500 up to make the match, and made the agreement to be on hand to sign articles.

Madden felt very much disappointed at the failure of the other side to put in an appearance, and said he did not feel justified in giving them any more time. He therefore claimed the forfeit, and said:

"As neither Fitzsimmons, Corbett, Maher or any other heavy-weight will fight my man, who has money up to contest with any white man living, it is but reasonable and consistent, according to all ring rules, to claim the championship for Rublin. This I now do," and the score of sporting men who were present said he was perfectly right.

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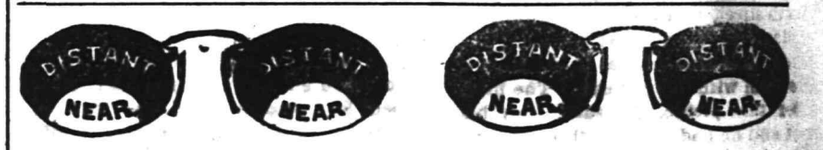

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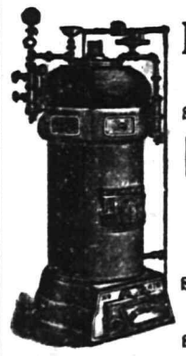

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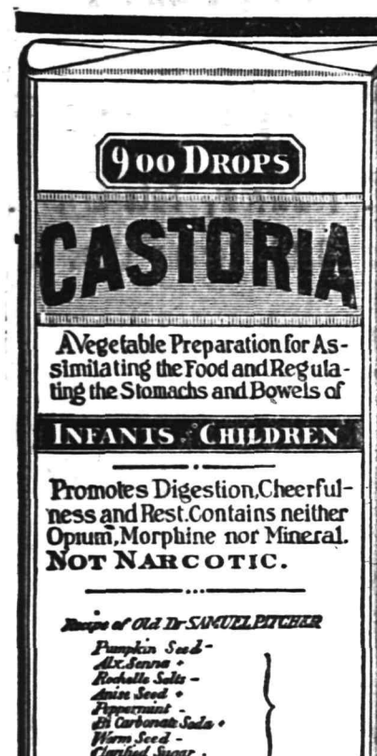

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The said bill is filed to foreclose a mortgage given by Catherine H. McClure and husband to the Trustees of the Episcopal Fund of the Diocese of Newark, dated October 10th, 1893, on lands in the city of Plainfield, and you are made a defendant, because you hold an encumbrance on said lands.

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—The borough marshals have received their new winter suits as well as their new overcoats, and they present a fine appearance.

—An entertainment will be given in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue church tomorrow evening under the auspices of the Willing Workers' Society of the church.

—A cake sale will be held at the home of Mrs. John Doull Miller, on East Ninth street, this afternoon, and the proceeds will be used to help Rev. Louis Walz in his work in the south

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—Trinity Commandery, Knights Templar, will hold a regular meeting on Monday evening.

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—The work of repairing West Front street beyond Grant avenue has been stopped temporarily.

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MOUNTAIN GLEN, Ark.—Our children were suffering with croup when we received a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It afforded almost instant relief.—F. A. Thornton. This celebrated remedy is for sale by T. S. Armstrong, apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

—The steam street roller was out yesterday doing some excellent work in the West End.

A pain in the chest is nature's warning that pheumonia is threatened. Dampen a piece of flannel with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bind over the seat of pain, and another on the back between the shoulders, and prompt relief will follow. Sold by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

—All of the open cars on the street railway have been taken in and closed cars are now being used.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by druggists, price 75c per bottle.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Mrs. Angleman, of 223 East Fourth street, has returned from a visit with friends in Newark.

Those who believe chronic diarrhœa to be incurable should read what Mr. P. E. Grisham, of Gaars Mills, La., has to say on the subject, viz.: "I have been a sufferer from chronic diarrhœa ever since the war and have tried all kinds of medicines for it. At last I found a remedy that effected a cure and that was Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy." This medicine can always be depended upon for colic, cholera morbus, dysentery and diarrhœa. It is pleasant to take and never fails to affect a cure. 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

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News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Advertise in The Daily Press

—Curbing is being laid on Park avenue, near East Seventh street.

—Tomorrow will be celebrated as Hallowe'en as that day falls on Sunday.

—A meeting of the Republican executive committee will be held this evening.

—Warren Engine Company will meet in regular session next Tuesday evening.

—A regular meeting of the West End Hose Company will be held next Monday evening.

—The case against Wallace and others in the city court was dismissed yesterday afternoon.

—The landlord and tenant case of J. A. Blatz against Rilling, before Justice Mattison, was adjourned for two weeks.

—On Grant avenue, between Front and Fourth streets, a stone walk and curbing is being laid. The street is also being repaired.

—A high board fence has been erected on West Front street in front of the Stillman property upon which a building is to be erected.

—This afternoon the Woman's Home Missionary Society of the Crescent Avenue church will meet in the church parlors to sew and make useful articles.

—The New York and New Jersey Telephone Company are having new cables stretched about town to meet the increasing business of the company.

—Alex. Lusardi, of 211 West Front street, has a choice lot of all kinds of fruit, especially California and white grapes, his prices for which are reasonable.

—Tomorrow evening on Somerset street, in the store formerly occupied by Julius J. Stahl, a cake and candy sale will be held for the benefit of Grace M. E. church.

—An enjoyable barn dance was held at the barn of William Lorton, of New Market, last night. Guests were present from New York, Plainfield, Dunellen and New Market.

—The Ladies' Aid Society of Hope Chapel will hold a dime social in the chapel next Monday evening. A programme of music and recitations has been arranged for the occasion.

—Good progress is being made in the preparation for the organization of a militia company. Thirty names have already been enrolled. The number necessary is fifty-three men.

—William Debele, of Somerset street, is making several improvements about his place, and one of them is that of having the frame awning removed from in front of the store.

—The ladies of the First M. E. church, will give a Hallowe'en supper in Vincent chapel Monday evening next. There will be games for the young folks and an old fashioned supper.

—It may be the object of the Street Commission to use the bricks left on West Front street, near Rock avenue, but it seems as though they could have been left in a better place than on the sidewalk and in the gutter.

—The regular meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Park Avenue Baptist church will be held this evening in the lecture room. The subject will be, "Confessing Christ Before Men. Why and How." All are invited.

—Martin Whelan writes to The Press to complain of the burning of rubbage in the "gravel pits" in the eastern end of the city. He says that the stench arising from the burning rubbage is almost unbearable to those living in the neighborhood.

—The is some talk on the part of wheelmen and those who use horses of making Dunellen avenue from Dunellen to Compton avenue a boulevard and have the street put in good condition. This talk is the result of the trolley cars running on Front street, and thereby making travel more or less dangerous.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Probably Fair Tonight and Saturday; Cooler Tonight, With Frost.

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 70 Degrees.

A COSTLY LOVE AFFAIR.

A New York State court has just rendered a verdict that ought to teach men who are in love to defer signing contracts to impart wealth to the idol of their eye until they are sure their affections will not grow cold. It proved a costly transaction for the man in the instance under observation. It seems that he fell in love with a woman who loved so wisely that there is reason to believe that she had been there before. Before this fair lady would consent to give her hand in marriage she demanded that the applicant sign an agreement whereby for a consideration of $1 on her part he was to give her $20,000, with a house and lot thrown in, whenever she demanded it. He did it, believing no doubt that the anti nuptial contract would soon be forgotten in the sea of happiness which their wedding would plunge them into. It is related as a fact that matters did go along swimmingly for a time, but one fateful day there was a spat—possibly induced by indigestible cooking or the failure of the wife to find her husband's collar button under the bed; at any rate there were words and then a parting. The husband, serenely forgetting that the wife had held tightly to the nuptial agreement, lived on unconscious of the impending trouble until one day a nicely-folded parchment, with a blue ribbon and a big seal of red wax, was thrust into his hands by a lawyer's clerk. He read it and—horrors! it was the family skeleton, the agreement of his to give his wife $20,000 and a house and lot for $1 and her love. But the latter was now flown and the $1 wasn't even a chip off of a hemlock plank, figuratively speaking, towards bridging the abyss that loomed up before him. He determined to fight it out and fight he did for three years, but the day of reckoning has come and the Court has decreed that the fair lady made a legal bargain when she sold her love, even if it was only temporary. Inasmuch as the defendant was a widower when he met the fair lady and therefor had had experience in affairs of the heart on a previous occasion, we are forced to believe that love is really blind, as some sage once said, and which people have been sentimentally repeating ever since.

John L. Crowell, Democratic candidate for Surrogate, and Benjamin Lawrence and Dr. Thomas Jefferson Jackson, Democratic candidates for Assembly, were about town yesterday being introduced to voters by James E. Martine. All three are gentlemen of affability and made a favorable impression upon those whom they met. If the election was to be decided by the choice of the handsomest man there isn't much doubt but what Dr. Jackson would certainly be an Assemblyman.

The counsel of each of the County Boards of Freeholders of this State will be advised by a circular from Attorney General Grey that the ballots cast at the special election Sept. 28th, should be removed from the boxes and the latter made ready for next Tuesday's election. This will settle a question about which there has been some perplexity.

—Perseverance Lodge, No. 74, K. of P., will meet tonight and transact routine business.

—The Grand Union Tea Company 138 West Front street will still continue on Friday and Saturday of this week to give to each purchase of one can of baking powder a large size gray dish pan.

—If you intend to purchase an overcoat, ulster, suit or anything in the gent's furnishing line, give Jaquett, 129 East Front street, a call. He is forced to sell goods way below cost to close out his business, and he will offer some exceptional bargains Saturday.

Scrofula is the advertisement of foul blood. It may be entirely driven from the system by the faithful use of Hood's Sarsaparilla, which thoroughly purifies the blood.

Hood's Pills are easy to take, easy to operate. Cure indigestion, biliousness. 25c.

Interesting Local News on the Third Page.

COMING EVENTS.

October 29—Cake and apron sale at Mrs. John Doull Miller's home, Watchung avenue and East Ninth street.

October 29—"Shore Acres" at Music Hall.

October 31—Men's meeting at Y. M. C. A., 4:15 p. m. Captain Agnes Cater, Minnie and Bertie Badenhaupt, will sing with guitar and auto harp.

November 1—Gymnasium classes for women and children taught by Miss MacMartin at the Y. M. C. A.

November 1—Miss MacMartins classes for ladies and children will be resumed in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Mrs. S. T. Wilson is ill at her home on Crescent avenue.

Mrs. Page, of Elmwood place, is detained at home by a slight illness.

Mrs. Andrew Cox, of Liberty street, is much improved from a recent illness.

Miss Elizabeth Lewis, of 822 Madison avenue, will visit relatives in New York Monday.

Dr. E. W. Hedges, of Watchung avenue, has returned from a several weeks' outing.

Miss Martin, of Westervelt avenue, does not improve very much from her serious illness.

Motorman McCormick, of the street railway, has returned from a few days' visit out of town.

L. E Howard and family have taken possession of their new home on LaGrande avenue.

Mrs. W. C. Ayres, of West Second street, has returned after a visit with relatives in New York city.

Mrs. Paul Symons, of East Third street, is at Mt. Carmel, Pa., where her mother is seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Williams, of 839 Madison avenue, will give a supper to Brooklyn friends tomorrow.

Miss Bessie Baldwin, of New York, has returned after a visit with Miss Mabelle Smith, of Westervelt avenue.

Mrs. William Bachman, son and daughter, of Newark, were the guests Wednesday of Mrs. Foster, of Somerset street.

William Lawrence, of Sherman avenue, is out again after being confined at home for several weeks by a broken leg.

Thomas Traynor, employed by Mrs. Eugene Hoerster, of Somerset street has gone to Ireland to visit his old home for two months.

John Philip, of New London, Conn., who was a resident of this city eighteen years ago, paid a visit Wednesday to Justice Joseph E. Mosher.

Miss Boorman, whose summer home is in Massachusetts, is spending the week at the home of her sister, Mrs Charles Pond, of Washington avenue.

Mrs. Place, wife of former Mayor Charles A. Place, of Grove street, is spending a week with her daughter, Mrs. B. L. Smith, at Fishkill-on-the-Hudson.

John A. Hull and family are planning to move from Grove street where they have resided a number of years to the house corner of Putnam and Carlton avenues.

Mrs. Frank W. Edwards, of Bayonne, and Mrs. Oliver Edwards, of Brooklyn, were the guests, Wednesday, of Mrs. Samuel H. Edwards, of LaGrande avenue

Miss C. R. Yates, Mrs. Krom and Mrs. Parse left yesterday morning for Camden, where they will attend the annual meeting of the State Federation of Women's Clubs.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Justice Nash has issued executions in the cases of Schwed against Garly, Edsall against Emmons, and Turton against Phillips.

—The Slape house on West Front street, owned by the city, is now all ready to be removed to a place adjoining the City Industrial Home.

—Martha Washington Council, No. 23, Daughters of America, will hold a fair in Washington Hall during the week commencing November 22d.

—Justice Nash has issued summons in the contract cases of Brown et als., against Gulberg et als., and Griffin against Smith, returnable on the 3d.

—The borough marshals have received their new uniforms and overcoats from Sebring, the tailor. They were very satisfactory and looked well on the marshals.

—Rev. Dr. Yerkes delivered an address on "Spiritual Power" yesterday before the New Jersey Baptist Education Society holding its session in Trenton in connection with the State convention.

—All arrangements are now complete for the Sons of Veterans fair which will open next Monday evening in Washington Hall on West Second street A great list of attractions have been arranged for.

—A meeting of the joint committee from Columbia and Central Lodges, A. O. U. W., was held last Monday to settle up the accounts of the recent public meeting. The meeting was adjourned subject to the call of the chairman, J. W. A. Bauersachs.

VANEMBURGH & SON

Will open a SPECIAL SALE Tomorrow, Saturday, and Continue for ONE WEEK, or Until Certain Lines Are Closed Out.

1 Lot	Gent's White Underwear, odd sizes,	20c
1 Lot	Gent's Fine White Wool Underwear, were 1.35, now	85c
1 Lot	Gent's Grey Underwear, were 1.00, now	75c
1 Lot	Gent's Grey Wool Underwear to close out at	45c
1 Lot	Gent's Heavy Natural Wool garments at	50c
1 Lot	Gent's Camel's Hair garments at	50c
1 Lot	Fine Ribbed garments for Ladies at 25c, 39c, 49c, 55c, 75c and $1.00	

Knit Corset Covers at 29c. Barnsley Table Linen, double weight, value $1.00---65c. These are only a Few of the Specials we have to offer. Come and see for yourself.

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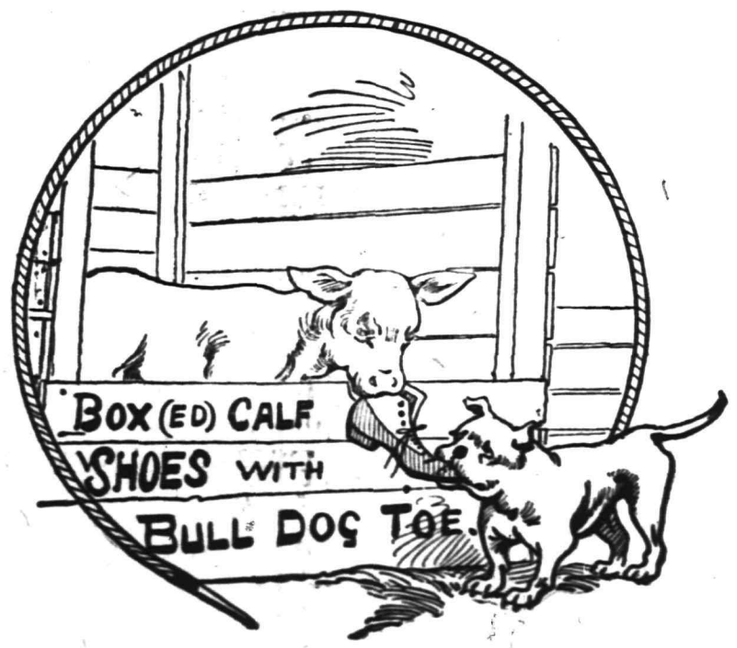

Ladies' calf bals, bull dog toes, $1.50; Ladies' calf bals, hand sewed, $2.25; Misses' calf lace shoes, all solid, $1.25; Children's calf lace shoes, $1.

Men's box calf bals, calf lined, invisible cork sole, $3.

Rubber sole, English cap toe, strictly water proof, men's shoes, $3.

Milton calf bals, calf lined, bull dog toe, invisible cork sole, $3.

Men's invisible cork sole calfskin shoes, bull dog toe, leather lined, SPECIAL $2. Men's invisible cork sole enameled bals, $2.50. Our leader men's double sole lace and congress shoes, $1.50.

Do not purchase any Winter shoes until you have seen these beauties. They are right, just right. We have the best boy's $1 shoe in the city.

Ask for Stamps.

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Jos. W. Gavett.

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SPECIAL NOTICE!

We have just received our new

Fall Suitings and Trouserings.

Trousers to order, $5, $6 and $7.

Business Suits to order, $15 and $20.

SEBRING'S, 202 West Front Street.

Oak Dining Tables, $4.50 up.

Oak Sideboards, $9 up.

Oak Dining Chairs, 95c. each up.

POWLISON & JONES,

149-151 EAST FRONT ST.

SOME

Phenomenal Chances

ON

Friday and Saturday.

Sensational Values in Cloak Department!

A big purchase at our own price enables us to offer these three unheard of values.

Black and navy Beaver jackets, fly front, half silk lined, 26 inch long, $3.50, worth $5.50.

Black Boucle jackets, fly front, Kersey strapped seams, half silk lined, 26 inch long, finely made, at $6.50, worth $9.

Black Astrachan jackets, all silk lined, exceptional quality and handsomely made, at $8.50, worth $11.

Separate Dress Skirts.

These two exceptional values, black figured skirts, full width, at $1.49, worth $2. Black figured skirts of fine material, fine'y made, at $3, worth $4.

GENTS' FURNISHINGS.

Unequalled values for Friday and Saturday.

Heavy natural wool shirts and drawers, all sizes to 48 in., 39c and 32c.

Heavy grey underwear, all sizes to 48 in., 23c.

Heavy white underwear, 23c.

BOY'S UNDERWEAR.

Natural wool, all sizes, 23c. Boy's heavy white underwear, all sizes, 20c.

A NEW FEATURE, MEN'S HATS

The most fashionable shapes, and we are going to cut prices on Friday and Saturday to introduce this department. Derby hats, Youmans, Miller & Dunlap Blocks, the $2.00 kind $1.75, the $2.50 kind $2.00. Tourists hats, the $1.75 kind $1.49.

FURNISHINGS.

½ hose fast black, 9c pr. Natural wool ½ hose, 10c and 12½c pr.

SUSPENDERS.

10c and 12½c per pair, worth 15c and 20c. 4 ply linen collars 9c, cuffs 10c. Silk initial handkerchiefs, 15c. Teck scarfs, 25c.

BLANKETS and COMFORTABLES.

10-4 white blankets 47c, 59c and 65c. All-wool blankets, $3.89. Comfortables 49c and 65c. Full size comfortable, white cotton filled, at 98c.

BOYS' CLOTHING DEPARTMENT.

A complete new stock, and some introductery values for Friday and Saturday. Boys' suits, all worsted, double breasted, nicely made, sizes 4 to 8, $1.95, worth $2.50. Double breasted suits, all wool, braid trimmed, sizes 4 to 10, $2.25, worth $2.75.

HOSIERY—Interesting Values from a Great Hosiery Store.

We handle only good hosiery, and all values we offer are for perfect, clean goods and far less than you would pay elsewhere. Ladies' fast black seamless hose 7c, 9c, 12½c. Children's fast black seamless hose, size 5 to 10, at 10c per pair. Children's fine ribbed hose, extra heavy, 15c per pair.

DRESS GOODS DEPARTMENT.

All wool Gilbert cloth, 12 different shades, 54 inch wide, at 47c yard. 38 inch Novelty goods, 10 different patterns, at 47c. 38 inch Novelty goods, 5 different colorings, 35c. 40 inch Novelty goods, very handsome colorings, at 79c yard.

1,000 yards Outing flannel, at 4c yd. 1,000 yards Indigo blue print at 4½c. 1,000 yards Shaker flannel at 4½c. 1,000 yards Plaid dress goods at 5c. 1,000 yds Linen toweling at 6c. 5 pieces all linen table Damask at 22c.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Isaac Stites is having a new roof put on his blacksmith shop.

Mrs. D. P. Runyon has been enjoying a visit from Newark friends.

Mrs. J. B. Eick is entertaining company from Clinton, Hunterdon county.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Bodine are expected home from Canada next week.

George Richardson has secured a handsome new horse for light driving.

John Stelle was in town yesterday calling on old friends and acquaintances.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bunyon are entertaining company from New Durham.

Justice Storms, of New Market, was called to Plainfield yesterday on business.

Miss Coriell, of New Market, was the guest of friends in Plainfield yesterday.

Mrs. John Fenner and daughter, of Pluckamin, are visiting relatives in the borough.

A routine business meeting of the fire company was held last evening at headquarters.

Mrs. Wilson Fredericks is visiting her sister, Mrs. Clarence Oakley, of New Brunswick.

Father Murphy, assistant rector of St. Mary's church, Plainfield, was a guest in town yesterday.

A regular meeting of the Board of Education will be held next Tuesday evening in the Whittier School.

A fair will be held in Friendship Hall, New Market, November 9th, under the auspices of the Episcopal church.

Lakeside Council, Daughters of Liberty, will entertain several neighboring councils on the evening of November 4th.

Rev. Frank Fletcher, of New Market, has returned from Trenton, where he attended the State convention of Baptists.

The contract case of Aaron Brower against George Tappen will be tried next Monday morning before Justice Storms at New Market.

The Twilight Club, of New Market, will meet tomorrow evening at the home of Miss Pierce and celebrate the event of Hallowe'en.

Mrs. Vergie Tunison, who has been living in the borough for sometime past, expects to spend the winter at her home at Glen Gardner.

John Ritter had charge of Isaac Stites' blacksmith shop yesterday, while the latter was attending the Epworth League convention at Plainfield.

SCOTCH PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Edward L. Hand expects to occupy his newly-fitted hotel Monday.

Rev. J. S. Braker will lead the prayer meeting in the Baptist church tonight.

Miss Jennie Cudy, of New Brunswick, spent yesterday with friends in this place.

Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Lillian Nicholl and L. VanDyke.

Miss Mattie Brown, of Cranford, is spending a few days with relatives in Fanwood.

The Scotch Plains football team will play the Dunellen team on the Scotch Plains grounds tomorrow afternoon.

Rev. J. S. Braker delivered an address at the Union County Sunday-school convention which was held at Cranford yesterday.

A few weeks ago the editor was taken with a very severe cold that caused him to be in a most miserable condition. It was undoubtedly a bad case of la grippe and recognizing it as dangerous he took immediate steps to bring about a speedy cure. From the advertisement of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the many good recommendations included therein, we concluded to make a first trial of the medicine. To say that it was satisfactory in its results, is putting it very mildly, indeed. It acted like magic and the result was a speedy and permanent cure. We have no hesitancy in recommending this excellent Cough Remedy to anyone afflicted with a cough or cold in any form.—The Banner of Liberty, Libertytown, Maryland. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Dr. D. C. Adams, in company with some friends, is enjoying a few days' hunting trip.

WESTFIELD

VARIOUS BITS OF NEWS.

WESTFIELD HAPPENINGS SERVED UP TERSELY FOR THE PRESS.

Many People Go and Come in the Pretty Suburban Town—Items Interesting Because of Their Brevity

The public schools will be closed next Tuesday.

The fall reunion and church festival will be held in the Congregational church tonight.

Harry P. Condit, of New York State, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. P. Condit.

Mrs. H. Smith, of Broad street, has returned from a visit with Miss Belle Flowers, at Montclair.

Mrs. John Pierson, of Lockport, N. Y., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Clark, of Broad street.

An entertainment and reunion will be held at the New York Avenue Baptist church this evening.

Rev. Wm. H. Ruth attended the district Epworth League convention held at Plainfield yesterday.

Thomas England, of Mountainside, is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. England, of Mountain avenue.

The T. O. S. will hold a progressive heart party at the residence of R. V. Hoffman, of Mountain avenue, this evening.

The Westfield Third football team will play the Second Alis team, of Plainfield, on the North Broad street grounds tomorrow morning.

The Presbyterian Thimble Club will hold its first meeting of the season at the residence of Mrs. Irving R. Douglass, on Prospect street, this evening.

The Westfield Universal football team will play the Battin High School team on the South Broad street grounds, at Elizabeth, tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The Westfield Club's football team is now holding its practices on the tennis courts next to the clubhouse, where electric lights have been placed to enable the team to practice at night. Preparations are now being made for the game with Cranford on Election Day.

After abandoning their efforts for a few months, burglars have again begun depredations in Westfield. An entrance was forced to the Union County Standard building, corner of Prospect street and North avenue, Wednesday night, and several offices in the building were ransacked. From the office of M. L. Salisbury, a civil engineer, a surveying instrument valued at $200 and a set of drawing tools were taken. From the rooms of Ralph and Lee Pearsall, on the same floor, a number of musical instruments, a revolver, a gun and some clothing was taken. These articles were discovered later on in a closet in Mr. Salisbury's office. The thieves evidently expected to return and secure these later on. An attempt was also made Wednesday night to gain an entrance to the residence of C. A. Brown, on New York avenue. The family were aroused by a noise and on investigation found the window sash cut away next to the latch.

LINCOLN.

Ground has been broken for the new town hall and schoolhouse.

Contracts will be awarded Monday for the laying of water pipes through Beechwood Heights and the streets of Lincoln.

The fires were started in the boilers in the Lincoln Steel Works yesterday, and as the smoke came rolling out of the stack there was great rejoicing among the inhabitants of the rapidly growing town. The factory will be in full operation in a few weeks.

THE DAMROSCH RECITAL.

Wierd Music-Drama of Wagner Interpreted in an Explanatory Recital.

Probably few men in the musical world are better fitted to interpret the wierd music-dramas of that musical wizard, Richard Wagner, than the well-known New York musician and conductor, Walter Damrosch, who last night gave an explanatory recital at the Casino of the Union County Country Club.

The story of "Siegfried," was told in music in Wagner's drama with the utmost fidelity. To show how perfectly subject and harmony were in accordance was the aim of Mr. Damrosch. He told the story of the opera often in the words of the text, and at the same time played portions of the score on the grand piano, showing how almost every word of the text had its corresponding note in the music. He also explained carefully each of the principal "motives" of the opera, which each describe some one thing, and which, singly or in combination, may be traced through the whole music-drama.

Mr. Damrosch's playing of Wagner's music is unusually sympathetic and enthusiastic, and shows a deep knowledge of the meaning of music, a thorough comprehension of the tecnique of the art, and a true understanding of and sympathy with human nature. His interpretation of "Siegfried," was an education and a delight to his appreciative audience, and invested the romantic story with a new charm.

THEATRICAL.

Of "Shore Acres" it has been said that it is not a play, but a leaf torn from the book of nature and held up to the gaze of human eyes that men may learn the futility of worldly ambition and the beauty of unselfishness and devotion to others. Mr. Hearne's play has certainly achieved a most remarkable success and it promises to attract the cover of the drama for many years to come. Although it is almost entirely free from the old and stereotyped form of dramatic situations and climaxes, its story is a powerful one and follows the trials of Uncle Nat and his loved ones with almost breathless interest. At Music Hall tonight.

Reform Club Interest.

An interesting meeting of the Reform Club was held in their hall on West Second street last night. About 150 persons were present to enjoy the programme, which included remarks by Messrs. Marcley, Lee and Sayres, and musical selections by Guttman's orchestra. Another entertaining meeting is being arranged for next Thursday night.

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The fac simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper

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What would you think of a lawyer who tried to secure clients by offering chances on a bicycle? Would you want the services of a physician who offered to give coal hods or sofa pillows to patients who employed him regularly?

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FRANK ROWLEY,
DRUGGIST,
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—A regular meeting of Crescent Division, No. 13, U. R., K. of P., will be held this evening.

—The November meeting of the Plainfield Board of Education will be held on Monday evening.

—The floor to the lecture room in the Trinity Reformed church is being laid and will be completed in a short time.

—George Kyte, of Fanwood, was among those present at the Republican meeting held in this city last evening.

—The Woman's Relief Corps will be inspected tomorrow evening by the division inspector of the New Jersey department.

—An entertainment will be held in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue church tomorrow night. It will be "Living Pictures."

—J. Frank Hubbard is in charge of the erection of the new Stillman building at the corner of Madison avenue and West Front street.

—Weinberger has inaugurated another great slaughter of clothing. His large advertisement in today's Press tells the story better than it can be impressed here.

Interesting Local News on the Third Page.

Warerooms open till nine on Saturday evening.

Don't Miss This Chance!

During this great October Piano Sale, we're selling good new Upright Pianos for less money than equally good Pianos were ever sold before. $170 cash, or $190 on time, worth $250. Five years' guarantee with each.

If you think of buying a Piano we can save you FIFTY DOLLARS—during October Every one of our HARDMAN, GABLER, VOSE, STERLING and STANDARD PIANOS is marked down that much for this Sale.

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—Last evening, at the meeting of Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., reports from the delegates to the State Council were presented by Ephraim Compton and Harvey Thorn.

BICYCLES AND SPORTSMEN'S GOODS

ATHLETICS.

A complete line of Gymnasium Goods on our shelves, both for practice and wear We supply everything for the athlete.

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WANTS AND OFFERS.

$500 wanted on second mortgage; "Gilt Edge" property; state terms, no agents. Address Mortgage, care Press. 10 25 tf

WANTED—Young woman, German or Swede, for general housework, no washing; references. 508 Central avenue. 10 27 tf

WANTED—Capable girl as laundress. Apply with references, 452 West Eighth street. 10 27 3

DESIRABLE house, low rental, improved. 235 East Sixth street. Call, 231. 9 10 tf

POSITIVE bargain; desirable dwelling for sale at a sacrifice. Address Owner, care Press. 10 23 tf

FIRST-CLASS help and first class places at the Swedish intelligence office, 23 Somerset place. s 23 tf

FIRST-class places furnished girls out of employment; and reliable help secured for those desiring girls, at St. Joseph's Home, (Non Sectarian), 43 Manning avenue. 11 23 tf

WANTED—Three or four men, canvassers. Call at 303 West Fourth street, Kenyon, after 4 p. m. 19 26 4

WANTED—Ericsson or Rider hot-air pumps. Charles I. Hobkirk, 45 Dey street, New York. 10 28 6

WANTED—Situation at any kind of work by colored man; housework or take care of horses. 131 Madison avenue. 10 28 3

WANTED—50 horses to board for the winter. Inquire or address 503 LaGrande avenue, Plainfield. 10 28 3

WANTED—Colored girl for general housework, washing and ironing; Plainfield references required. 319 Webster Place. 10 28 2

FOR SALE—Old violin in perfect condition. 145 East Fifth street 10 28 3

6 rooms to let. Apply 211 New street; immediate possession. 10 28 3

BABCOCK BLOCK — Offices, flats and large room, for lodge or meetings. Elevator to all floors. 9 1 eod tf

STORE and dwelling connected, to let or for sale. Apply 214 Richmond street. 10 25 eod tf

TO LET—Part of store and basement. 120 West Front street.

FOR SALE—Set light double driving harness, about new; cheap. 331 East Fifth street.

WILL person who took umbrella by mistake from Monroe Avenue church, Monday, Oct. 25th, please return same to 543 West Eighth street.

WANTED—Girl for general housework, understanding cooking, washing and ironing; personal reference required. 230 East Fifth street.

TO LET—Modern house near Washingtonville; rent low to responsible person. Address C, care Press.

FOR SALE—Leaving town; 1 wagonette, 6 passengers, 1 high tandem cart, 16 inch wheel, with tandem harness, all nearly as good as new; will sell half original cost. Call 112 Rockview avenue. 10 29 2

WANTED—Woman dish washer at once. McVey's restaurant.

WANTED—Competent white girl to do general housework. Apply 543 West 8th St.

WANTED — A girl for general housework. Apply at 47 West ervelt avenue. 10 29 2

FOR SALE at a decided sacrifice, house containing 12 rooms and bath room, all improvements, fine stable and carriage house, about acre of ground, select neighborhood. Bargain, care Press.

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values. Not ordinary every day lots at ordinary every day prices, but bargains in every sense of the word.

40 in Fancy Plaids....49c
40 in silk and wool Mixtures....48c
54 in Ladies' Cloth....49c
50-in Broad Cloth....79c
45-in Granite Suiting....49c
50-in Boucle Suiting....69c

A Silk Sale

When you read this we will have on sale two thousand yards of the finest black silk ever shown in this town of yours and ours from the great auction sale of Schuarzenback, Huber & Co., all bought 40 per cent below their value and sold the same way.

Beautiful Faille....69 cts
Satin Rhadames....79 and 85 cts
Satin Mascottes....89 and 98 cts

A postal card will bring you samples.

Hosiery and Underwear.

Just the opening items. Goods and prices talk stronger than columns of chat. 'Twill be our busy week in hosiery and underwear.

Children's fleeced lined vests and pants, ...5c up
Children's natural wool vests and pants, ...10c up
Ladies' ribbed vests and pants, fleeced 25c
Ladies' natural wool vests and pants, 50c
Children's heavy school hose, all sizes 10c
Ladies' fine seamless hose, fast black 12c
Ladies' extra fine hose, 25c kind, 18c pair

Men's Furnishings.

Men's heavy wool shirts....29c
natural wool shirts....38c
outing shirts....32c
white linen shirts....33c
suspenders, 25c kind....13c
half hose....10c pair
silk neckwear, 50c kind... 25c
cambric handkerchiefs 5c each
linen handkerchiefs...15c each

A Book Bargain.

Over 500 finely-bound Novels that 'twill pay you to buy now for Christmas. Regular prices 50c, 75c and $1. Our price 19c, and take your pick.

A Cloak Week.

Many new lots from the best makers. The coat or cape you want is among them, and it won't cost you so much as you think. We ask you to inspect our stock.

Kid Gloves.

Famous kid glove values—we make every customer a satisfied one in this important department. Four-button and five-hook P. L. gloves, $1.00 warranted. SPECIAL.—100 pairs of two-clasp P. L. gloves, red tans, slightly imperfect, real value $1.25, our price 59c. We sell the celebrated Kayser double-tip cashmere gloves, 25c, 35c, 50c. Every pair warranted.

Corsets.

The best corset ever sold for 50c is here in black, white and drab—'tis the called Comet. Ask to see the Sonnette corset, a medium short waist, made of French contill and full boned—the price $1. The Kosmo, an extra heavy black corset, is a good one—price 75c. We carry a full line of W. B., P. N., Her Majesty and Thompson's corsets.

To Be Seen.

On second floor. Take elevator.

Fine cambric wrappers....75c | Flannelette wrappers....98c
Fancy wool plaid shirt waists....$1.37
Russian blouse waists, made of pretty worsted goods, $2.75. Skirts to match, $4. Suits, $6.75.
Corset covers....9c, 12c, 17c, 19c and 25c each.
Fine black satine skirts....$1, $1.25, $1.75 and $2.
Boys' outing flannel shirt waists....25c, 29c and 50c

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Pure Sape Maple Syrup....85c gal
Condensed Milk....6c can
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95c doz. High Grade Tomatoes....8c can
80c doz. Sweet Corn....7c can
90c doz. Fancy Marrowfat Peas....8c can
$1.10 doz. Early June Peas....10c can
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80c doz. Boston Baked Beans....7c can
90c doz. Fancy Pumpkins....8c can
$1.30 doz. Fancy White Cherries....12c can
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Number of Victims May be Swelled to Twenty-Six.

SFVERAL PERSONS MISSING

Search for the Dead in the River Renewed with Vigor—Woman's Body Still Unidentified—One Wreck Theory Disproved.

New York, Oct. 29.—The search for the bodies of the victims of the New York Central horror is being pushed with great diligence, as it is now thought possible that eight bodies are still in the river. Six persons who are believed to have boarded the ill-fated train are missing. These are:

JOHN WATERS, a plumber, employed by Maar Bros., Poughkeepsie.
ANNIE BURKE, 16 Centre street, Poughkeepsie.
JOHN LUGERT, a baker, of Hudson, N. Y.
JOHN DEVINE, a bartender, of Syracuse, N. Y.
FRANK B. ORMSBY, of Syracuse, N. Y.
MRS. M'GRATH, of Pawling, N. Y.

Inquiries have been received from relatives of these persons by Coroner Wood and all declare their fears that they have met death in the wreck.

If all the people that are reported missing yesterday were lost in the Buffalo express the dead list will foot up to twenty six.

The identification of the woman's body supposed to be Mrs. Mary Theirs, of Cleveland, proved to be wrong. Mrs. Theirs is alive and well. The body is not yet identified.

The theory that the breaking down of the engine caused the wreck was disposed of yesterday when the forward truck of the locomotive was raised. The truck was intact, and even if it had been found broken the officials would not have held it as proof that a break-down had caused the accident. They declare that the dynamite plot theory was as reasonable as any.

The work of dredging the river for the missing bodies was continued yesterday afternoon. A diver was also at work, but he found no indications of any bodies up to last night. The muddy condition of the river makes it difficult for the diver to see anything. He has to trust mainly to his sense of touch.

General Manager Toucey, of the railroad, said yesterday that he is satisfied that the cause of the break of the roadbed was that the engine jumped the track and by its weight and impact crushed the earth embankment and toppled the wall over from the top. He says positively that the wall did not slide off from the bottom. The engine ran 100 feet beyond the break before it plunged into the river, and the cars, breaking loose from it, also went down into the river. If this be true it would account for the two distinct shocks which the witnesses testified to at the inquest last night. The first shock would have come from the checking of the train when the engine struck the ties and earth, and the second one when the cars plunged into the hole and river.

Mystery Unsolved Yet.

President Depew, of the New York Central, said yesterday that the mystery of Sunday's accident had not yet been solved.

"I want to say, however," he said, "in reference to statements contained in certain newspapers, that we have been for a long time receiving reports that our roadbed is unsafe, that the policy of the New York Central is and always has been to drive away the traveling public to other roads by keeping our roadbeds in such a condition that we are likely to kill a train load of people at almost any time. That is the way we make our money. The statement that we have gone over the heads of our engineering department which has charge of the roadbed is absurd. Mr. Katte, our chief engineer, is acknowledged to be one of the greatest experts of the country, and we have implicit confidence in him. However, to convince the public that we are leaving nothing undone, we have employed other experts to supplement the work of Mr. Katte. I have nothing to say in reference to the reports of engineers employed by some papers, except that superficial examinations are not always to be relied upon."

Poughkeepsie, Oct. 29.—John Devine and John Waters, of this city, who were thought to have perished in the wreck at Garrisons, are both safe. Devine returned from New York Wednesday night and says he saw Waters there and that he was unhurt.

Luetgert Out with His Counsel.

Chicago, Oct. 29.—Adolph L. Luetgert, the sausage maker who was tried recently for the alleged murder of his wife, and concerning whose guilt the jury disagreed, has quarreled with ex-Judge Vincent, his chief counsel, and it is likely that Vincent will withdraw from the case.

Luetgert was sullen and ill-tempered yesterday. He sent for the Assistant State's Attorney, Ramsay, to consult with him about the new trial. Ex-Judge Vincent urged Luetgert to agree to a reasonable continuance of the case. Luetgert was obdurate and refused. Then Vincent plainly told the sausage maker that the case would be continued if he was to have any voice in it in future.

Both sides agreed yesterday to have the case set for trial on Monday, November 18.

Dollar Wheat Again.

New York, Oct. 29.—The dollar mark was reached again by December wheat on the Produce Exchange yesterday. Sales at that price were made just before the official close of business at 2.15 o'clock, and the fact was the cause of cheering by the brokers in the wheat pit. The official close for the future was at $1.00, as gainst 98⅝ cents on Monday. Later, on the curb, futures to a considerable amount were dealt in at the dollar price.

Boy Killed by a Bull.

Reading, Pa., Oct. 29.—Milton Eyrich, aged 14 years, employed on a farm above this city, went into the field yesterday morning to drive the herd of cows to water. A bull plunged for the boy, tossed him into the air, caught him on his horns the second time and again tossed him up. One horn penetrated the boy's abdomen. The bull was driven off and killed, and the boy died about the same time.

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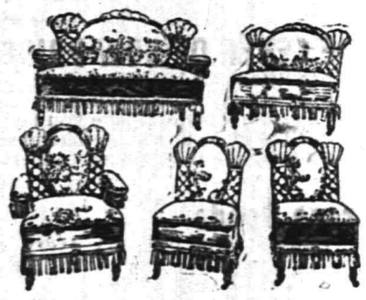

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20th Day of December

next, the names of the defaulters with their respective taxes will be returned to the City Judge for prosecution. The Commissioners of Appeal in cases of taxation in and for the said City will meet at the Council Chamber, No. 109 Park avenue, Plainfield, N. J., on the

4th Tuesday of November

next, (November 23rd, 1897,) at two o'clock p. m., to hear complaints relating to assessments.

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Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 8 00, 8 50, 8 32, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 6 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 9 15, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday, 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 10, 11 16 a. m.; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 22 p. m.

Leave New York, foot Liberty street, at 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00 a. m; 12 00 m., 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45 p. m.; 12 15, 1 00 night. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00, 9 00 9 15 a. m.; 12 m.; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 5 30, 7 00 7 30, 9 00, 10 00 p. m.; 12 15 night; 1 00 a. m.

Leave New York from Whitehall street at 7 00, 7 55, 8 25, 8 55, 9 55, 11 55 a. m., 1 00, 1 25, 2 25, 3 25, 3 55, 4 25, 4 55, 5 25, 5 55, 6 25, 6 55, 7 50, 8 25 9 10, 9 55, 11 30 p. m., 12 10 night. Sundays—At 7 00, 8 55 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 2 30, 3 55, 5 25, 6 55, 7 25, 8 25, 9 50 p. m., 12 10 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 50, 8 00, 8 32, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 01, 52, 10 08, 11 16 a. m.; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 18, 7 55, 8 38, 9 03, 10 05 a. m.; 12 10, 1 15, 1 35, 2 35, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 25, 5 42, 6 12, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 05 p. m. Sunday, 7 15, 9 05, 9 30, 10 35 a. m.; 1 10, 1 35, 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 20, 10 20 p. m.

Passengers for Newark please change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a.m 1 01, 2 11, 2 52, 3 35, 4 36, 5 03, 5 15, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 16, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p. m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 06, 9 55, a. m; 2 03, 3 39, 6 05, 8 30, 10 15, 11 14 p. m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35 45, 8 13, 9 02, 9 48, 11 45, a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05 3 25, 4 25, 5 28, 6 08, 6 40, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05 p. m Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a. m; 12 05, 1 20, 5 15, 6 35, 7 53, 9 05, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a. m., 1 01, 2 11, 4 55, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 9 05 a. m; 2 03 6 35 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a. m; 12 32, 4 04, 7 00, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 52 a. m; 6 30 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 9 54 a. m; 5 03, 5 15 p. m

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For staticns to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, & c. with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

1 01 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for station on D., L. & W. R. R.

2 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, MauchChunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

4 55 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Scranton, Wilkesbarre, Tamaqua, Shamokin, (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

5 03 and 5 15 p. m., way or Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg.

9 51 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8 05 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

9 05 a. m. Sundays for Easton.

4 09 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

6 09 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 35 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, etc., and at Junction for D., L. & W. R. R.

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For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 37, 8 13, 9 28, 10 27 a. m.; 1 15, 3 51, 5 52, 5 54, 7 03 p. m. Sundays, 8 52 a. m.; 3 50 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10 27 a. m.; 1 15. 3 51, 5 52 p. m.

For Lakewood, Toms River and Barnegat 3 37, 8 13 a. m.; 1 15, 3 51 p. m. Sundays 8 52 a.m

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Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 17, 8 44, 9 46, 10 44 a. m.; 2 17, 5 36*, 6 45, 8 21, 9 37*, 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 8 44, 9 55, 10 44 a. m.; 2 25, 4 55, 6 09*, 6 45 p m.; 1 17 night.

For Trenton, 5 17, 8 44, 9 46 a. m.; 1 01, 2 17, 4 55, 6 36*, 6 39* 8 21, 9 37* p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 8 44, 9 55 a. m.; 2 25, 4 55, 5 09, 6 36* p. m.; 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 8 44, 10 44 a. m.; 2 17, 5 36*, 6 45 p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 10 44 a. m.; 5 09*, 6 45 p. m.; 1 17 night.

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7 10 p. m., daily except Sunday, for Slatington and principal intermediate stations.

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For Perth Amboy and intermediate stations 6 48, 7 50, 10 05 a. m., 12 13, 2 33, 5 20, 7 10 p. Sunday 8 00, 9 00, local a. m. 2 20 and 7 10 p. m.

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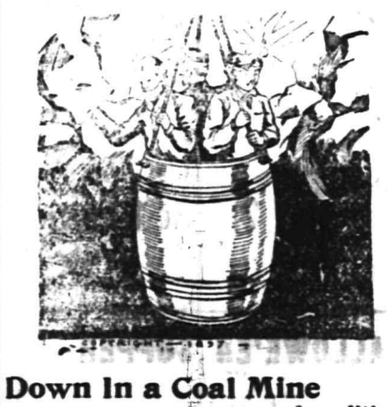

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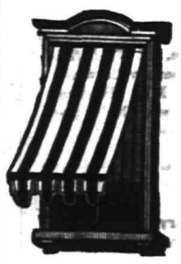

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YOUNG SON FOR CLEVELAND.

Baby Boy Born to the Ex-President Yesterday.

Princeton, N. J., Oct. 29.—Mrs. Grover Cleveland gave birth to a son at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Mother and child are doing well. The baby weighed twelve pounds. The Clevelands now have four children, Ruth, Marion, Esther and the latest arrival. The ex-President's great desire is gratified. He has long wished for a son.

The news spread quickly around the town and campus, and the students made merry last night over the prospect of a big guard or even a centre rush for the 1917 'varsity eleven. The announcement of the safe arrival of Grover Cleveland, Jr., was made on the university bulletin board in the afternoon. A large crowd of students were soon collected, and somebody called for "a triple cheer for the kid," which was given with such a hearty will that the noise could plainly be heard in the Cleveland house.

A little knot of Mr. Cleveland's personal friends gathered in the drawing-room of the Bayard avenue house last night to offer congratulations. The child, muffled in softest clothes, was brought into the room and a toast was drunk to his health.

FEAR OF CUBAN VENGEANCE.

It Is All That Prevents Great Outrages in Havana.

Havana, Oct. 27, via Key West, Oct. 28.—Two dynamite bombs exploded on Tuesday in the neighborhood of El Cerro, Havana City. The bombs did some damage to baracks occupied by Spanish soldiers, but neither killed nor wounded anybody. It is generally believed that the explosion was caused by Cubans merely to warn the Spanish volunteers not to carry out their threats of committing murder during the proposed demonstration in favor of Gen. Weyler. There is no doubt that if the volunteers repeat their butcheries of 1869 some conspicuous Spaniards will be killed by the Cubans in retaliation, and Havana will fall into a state of anarchy in which the foreign residents will be imperiled.

Only fear of Cuban revenge is likely to prevent rapine and murder by the volunteers on the defenseless native families living in the capital. The report that the government of Senor Sagasta, in order to prevent those outrages, intends to discharge the volunteers and disarm them, is not credited here by the people who know the relations which the Spanish governments have always maintained with the savage mob, officially styled "the most patriotic Institution of Volunteers of Havana."

EX-MAYOR CURTIS MARRIED.

Slips Away from Boston and Weds Miss Waterman in Chicago.

Chicago, Oct. 29.—Ex-Mayor Edwin C. Curtis, of Boston, was married here at noon yesterday to Miss Maud Waterman at the home of Miss Waterman's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hall. Bishop Cheney performed the ceremony. The couple left last evening for a brief wedding trip before their return to Boston. So far as the Boston public is concerned, the wedding was a runaway match. Ex-Mayor Curtis is engaged in a political campaign in which he is expected to stand for a second election at the hands of the Republicans, and on that account all arrangements for the marriage were kept secret.

Miss Waterman has been living with her sister for two years, so the ex-Mayor quietly slipped away from his friends, came out here, and was married before any of them knew of it.

The Papal Allocution.

Rome, Oct. 29.—The next consistory has been fixed to be held in December. The Papal allocution, which will then be read, will deplore the recent anti-clerical measures adopted by the Government.

It is understood that the Congregation of the Propaganda Fide have agreed upon the nominations to be submitted to the Pope for the bishoprics of Vancouver, Concordia and New Orleans.

Minister Hoshi to Retire.

Washington, Oct. 29.—The appearance of the story from Honolulu predicting the removal of the Japanese Minister Toru Hoshi, and the immediate appointment of a successor, created no surprise at the Japanese Legation. It was said, however, that the Minister's stay in the United States after his return, which is looked for about the first of the year, will be for a limited period only.

Preacher Kills His Wife.

Columbia, S. C., Oct. 29.—The Rev. J. Burdine, a Baptist preacher, living in the upper part of Pickens County, shot his wife yesterday through the head, killing her instantly. Then he fired a bullet into his own head. He is still living, but unconscious. Mrs. Burdine was a sister of Maj. Stewart, clerk of the Court of Pickens.

World's Record Smashed Again.

Philadelphia, Oct. 29.—Eddie McDuffie yesterday at Willow Grove bicycle track, established a new world's record for one mile, paced, covering the distance in 1m., 35 2-5s., three-fifths of a second lower than the record made by Jimmy Michael on the same track several weeks ago.

A Farmer Killed.

Reading, Pa., Oct. 29.—John Lommox, a farmer of Frederick township, was driving from his home to the store in his carriage yesterday morning. His horse took fright at a bicycle and ran away. Lommox was thrown from the carriage. He fell on his head, crushing his skull, dying instantly.

Large Orders for Torpedoes.

Washington, Oct. 29.—A large supply of automobile torpedoes ready for immediate service on board ships is to be purchased by the navy, and a contract has been awarded for twenty-five of the latest improved type, costing $70,000 for the entire lot. Other large orders will be given later.

The City of Topeka Aground.

Tacoma, Oct. 29.—The Alaska steamer City of Topeka ran aground yesterday afternoon during a fog on Brown's Point, just outside the entrance to Tacoma harbor. The steamer Santa Cruz has been dispatched to pull her off.

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Councilman A. C. Stebbins and Mr. Morgan, of the Pond Tool and Machine Works, went to Philadelphia on business today.

—Justice Mosher today issued a summons in the landlord and tenant case of Laungbaum against Jackson, returnable next Thursday.

—Flynn Brothers, 318 West Front street, Scheffiin building, has an excellent assortment of winter shoes to select from and their prices are right.

—L. M. French, of Somerset street, has just turned out the first rubber-tired carriage from his factory. It is for P. Keeley & Son, of LaGrande avenue.

—Blair, hatter, Park avenue, has a large stock of derbies, alpines, men's underwear, gloves and neckwear and an excellent assortment to select from. Prices low.

—A party of North Plainfield politicians started out this morning in a carriage to make a tour of the county. Judging from the make up of the party it is difficult to say who they are working for.

—Commencing with last evening the trolley cars will run under fifteen minutes headway from 6 o'clock instead of 7 as heretofore. This is owing to the fact that it gets dark much earlier and the motormen are not able to see so well through the vestibuled fronts.

—One of the biggest bargains they have ever offered in high-grade shoes for men, Doane & Edsall say is now to be had at their store. They will close the special lot out quickly, so those who get the bargains will need to make haste. See their new "ad" in another column for special prices.

—One of the best meat markets in this vicinity is the one conducted by J. M. Smalley on Somerset street, corner of Race. Tomorrow Mr. Smalley will have an exceptionally fine display of all the best of meat. Mr. Smalley keeps a complete stock of everything to be found in a first-class market.

Interesting Local News on the Third Page.

ENTERTAINED HIS SCHOLARS.

Horace J. Martin Gave His Sunday-School Class a Good Time.

Horace J. Martin, of West Front street, entertained his Sunday-school class of young women at his home last evening, and the latter gave a reception and musicale for the purpose of raising money to assist in the furnishing of the new Sunday-school room of the Trinity Reformed chured. The programme consisted of piano selections by Horace Martin, Jr., Willard Martin, Miss Edith Hulbert, vocal solos by Miss Charlotte Messerschith, recitations by Helen Woolley, Miss Amy Emmons. Miss Mabelle Force rendered several piano selections and also accompanied Miss Messerschmith on the piano. Each of the above numbers were cordially received by the large assemblage of guests present. A feature of the programme was furnished by a blackboard upon which was written many different names, and the point was to pick out the names and spell them correctly.

A collection was received which was most gratifying to those who had planned the affair. The members of the class served refreshments during the evening.

No Reason, Sisters Say, for Suiciding.

The Misses Weitheimer, of New York, came to Plainfield this morning and called at the hospital where they identified their dead brother. In conversation with Miss Moss, the nurse, they said that their brother had no reason for committing the deed, that he was a pet in the family and a great favorite and always had everything he wanted. The parents of the children reside in Germany and Bertram came to this country to escape being drafted in the army. He was a victim of cigarettes and novels. Undertaker took charge of the body for the sisters and the Plainfield Hebrew Association. This afternoon at 2 o'clock interment was in the Hebrew cemetery at Gaitville, near Bound Brook.

Sale of a Fine Residence.

Mrs. T. B. Penton has sold her finely-appointed residence on Rockview avenue to Former Mayor Saunders, of the borough, who will occupy it for his home. Mrs. Penton and children will go to Long Island, where she will stop with a sister for a time. Mr. Penton will remain here for the time being.

—Seaman Williams & Co., have the contract for the mason work on the new Stillman building on West Front street.

—The illustrated lecture to be given this evening in the Y. M. C. A. Hall will be for the benefit of the local post Volunteers of America.

—Rev. Hovhannes K. Samuelian, of Nicodemedia, Turkey, delivered the secoed of his series of interesting lectures on Canstantinople in the Y. M. C. A. Hall to a fair sized audience last evening. The title of the lecture was "Life on the Bridge."

HENRY GEORGE DEAD.

Tragic End to a Sensational Canvass of Mayoralty Campaign.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

NEW YORK, October 29th, 1897.—Henry George died at the Union Square Hotel at 4:45 o'clock this morning. Death is thought to have been due to apoplexy.

Mr. George arrived at the hotel about 1 o'clock this morning. He had just come from several large mass meetings in the Boroughs of Queens and Brooklyn. The work of the night seemed to have told on him. He complained of being tired, but his friends and relatives who awaited him thought it only the natural fatigue that follows such hard campaigning as Mr. George has been doing. Not long after reaching the hotel he retired.

Mrs. George awaited him in room No. 22 of the hotel. It was about 3:30 o'clock when Mrs. George awakened. She found Mr. George sitting in an arm chair. Mrs. George at once grew anxious as to her husband's condition. He gradually grew incoherent and lapsed into semi-consciousness. A call was sent to Dr. Kelly, of 117 East Fifty-ninth street, and he came without delay. Without sign of recognition to those around him he passed peacefully away at 4:45 o'clock.

The effect of the death of Mr. George will be, it is thought by politicians, an aid to Mr. VanWyck, Tuesday. Many who would have voted for George will now cast their ballots for the Tammany candidate.

Sent Back to Jail.

The hearing of the alleged young burglars did not take place this morning as was expected. Instead the four lads appeared before Justice Newcorn and entered a plea of non vult. They were Ferdinand Rockafellow, represented by former Judge W. A. Coddington. Samuel Riker represented by City Judge DeMeza, Charles Westerfield represented by former Councilman Walter L. Hetfield, and David Connett, colored, without a lawyer. They were sent to Elizabeth to secure bail to await sentence. Walter Ralph, charged with receiving the goods, waived examination by the advice of his counsel, City Judge DeMeza, and was held for the Grand Jury.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Daniel Laing, of West Eighth street, will spend the winter in New York.

Julius Williams, of Elmwood place, is expected home soon from an extended business trip.

Miss Sadie Randolph, of West Eighth street, will spend next week in New York with friends.

The Misses Rafferty, of Park avenue, entertained company from Bound Brook yesterday.

Lawyer S. S. Swackhamer, of the firm of Codington & Swackhamer, was called out of town today on business.

Miss Grace Rowland, of East Sscond street, gave a whist party last evening to a few of her intimate friends. A very pleasant time was had by all present.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter B. Hodge, of Plainfield avenue, have returned from Somerville, where they attended the funeral of Mrs. Hodge's father, John Polhemus, which was held yesterday afternoon from the house at 12:30.

—L. E. Hart, of West Front street, is about to make some improvements to his Elmwood place property.

—Regular monthly missionary meeting tonight at 8 o'clock at Warren chapel. F. H. Andrews will be the speaker.

—The telephone wires in the borough are being re-arranged, and new wires are being stretched.

—The Royal Arch Degree was conferred on three candidates at the regular communication of Jerusalem Chapter, No. 24, R. A. M., held last evening.

At the last moment, the Plainfield A. A. has decided to play tomorrow afternoon. The New Jersey Athletic Club will be the opposing team. They are very strong. The Crescents will play Roselle on the Myrtle avenue grounds.

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Men's Melton Cassimere fall and winter suit at $3.45, worth $9; men's imported English clay diagonal dress suit, worth $22, at $6.90; men's blue and black rough cheviots and overplaids, at $5.25; worth no less than $12; the suit is handsomely made; men's Prince Albert suit, silk lined, extra fine, worth $22 50 in any store in America, now at $9.60; men's elegant fall overcoats in 12 different styles and shades in the finest imported fabrics, such as English clay diagonal, Vienna, covert cloth, silk and lined cheviots and worsted, honestly worth $15 to $25, at auctioneer's price, $5.80, $6.72 and $6.90; men's English blue or black canvas melton winter overcoat, silk lined, $8.75, actually worth $22; men's extra fine Kersey winter dress overcoats, serge lined, worth $24, at $7 90; men's good all wool melton overcoat at $4 50, worth $10; a fine overcoat at $5.90, worth $12; men's double breasted brown plaid suit in the latest style at $4 50, $5, $6, worth from $10 to $16. Eight styles in fancy cheviots, cassimeres and worsted; men's suits, our price $5 40, worth $11; gentlemen's finest business and dress suits made from the Scotch fancy worsted cheviot in the very latest shades, worth from $10 to $12, your choice at $6.90; a good working suit at 2.50, 3.50 and $4, worth from $5 to $9; men's extra fine stripe and plaid trousers worth $3, at $1 69, extra value; men's fine cheviot cassimere and worsted pants $1, 1.50, 1.75, worth from $2 50 to $5; good pants at 69c and 90c; 1,000 children suits from 75c and up; young men's suit's in all wool cheviots and cassimere, a very fine Sunday suit, worth $9 at 3 85; fine youth's suit for business, were worth $8 at $3 25; a good youth's suit at $2 90 and $3, worth $5 to $6; children's knee pants double knee and double seats, worth 60c at 19c; men's very fine ulsters, dark blue, melton extra heavy, worth $18 at $6.90; extra good ulsters at $3.50, $4 50 and $5, worth from $9 to $15; men's reefer coats, $1 50 and $2, worth from $3.50 to $9.

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Grace M. E. church will hardly hold the people who intend going to hear the sweet singers from Drew Theological Seminary, who will be present tonight for the first time. Rev. Sherman Powell will preach. He is spoken of as being a strong preacher.

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Children's Overcoats	6.00	3.98
Children's Suits	4.00	2.98
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Men's Pants	1.75	.98
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" "	1.37	.75
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Men's Suits	9.50	5.48
" "	8.00	3.80
" "	9.00	6.98
" "	8.00	5 00
" "	5.50	2.98
Men's Working Shirts	.50	.29
" Shirts and Drawers	.50	.39
" Neckwear	.50	.39
" Sweaters	.50	.18
Men's Derby Hats (large assortment)	2.00	1.30
" " "	3.00	1.90
" " " (a large assortment)	1.50	1.00
Soft Hats		38c up
Large assortment of Gloves		25c up.

THIS IS ONLY A FEW BARGAINS WE OFFER, COME AND SEE THE REST.

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THE PLOT OF THE 'FEST.

COMES FROM AN OLD GERMAN CUSTOM INDULGED IN ANNUALLY.

An Opening Love Song, a Few Preliminary Dances and Then Comes the Event, Whist With Living Cards.

Everybody is enquiring what the Spielkartenfest really is. Of course, it is known that it is to be a monster benefit for the Muhlenberg Hospital to be held in the Crescent Rink from November 8 to 13, but then the details are lacking. Like the Kermiss, the Spielkartenfest came to us from Germany. It is an old German festival at which time it was the custom for young and old, the people as well as the nobility, to indulge in the public amusement with absolute freedom.

The plot, if such it may be called, of the Spielkartenfest which is to be given in this city next month, is to the effect that a young girl while preparing for the festival, hears a serenade and throws a rose from the window. The serenade, by the way, is to be "Love's Sorrow," and will be sung by Elmer E. Runyon, the well-known tenor. The young girl then rehearses a dance planned for the entertainment of the royalty, which she carried out by the assistance of a friend. With the aid of a false mirror, two girls are seen instead of one. Upon the entrance of the serenaders the trick is discovered. Then follows the dance of the Troubadours, or the mirror dance as it is known at present, and then the curtain falls upon the group of merry dancers to rise again upon the magnificent tableau of the Spielkertenfest with its grand procession, its bright attractive dances, until the entrance of the players announce the most interesting feature of the entertainment, the game of whist with living cards.

The players, who, by the way, are to be the famous four of the Park Club, Messrs. McCutchen, Howell, Townsend and Rogers, with their four pages each, take places in the four respective corners of the stage. Then comes the procession of the fifty two cards, led by the Joker, or court jester, who sees that they are thoroughly shuffled and then deals them, four at a time, to the players.

Each card will be readily distinguished. The ladies will wear aprons with the requisite number of spots on them, while capes will answer the same purpose for their escorts. Each living card holds a playing card in his or her hand corresponding with the card represented. This is given to the player to whom the living card is dealt, thus making it a genuine hand of whist. As a card is played, it, or rather he or she, is led out by a page. The trick is led to the winning side by the Joker, who also scores the result on a blackboard. The colors are red and white on the left hand and yellow and black on the right hand side of the stage. If the trick is won by the red and white, it is led to that side, thus enabling those in the audience who are not whist players to keep the run of the game. After the cards have all been played, the Joker enters, carrying the winning colors, followed by all the cards, a tableau is formed and the Spielkartenfest is over.

No, not over, only the dances are concluded, and then follows a delightful hour among the booths, looking at the various attractions, and purchasing here and there bon-bons, flowers, lemonade, dolls for the children, and even a pencil and eraser. Then the restaurant offers all sorts of inducements—but then, those attractions have been mentioned before. It's going to be a grand affair. The city will be there in force. It's a worthy undertaking and deserves to be worthily supported.

An Athletic Association.

The athletic association of the New York Military Academy was organized several days ago by the students at that academy. George Proctor Smith was elected president. The other officers chosen were: Walter H. Serrell, vice-president; Aubrey Hull, secretary; Lindley M. Hillman, treasurer A committee, composed of George Proctor Smith, John Hull and Langdon Howard, was appointed to draw up a constitution.

Some Good Things at White's.

A backward season has hurt the prices on many lines of goods, manufacturers and importers are anxious to sell and this house has been most fortunate in its purchase of fall goods, they are offering many good values in hosiery and underwear and in dress goods they have never had such a fine selection.

Sons of Veterans Fair.

During next week, when the Sons of Veterans will hold their fair in Washington Hall, it is expected that several neighboring camps will visit the fair. There will be dancing every evening, and the committee has decided not to allow any contest books in the place where the fair will be held.

SALE FOR WORTHY OBJECT.

TO ASSIST POOR WHITE PEOPLE.

Held in the Hospitable Home of Mrs. John Doull Miller—Those Who Were in Charge.

A charming little informal sale for a worthy object filled the beautiful home of Mrs. John Doull Miller, of East Ninth street, with workers and purchasers yesterday afternoon. It was a cake, candy and apron sale for the benefit of the work among the poor white people of the south, in which Rev. E. L. Walz, Jr., is interested. It was arranged and successfully carried out by a number of the ladies of the Crescent Avenue church.

Three tables occupied the drawing room, while refreshments were served in the dining-room. The cake table, decorated with pink roses, was under the charge of Miss Gertrude Walz, Mrs. Fred Yates and Miss Hayes. inent at the apron table, over which presided Miss Cook, Miss Katheryn Stewart, Miss Hunter, White bride roses were prom- and Miss Katheryn Yates. Red roses were in prominence on the candy table, where the aids were Mrs. E. R. Ackerman, Mrs. Joseph W. Sandford. Jr., Mrs. Daniel Ginna and Mrs. E. L Walz.

Fred Shepard entertained some of the younger visitors with a phonograph, while Miss Daisy Shepard presided over a monster grab bag, from which all sorts of wonderful things were produced.

The dining room was decorated principally in scarlet. Mrs. Walter Stewart and Mrs. Frank Mead alternated in presiding over the pouring of the tea, while Mrs. B. O. Bowers and Mrs. Harry Borden looked after the chocolate in a similar manner. They were assisted by Miss Annie Stewart, Miss May Evans and Miss Anna Miller.

Mrs. Augustus Shepard held general sway over the sale and looked after each part, rendering assistance when needed. Miss Mead assisted her in the duties of her part.

Everything found ready sale and by the time the afternoon had come to an end the tables had been cleared of all the articles displayed there. The attendance was large and the results very satisfactory to all concerned. While the exact amount cleared has not yet been ascertained, it is known to be a large amount, that will be of great assistance to the work for which it is intended.

Mrs. Miller was unable to be present at the sale on account of illness.

Tickets for the 'Fest.

Beginning on Monday morning the tickets for the Spielkartenfest are to be placed on sale at Hall's pharmacy at the corner of Watchung avenue and East Fifth street, and at Arm strong's pharmacy, corner of Park and North avenues. The tickets will be evenly divided between the two places and reserved seats for all the evenings performances can be secured beginning on Monday morning. The Spielkartenfest is only a week off now and the fact that the tickets are to be placed on sale at once brings the fact to the attention of all.

Winfield Scott Post Inspected.

Winfield Scott Relief Corps, No. 10, auxilary to Winfield Scott Post, No 73, G. A. R., was inspected last evening by the division inspector. The corps was found to be in the best of condi tiun financially as well as in the ritualistic work of the order. Among the visitors present was Mrs. James At wood, of Trenton. After the business of the evening ice cream and cake was served to those present

Better Sidewalks.

A. Kane has completed the laying of the stone sidewalk for Mrs. Depew, on Franklin place, and for Mrs. A. E. Ross, on West Eighth street, and will put two gangs of men at work the first of the month. He will begin work laying the sidewalks for E. M. Daniel, on West Eighth street and Plainfield avenue, and for N. P. T. Finch, on Belvidere and Watchung avenues.

A Talented Musician.

Naboth Osborne, a member of the Drew Quartette, who are now holding revival meetings at Grace M. E. church, was the leader of the Syracuse Glee and Banjo Clubs when they ap peared in this city at Monroe Avenue church two years ago. While in this city he will be a guest at the home of Andrew Wilson, of the borough.

A Purely Social One.

Nellie Valiant, the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Valiant, of Washington Park, entertained a few of her young friends at her home last evening. The affair was purely a social one and the young people enjoyed themselves very much.

—Service at the Church of the Redeemer will be held at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow evening instead of 4 o'clock in the afternoon as usual. The change is for tomorrow only.

TO FIRE CHURCH SPIRIT

REVIVAL MEETINGS COMMENCED IN GRACE M. E. CHURCH.

The First Meeting Held Last Night and Marked With Great Religious Ardor—Drew Quartette Fine Singers.

A series of revival services were commenced at Grace M. E. church last evening which bid fair to be very successful. The church was well filled with members and friends, while many unconverted ones were attracted to hear the singing and speaking by the Drew Quartette, composed of Rev. Sherman Powell, C. E. Hesselgrave, Naboth Osborne and W. P. Drew, all talented students of the Gospel.

The meeting opened with a song service led by the pastor, Rev. H. J. Johnston, and the regular church choir, with Miss Carroll presiding at the organ. Following this several selections were given by the quartette. Their singing was much enjoyed and was very effective. Rev. Sherman Powell read the Scripture lesson, after which the pastor of the church spoke a few words by way of introduction.

The discourse of the evening was delivered by Mr. Powell, who is a pleasant and winning speaker. His text was taken from the fifteenth verse of the tenth chapter of second Kings: "Is Thine Heart Right?" The speaker then said in part:

"At this time we ought to think entirely of God and not the world. Is thine heart right is the all-important question to ask yourself. It has been a part of human nature since the time of Adam for people to shift responsibility, and get away from the true facts. This is not a question of health which most everyone is interested in to such an extent that when people meet on the street the first question is, 'How do you do?' It is not a question of financial standing. Business integrity is no proof of moral integrity in the deepest sense. Neither is it a question of social standing. One may stand ever so high in the social world yet not be saved. Modern society is no recommendation to anyone. To be in the '400' lacks a great deal of being all that is good. It is not a question of being happy. One may be happy and yet be on the road to perdition. The real question is are you right in God's sight? Is the love of your heart right. God rightfully claims first, last and everything.

"The question of pleasures will come up in these meetings, and there will be a little trimming along that line. There are things which we must not do if they take us or our friends away from Christ. It is not right for a man on prayer-meeting night to go to the club or the store and spend his time there telling stories, and the man that does it will have a hard time in getting his heart right. You can generally tell a man by the company he keeps.

"Love is a real thing that brings action, and we either move to please ourselves or we do so to please God. What is the motive that prompts us to do this or that? If it is a God given motive we are all right, and if not our hearts are not right."

During the latter part of Mr. Powell's sermon he related several impressive incidents to illustrate the truth of his arguments. Rev. Mr. Johnston took charge of the latter part of the service and a short season of quiet devotion was held, during which many raised their hands, thereby showing that they desired to be prayed for and that they would help all that is possible in the services. The quartette also sang several beautiful selections, after which the benediction was pronounced by Rev. Dr. G. W. Smith. The services will be continued this evening, tomorrow evening and Monday evening by the quartette.

THE PRINCETON INN ROW.

The New Brunswick Presbytery to Hear Rev. Mr. Shields.

A special meeting of the New Brunswick Presbytery has been called for November 11th, at Readville, to take action on the request of Rev. Charles W. Shields, of Princeton, who wants to resign from the Presbyterian church, because of the action of the Synod and Presbyteries in criticising him for signing the application for a license for Princeton Inn.

New Jerseys Are Not Coming.

Owing to the very short notice, the Plainfield A. A. will not play the New Jersey Athletic Club this afternoon, as was announced yesterday, but the Crescents and the Rahway Y. M. C. A. will meet on Martine common as originally announced. A game with the New Jerseys will be played later in the season.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

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VISITING BRAVES CAME.

CARTERET TRIBE WITNESS ADOPTION CEREMONIES BY MIANTONOMO.

The Home Team Highly Complimented For Their Work—A Sociable Session Followed, All Enjoying a Very Good Time.

The chieftians and braves of the Improved Order of Red Men did not exactly paint the town red, last night, but they had a big time notwithstanding. Some of the braves from the Quinnipiac tribe over at Carteret had been invited to come to Plainfield some day to witness the adoption ceremonies at the wigwam of the Miantonomo tribe and last evening was the occasion of their visit.

A committee had been appointed by the local Red Men to look after the entertainment of their visiting brethren and they prepared a grand reception for the Carteret braves. Besides the visitors from Carteret, there was a large delegation present from the Paughcaughnaughsinque tribe in this city.

One candidate was elected and, for the benefit of the visitors, the adoption ceremonies were performed on that candidate. The team was highly commended by the visitors. After the excitement attendant to that had died away, Sachem Slorah made an address of welcome.

Then followed an informal programme for the entertainment of the guests and the local braves. It consisted of remarks by Sachem Deal, of Carteret, piano solo by William Trust, remarks by Past Sachem Conover, of Paughcaughnaughsinque tribe, vocal solo with banjo accompaniment by Harry Drier, remarks by Past Sachem Slug, of Carteret, comic solo by David Thompson, remarks by Senior Sagamore Mason, song by Past Sachem Holdstein, remarks by Chief of Records Quinn, of Carteret, vocal solo with banjo accompaniment by Harry Drier, remarks by Collector of Wampum Osmund and Deacon Mague, piano solo by William Trust, and remarks by Great Sannap William Newcorn.

The council fire was then quenched and the braves and their chieftains adjourned to partake of the collation which had been provided by the thoughtful committee. The party broke up at an early hour this morning.

A HALLOWE'EN PARTY.

Congregational Endeavorers Enjoyed a Seasonable Event Last Night.

The Christian Endeavor Sosiety of the Congregational church held a social and Hallowe'en party last evening at the home of Rev. and Mrs. E. M. Dwigth, of Rockview avenue. There was about fifty members and friends present and all had a delightful time. One of the chief features was a contest in stringing pop-corn to be used on the Christmas tree at the church this year. It was a prize contest and the winner was awarded a ball of pop-corn as big as a watermelon. Another feature was a prize potato contest, and the winner secured a doll made of potatoes.

Frank O. Bristol entertained the audience by giving several impersonations of prominent people, including Marshal P. Wilder. Mr. Bristol was very funny, as usual, and was heartily applauded. Other numbers on the programme consisted of recitations by Miss Mamie Emmons and Miss Catherine Dwight. After the rendition of the programme refreshments consisting of nuts, apples, fruit, candy, etc., was served by the committee in charge, of which Mrs. A. C. LaBoyteaux was the chairman.

Sunday-school Leaders Met.

A meeting of the officers and teachers of the Trinity Reformed church Sunday-school was held last evening at the home of Superintendent E. E. Anthony, on West Front street. The meeting was the first of a series that will be held every month, and was called for the purpose of devising ways and means to furnish the new Sunday-school room of the church. Nothing was definitely decided last evening, but many suggestions were offered by those present for the carrying on of the work planned. A portion of the evening was spent in a social manner and refreshments were served by Mr. and Mrs. Anthony.

Death of an Infant Son.

The many friends of Dr. and Mrs. Andrew Suydam Fritts will sympathize with them in the loss of their infant son, Robert Parker, which occurred yesterday. Friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral services, which will be held tomorrow afternoon from the home of Dr. J. T. Fritts, No. 423 Park avenue, at 4 o'clock.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS ON THIRD PAGE.

TWO MORE WHEELS STOLEN

LEFT IN THE STREET BY OWNERS.

While the Rightful Riders Were Inside Stores Doing Business The Thief Plied His Trade With Success.

It was a lovely day yesterday, so nice in fact that the bicycle thief was tempted to go out again and continue his rounds. He first stopped in front of Curtis M. Thorpe's store on Park avenue. Walter Emmons, of Jackson avenue, was in the store at the time. His Knickerbocker wheel remained outside. It was of the 1897 model, No. 1697. He was in the store for some time and when he came out at 3:30 o'clock his wheel was gone. Supposing that some of the boys had taken it for a joke, he hunted around in the neighborhood to find it, but without success. The matter was then reported to the police but no one had noticed the wheel disappear and there was absolutely no clew from which to work.

Later in the afternoon, H. H. Apgar, of Clinton avenue, went to get his wheel in the hallway next to Fred W. Dunn's grocery store, corner of Park and North avenues, where he had left it. He, too, supposed that he was the victim of a practical joke when he found the wheel missing, and looked up and down North and Park avenues, but in vain. The bicycle thief had been to see him also and left no word behind.

The police say that there is absolutely no way to stop these thefts, until the owners of the wheels carry locks with them and lock their wheels, whenever they leave them at the curb or outdoors. At present, the wheel may be stolen right in front of the eyes of the officers, who are unable to tell whether the man taking the wheel is the real owner or not.

ON THE EVE OF SWEET SIXTEEN.

Miss Tiny Voehl Celebrated Her Fifteenth Birthday With Her Friends.

Yesterday Miss Tiny Voehl, of Somerset street, celebrated the anniversary of her fifteenth birthday, and last evening she was given a surprise by a number of her young friends. The surprise was arranged by Miss Addie Carney, of Craig place, and was complete. An evening of music, games and general sociability composed the programme, and the young hostess received many substantial remembrances of the occasion from her friends. Those present included Addie Carney, Lucetta Clark, Edith Loomis, Ada VanHorn, Addie and Minnie Marsh, Carrie Pangborn, Mary Hoagland, Helen Harned, Florence Leighton, Kizzie DeMott, John Carney, George Pope, William Pope, William Monfort, George Gaddis, Bert Simpson, Edward Bellis, Fred Armstrong, Fred Voorhies, Edgar and Harold George, Irving Harned, Ben. Schuck, of North Plainfield; and Miss Leightfoot, of Westfield.

A Church Sociable.

The First Baptist church, of Roselle, will celebrate its twenty-fifth anniversary tomorrow morning, afternoon and evening with services appropriate to the occasion. Monday evening a meeting for sister Baptist churches will be held, with addresses by Rev. Delavan DeWolf, of Newark: Rev. R. M. Luther, D. D., of Newark, and Rev. J. C. Allen, D. D., of Jersey City. The offerings which will be taken at the different services will all be devoted to the reduction of the church's mortgage debt, which is now $1,900.

Narrow Escape From Serious Injury.

While working in the electrical department of the American Engine Company's works at Bound Brook, last evening, Ralph K. Miner, of East Sixth street, was injured by the falling of a large fly wheel. His leg was caught between the wheel and the base of the machine on which he was working and was considerly cut and scraped. He was brought to his home in a carriage and will be confined to his bed for a week. Dr. E W. Hedges dressed the wound.

Chainless Wheel on Exhibition.

The Columbia chainless wheel is now on exhibition in the grocery store of George W. Rockfellow, corner of Park avenue and West Fourth street, under the charge of an expert. It will remain there until 9 o'clock this evening.

—At the missionary meeting held at Warren chapel last evening over $6 was contributed to the cause of missions.

—W. D Murray, of this city, is in attendance at the Second District Y. M. C. A. conference which is being held at Morristown today.

—T. H. Pollard, of Brooklyn, a member of the Potter & Campbell Company, has rented through Mulford's agency the house at 120 Plainfield avenue, and will shortly occupy it with his family.

Rev. Mr. Baldwin, of Nesbanic, will preach in the Mt. Olive Captist church tomorrow.

U. S. WHIST CHAMPIONS.

PARK CLUB FOUR HOLD AMERICAN WHIST LEAGUE TROPHY.

The Cup Won From the New Jersey Whist Club, of Newark—Match Played in Two Rounds and Hardly Fought.

Another great victory in the whistic arena has been won by the famous four of the Park Club. Yesterday afternoon and evening they met the champion team of the New Jersey Whist Club, of Newark, at the latter city, and defeated them in a closely contested match for the American Whist League challenge trophy. The score was an unusually close one and made the match one of the most exciting ever played for the trophy.

The A. W. L. challenge trophy, as it is called, is offered for the championship of the United States in whist. The present trophy was only offered last year, but the one that preceded it has traveled all over the country as club after club played for it and won it only to be defeated by a more powerful adversary. Three years ago the Parks won it from the Philadelphia Whist Club and held it for one match to be defeated finally by the Hamilton Whist Club of Philadelphia. During the last two years they have played for it several times, but never won it, although they made a strong fight for it. The old trophy was finally won by the Hamilton club fifteen times, after which it became the permanent property of that club. The new trophy was then offered by the League and was captured at the last whist congress by the Toledo team. The Baltimores finally captured it, only to be defeated by the New Jersey Whist Club a week ago. Now the trophy, which is a very handsome one, is in the posssession of the Park Club.

The team that represented the New Jersey Whist Club was composed of four of the best players in the State, Messrs. Otis, Aymar, Cameron and Eagles.. The latter two are members of the North End Club team. The regular team, consisting of Messrs. McCutchen, Townsend, Howell and Rogers, represented the Park Club. Alfred Taylor, captain of the Brooklyn Whist Club team, acted as referee.

The match was of forty-eight hands and was played in two rounds. The first round was hotly contested and resulted in a tie, 9 tricks for each side. In the second round, the Park team settled down to their championship form and proved too strong for their antagonists. The score of the second round being 15 to 11 in favor of the Parks. The total score was 24 to 20, in favor of the Parks.

This evening, the Park Club will be represented in the contest between the New Jersey Association and the Atlantic Association, at Jersey City, by six of its players, Messrs. McCutchen, Townsend, Howell, Rogers, Reed and Matthews.

A JOLLY SURPRISE.

Unexpected Visit That Mr. and Mrs. James Whelan Received From Friends.

A very pleasant surprise party was tendered to Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Whelan, of 51 Brook avenue, last evening, and a real pleasant time was enjoyed by all. The committee in charge were Mrs. Eugene O'Reilly and Mrs. J. Leahy. The guests first met at the latter's home and from there prepared to surprise their hostess, which they did in a successful manner.

Games and dancing were the chief features of the evening, and the light fantastic toe tripped to the strains of Prof. O'Reilly's orchestra. Supper was served at 12:30 and was followed by dancing, which was kept up until an early hour this morning.

Among those present were the following: the Misses Mary Kenney, Maggie Richardson, Martha Kyle, Minnie Walsh, Mary Hines, L. Downs, A. O. Leary, M. Leahy, K. Leahy, K. Whelan, Josie Walsh, Mr. and Mrs. James Whelan, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene O'Reilly, Mr. and Mrs. J. Leahy, Mr. and Mrs. Schaefer, Messrs. J. Shirley, W. Ilisley, W. Heideloff, J. Gavin, W. Southard, Jr., P. Kiely, B. Vail, J. Callahan, Jr., F. McGuire, of Trenton, A. B. King, of New York, and Mr. and Mrs. Garey, of Hillside avenue.

Felix T. Lincoln is very ill at his home, 308 East Fifth street.

Miss Bertha Stevens, of Grandview avenue, is detained at home by illness.

Miss Emily Barker has returned to Philadelphia after a visit with her brother, Horsley Barker, of Grove street.

—L. L. Manning & Son are erecting a large monument in Hillside cemetery today upon the plot of Mr. Cuthbert, of the Standard Oil Company.

—All Saints' Day will be observed at St. Stephen's church Monday with the following services: Holy Communion at 7 a. m. and morning prayer at 10.

HENRY GEORGE DEAD

Candidate for Mayor of Greater New York Passes Away.

STRICKEN WITH APOPLEXY

His End Was Peaceful, and He Died with a Smile on His Lips—Statesman, Philosopher and Friend of Men.

New York, Oct. 30.—The death of Henry George has caused a political shock such as has never been felt before in this city. It completely upsets all the calculations of the politicians as to the result of the election next Tuesday.

Mr. George, the candidate of the Jeffersonian Democracy, died yesterday morning at the Union Square Hotel at 4.50 o'clock of apoplexy, brought on by overwork in the campaign. He had addressed four political meetings the night before and retired worn out. Mrs. George was with him.

About 3 o'clock in the morning Mrs. George was awakened by the convulsive movements of her husband. He was moaning faintly.

Jumping up, she found him in a dying condition. She immediately rang

HENRY GEORGE.

the bell, and the night clerk responded. It was over ewenty minutes before the doctor arrived.

Henry George, Jr., who occupied a room on the second floor, was hastily called. He hurried to the bedside of his dying father.

He, Mrs. George and the doctor did all they could to save Mr. George, but despite their efforts he passed away at 5 o'clock.

The excitement in the street was intense when the death of Mr. George was announced. Every man who wore the garb of a laborer walked the streets as if in a trance. Mr. George had been very dear to most of them.

How the News Was Received.

The news of Mr. George's death was known as early as 7 o'clock in the morning, but it was regarded by almost every one as an election canard. They refused to believe it.

The news spread like wildfire in the neighborhood of Union Square, and crowds began to gather near the hotel where he died shortly after 9 o'clock.

Horror-stricken men stopped to talk about it in knots on the street, and everywhere the kindest things were said of the dead leader.

When the men who had worked with Mr. George in the canvass began to arrive at the hotel and learned the tragic news the excitement was intense. His friends gathered in one of the committee rooms and discussed the death in low tones. There was an informal meeting of those in the committees that were present, and arrangements made for a committee to take charge of the funeral arrangements.

Flags all over the city are at half mast. The City Hall flag was lowered to half mast just as soon as the news reached the Mayor's office.

His Son Succeeds Him.

Henry George's son, Henry George, Jr., will take his father's place on the ticket. He will be the Jeffersonian Democracy's candidate for Mayor of Greater New York.

The Executive Committee reached this decision without a dissenting vote late yesterday afternoon and at once made the announcement. It was received with great demonstrations of joy by the George followers.

Mr. George's body was laid out last night on a slab in the room formerly occupied by the Executive Committee of the Jeffersonian Democracy. It had been embalmed and was clothed in a black shroud. The face looked calm and natural. To those that knew him in life he, dead, seemed as if he were sleeping. There is no evidence in his features that show that Mr. George suffered before his death.

At the head of the body there were already two floral offerings, one a big wreath and the other a floral book made of purple immortelles, with the words "Progress and Poverty" in floral letters on it.

Mrs. George and her daughter left the room at 10.20 o'clock last night, Mrs. George having been with her husband's body ever since he died.

CAREER OF HENRY GEORGE.

A Life of Earnest Struggling in the West and the East.

Henry George was born on Sept. 2, 1839, in a house still standing at 312 Catherine street, Philadelphia. His father was a sea captain, a ship owner and a publisher of religious literature. The son went to the common schools until he was 12, and then entered an academy. But he wanted to go into trade, and his father put him in a printing house. The spirit of adventure was strong in young George, however, and he soon left the printing house for the sea, landing in California before he was 18. He set type there for a time, tried mining, and then went back to type.

While working at his case in San Francisco he wrote anonymous letters on public questions which attracted attention. Dr. Gunn, editor of the San Francisco Times, set a watch at a letter box to learn who the author of the letters was. When he caught George he offered him a place on his staff. The young man accepted, and worked his way up until he became managing editor.

His business as editor brought him to New York on a trip, and while here he was impressed with the luxury of the rich and the misery of the poor of the metropolis. His impression was the seed of "Progress and Poverty."

He wrote the book in 1879, and, as he could get no publisher for it, set the type for the first edition with his own hands. Later Hinton, of San Francisco, published an edition in California, and then the Appletons brought one out in New York. Kegan Paul, of London, published a large edition, but the books lay piled in the publisher's cellar until the author, as correspondent from Ireland of the Irish World, was arrested by order of the British Government. After that Kegan had to run off more books. Mr. George followed up his success with a book called "The Irish Land Question."

In 1884-85 Mr. George lectured on economic subjects in Great Britain and Ireland. Meantime "Progress and Poverty" was being read by the labor leaders of America, and when the Mayoralty campaign of 1886 opened they were ready to accept him and no other as their candidate.

The campaign was one of the most exciting in the history of New York. The Rev. Dr. McGlynn took the stump for him, and disobeyed Archbishop Corrigan, who ordered him to confine himself to his duties as pastor of St. Stephen's Church, at 149 East Twenty-eighth street. Dr. McGlynn was excommunicated practically, and a long controversy among the leading Catholics of America followed, which was settled only when Archbishop Satolli was sent to America as the Apostolic Delegate. Dr. McGlynn was restored to the Church and was sent to a pastorate in Newburg, N. Y.

After the campaign of 1886 Mr. George started the Standard as a vehicle for the spread of his ideas. He stood for the single-tax idea, for free trade, for Bryanism, at least in all its salient features; for the sale of public franchises at auction, and for opposition to corporation power. When he was editor of the Sacramento Reporter he opposed the corporations so vigorously that they bought a controlling interest in the paper in order to get him out of the editorial chair.

Mr. George left the East in 1869 to go back to California, and acted as correspondent for a New York paper. After doing a little more work at typesetting there he accepted a place as editor of a small paper in Oakland, a suburb of San Francisco. He was there only a few months when Gov. Haight, of California, asked him to take charge of the principal Democratic organ, the Sacramento Recorder. He accepted. He was given one-fourth of the shares besides the salary.

The Central Pacific Railroad, then being completed and entering "on its career of corruption and oppression," as Mr. George said, bought the paper, and he retired. He became the California agent of a rival press association, meantime employing his pen in behalf of Gov. Haight and the Democratic party. Mr. George there conceived "Progress and Poverty." He used to tell the story like this:

Progress and Poverty.

"I had taken a horse and gone for a ride, and, absorbed in my own thoughts, had driven him into the hills until the horse panted for breath. Stopping for a rest, I asked a passing teamster, for want of something else to say, what land was worth there. He pointed to some cows grazing off so far that they looked like mice, and he said: 'I don't know exactly, but there is a man over there who will sell some land for $1,000 an acre.'

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Big Fire in Pittsburg.

Pittsburg, Oct. 30.—The Union Trust Company's big building on Worth avenue, the local Wall street, was destroyed by fire yesterday. The building was occupied by the trust company, the Pittsburg Stock Exchange and a restaurant in the cellar. An overheated smokestack from the kitchen in the basement set fire to the roof and the flames had gained great headway before a stream of water was thrown on them. The burned building was sold to the Union Trust Company two years ago for $150,000 by the Stock Exchange. The loss is estimated at from $150,000 to $200,000, on which there is an insurance of about one-half.

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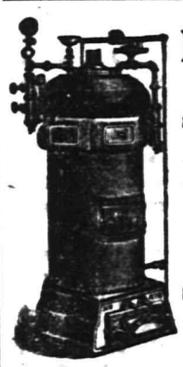

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Miss Lizzie Huff, of Centreville, is visiting her brother, Horace Huff and wife, of Coddington avenue.

A few weeks ago the editor was taken with a very severe cold that caused him to be in a most miserable condition. It was undoubtedly a bad case of la grippe and recognizing it as dangerous he took immediate steps to bring about a speedy cure. From the advertisement of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the many good recommendations included therein, we concluded to make a first trial of the medicine. To say that it was satisfactory in its results, is putting it very mildly, indeed. It acted like magic and the result was a speedy and permanent cure. We have no hesitancy in recommending this excellent Cough Remedy to anyone afflicted with a cough or cold in any form.—The Banner of Liberty, Libertytown, Maryland. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

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—A new stone walk is being laid on Chatham street, near the Crescent Hotel.

—George Gray, of South Second street, will open a grocery in the West End next week.

—F. H. Andrews addressed a missionary meeting held at Warren chapel last evening.

—Blanchard Randolph's new house on Compton avenue is completed and will soon be occupied.

—George Cole, the West Second street undertaker, has had his buildings painted in the latest fashion.

—The improvements being made at the home of Captain Phillips on West Front street are about completed.

—A great deal of quiet electioneering work is being done in Somerset county, and especially in North Plainfield.

—There will be a meeting of the Sixteen Social Sisters at the home of Miss Cora Young, East Fifth street, next Tuesday evening.

—Nearly all of the iron-work for the new Watchung avenue bridge is completed, and the work on the raceway is being rapidly pushed.

—Jerusalem Chapter, Royal Arch Masons, held a meeting on Thursday night and conferred the Royal Arch degree upon one candidate.

—New motors are being placed under car No. 5, of the street railway, otherwise the rolling stock of the company is in first-class condition.

—The dance held last Thursday evening in Lawton's barn at South Plainfield was a pleasant affair and was well attended by young people from this vicinity.

—One of the busiest stores in Plainfield is Lederer's dry goods house. The women of Plainfield appreciate the fine quality of goods kept at this popular house.

—A Hallowe'en supper and games is the programme for Monday evening at Vincent chapel. The Ladies' Aid Society propose giving an old-fashioned supper, with games thrown in.

—Mr. Moore, of Third place, gave an exhibition of his graphaphone at the home of the hospital nurses last Thursday evening. The programme was a good one, and the nurses appretiated Mr. Moore's kindness.

—Don't forget the home made cake sale at the home of Mrs. J. F. MacDonald, 190 East Front street, today, from 3 to 6 o'clock, under the auspices of the Young Women's Mission Band of Trinity Reformed church.

—Mrs. Ella Hall was given a reception in honor of her birthday, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. William Lee, 536 West Third street, Thursday evening. About twenty-five guests were present. Dancing was indulged in and at a late hour refreshments were served.

—Rev. H. W. McKane, pastor of the First Church of Christ, will preach at both services Sunday. The minister will talk about the convention held at Indianapolis. Those who wish to know what the Disciples are doing should come and hear Dr. McKane Sunday evening.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Craig, of Cokesbury, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hedden, of West Fourth street.

James S. Moffett, baggage master at Jersey City station of the Central Railroad, was the guest, yesterday, of his brother, Justice E. D. Moffett.

Miss Matilda Bruguere, of Berlin, arrived here yesterday on the steamer Augusta Victoria, and is the guest of Miss Louise Beguelin, of Fairview avenue.

While Rev. Mr. Day, chancellor of Syracuse University, was in this city last Thursday, he was a guest at the home of James McGee, of Washington Park.

THEATRICAL.

The successful production of "Cumberland '61" a new American romantic drama by Franklin Fyles, was made by Augustus Pitou at the Fourteenth Street Theatre in New York, Monday night, Oct. 18th. The theme of the play is the vendetta as it still exists in the mountains of the Cumberland region. The time of the action is the first year of the Rebellion, but the war is only a background for romantic fiction based on fact. The sentimental story is the old one of love between the son and daughter of families separated by a deadly feud, which has in the past broken out frequently with loss of life, and which now reappears in the episodes that constitute the movement of the piece. The scenes comprise a view of West Point painted from exact sketches and photographs; a Cumberland church picturesquely ruined by warfare; the exterior and interior of a mountaineer leader's house, and a bridge spanning a chasm, upon which structure the two representatives of the vendetta meet in combat.

An Officer's Heroic Conduct.

Thursday afternoon, while the members of the Junior Epworth League were parading in North Plainfield, Patrolman Cash, who headed the procession, saved a number of the children from serious injury. The flying flags and the appearance of the children frightened a pony which stood on Park place, and the little animal started toward Grove street from which street the children were coming. The officer had a lively chase for a few minutes, but finally succeeded in catching the horse just before he rushed through the crowd of children. The wagon was occupied by a plucky little girl but she was unable to stop the progress of the steed. Everyone applauded the effort of the officer.

Petit Jurors.

Next Monday the petit jury will commence its work at Elizabeth and those who go from Plainfield include Voorhees Laing, Charles Ulrich, Andrew Fritts, Wm. Craig, I. L. McVoy and Hugh O'Donnell.

Y. M. C. A. Notes.

Rev. F. B. Meyer, B. A., the noted preacher and writer, has said, "Belong to a gymnasium, that you may keep in good working trim the body which God has entrusted to you."

The examinations in gymnastics at the Y. M. C. A. will be held in about two weeks, and are intended to give each basket ball player an opportunity to pass and get upon the team. For this a percentage of 65 is necessary. The exnminations will consist of general drill, apparatus work and tests of endurance in running.

The physical examinations at the Y. M. C. A. will hereafter be conducted in a more spacious and airy room, just above the reception room.

The senior basket ball team of the Summit Y. M. C. A. will visit the Plainfield Association, November 5th, and the following night the junior basket ball team, of this city, will go to Summit to play a game with the students' class.

A junior basket ball team has been formed in the night gymnasium class, and both teams will meet for practice tonight.

Special music and other features will make the men's meeting, Sunday afternoon, one of special interest.

Appeal to Endeavorers.

E. E. Anthony, treasurer of the State Christian Endeavor Society, has issued the following appeal to members of the society:

Dear Endeavorers—Again the treasurer must appeal to your generous instincts. Our State treasury opens the new year with a deficiency. We believe all appreciate the work of the department in our State Union, and the fact that a good State convention is a decided blessing to all was settled years ago. We don't ask much from you, just 3 cents from each member of the senior societies and 2 cents from the juniors. Surely every one can afford these sums. There is no law against any one giving more, however. We need money immediately. It is your work, will you sustain it? Please remit to your sincere Christian Endeavor friend.

Benjamin Schenck, of East Fifth street, spent yesterday in Somerville.

Mrs. Tunis Visscher Winne, of Brooklyn, has been the guest of Mrs. B. O. Bowers, of Franklin place, for the last week.

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PLAINFIELD, N. J., OCT. 30, 1897

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

(Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Fair Tonight; Probably Fair Sunday; Stationary Temperature.

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 55 Degrees.

COMING EVENTS.

October 31—Men's meeting at Y. M. C. A., 4:15 p. m. Captain Agnes Cater, Minnie and Bertie Badenhaupt, will sing with guitar and auto harp.

November 1—Miss MacMartins classes for ladies and children will be resumed in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium.

November 2—Bible class at Y. M. C. A. taught by William D. Murray.

November 4—Spanish and German classes at Y. M. C. A.

HENRY GEORGE

Conflicting emotions surge through the mind of an admirer of Henry George when it comes to penning a few words anent his death—whether they shall be modeled into an imaginative comparison of the man with something supremely ideal or whether they shall consist of simple and plain words expressing regret and sorrow over his decease. The life of Henry George was so unostentatious, so void of the hollow mockeries of this life, his manner so frank and honest, his words so forcible and direct—his every demeanor so representative of man as one likes to quote the word in admiration—that the universal recognition of what it was, even to the mind untutored in the art of framing the conviction into fine words, is the best simile that can be drawn around it. The essential quality that marked Henry George's life and impelled him to act as he did, was undying sympathy with the unfortunate—the under dogs in life as some would express it He wanted to see all men put on an equal basis in buffeting about the world seeking a livelihood for themselves and theirs. He was peculiarly sensitive in determining the seamy side of life and government and equally as facile in exploiting his remedies for the conditions which he considered crying shames. He had seen a bit of the world, as they say, and the hard knocks that were his as a result served as unconscious examples in prompting him to act as he did. Some of his ideas were considered as vagaries, but they were so philosophically conceived that they attracted even the attention and study of those diametrically opposed to them. Perhaps Mr. George's principal fault lay in the fact that to apply his ideas in a practical manner, so that in his lifetime he might see them put to a test, would occasion a whole revolution of worldly things as now constituted. That condition a greater part of the world could not bring itself into sympathy with. But with all his advanced notions no one ever questioned the personal honesty of the man or his purely philanthropic impulses in a public way. In the death of Henry George the world loses one of its best men.

The sudden death of Henry George came as a tragic climax to a campaign that had already become more than dramatic by the very part that the deceased had played in it. Chaotic as the situation was the removal of one of its principal factors does not seem to effectively clear up the probable result, evidence of which is shown in the conflicting claims that adherents of the various remaining candidates claim for their men as a result of the demise of Mr. George. As their own support may lean towards one or the other of the candidates, just so is their voiced opinions of what the majority of all the voters are going to do. But they are prognostications which can only be accounted right or wrong after the votes are counted.

In a wreck near South Plainfield yesterday morning a whole trainload of milk and cream cans went scooting cross-country. The Jersey liar will be heard from by tomorrow, with a can of cream churned into butter by the shake-up.—New York Press.

Within a fortnight this country has seen three of its greatest men pass away—men each distinguished in their particular line of endeavors. Pullman of industrial record, Dana of journalistic fame and George of philosophical renown.

President McKinley yesterday issued his Thanksgiving Day proclamation, naming November 25th as the day on which to return thanks for the benefits received during the past year, and incidentally to eat turkey.

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JOTTINGS OF THE DAY.

ENTERPRISINGLY GATHERED AND CONCISELY TOLD BY REPORTERS.

Newsy Notes of More or Less Importance Bunched Together for the Ready Reference of Press Readers.

—Special sale of ladies shoes, D and E, for $1.50 at VanArsdale's.

—New stone sidewalk is being laid at the corner of Stelle and Plainfield avenues.

—A meeting of the Board of Governors of the Hillside Tennis and Golf Club will be held Monday evening.

—A meeting of the Monday Afternoon Club is to be held Monday afternoon.

—Old Glory Council, Daughters of Liberty, will hold a regular meeting Monday evening.

—The Kappa Delta Phi of the Plainfield High School will resume its meetings next week.

—The Bible training class will meet at the Y. M. C. A. tomorrow at 9:30 a. m. Visitors will be welcome.

—The quartette from Drew Theological Seminary will sing at the Y. M. C. A. meeting tomorrow at 4:15 p. m.

—The regular meeting of the Plainfield Board of Education will be held on Monday evening at the Stillman building.

—The delegates to the Women's Federation of Clubs from the Monday Afternoon Club returned home yesterday afternoon.

—Next Wednesday evening the Plainfield Cornet Band will give a concert at the Sons of Veteran fair in Washington Hall.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. Louis Bennett, of Grove street, are receiving congratulations. The young gentleman arrived last evening.

—A number of the participants in the coming Spielkartenfest are to have their photographs taken in groups this afternoon.

—A number of Plainfielders went over to the scene of the railroad wreck at Samptown yesterday afternoon but they found but little to see.

—The culvert at the corner of Watchung and LaGrande avenues has been completed and the roadway repaired with fresh crushed stone.

—The regular meeting of Queen City Lodge, I. O. O. F., will be held Monday evening, when a candidate is expected to come up for initiation.

—A Christian Endeavor meeting of special interest will be held in the Congregational church tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock. All are invited.

—The members of the class of '98 of the Plainfield High School will be entertained this evening at the home of Miss Ellen L. Osgood, of Myrtle avenue.

—The screens have been put on the windows of the Whittier School in preparation of the basket ball games to be played there by the girls of the Plainfield High School.

—Julius J. Stahl, the well-known candy maker of the borough, has moved to the corner of Somerset street and Manning avenue, where he has one of the most complete bakeries to be found anywhere. He also sells fine confectionery, cake, pies, etc. Give him a trial.

—VanArsdale's advertisement reads as though we are going to have some rough weather later on. No doubt about it; he wants you to be fitted out with shoes and rubbers so you'll be fixed for it. His stock is well selected and most any one can be suited at his store.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Fletcher Hallock, of this city, has gone to Brooklyn to visit friends.

Charles G. French, of New York, spent last evening in Plainfield with friends.

Postmaster John M. Hetfield, of this city, was in New York yesterday on official business.

Mrs. Darby and daughter, Margaret, of Alton, are visiting Mrs. Darby's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Schuck, of Vine street.

Arthur E. Hill, of the University of New York, is the guest of his old school friend, Rhey T. Snodgrass, of Central avenue.

Miss Wickersham, who has recently returned from abroad, is spending the winter with her sister, Mrs. Hibbard, of Sycamore avenue.

Miss Beeching, of Washingtonville, has returned from a trip through the northern part of the State, where she has been in the interest of Sunday-school work.

Miss Messler, who is serving a course of two years as nurse at Muhlenberg Hospital, has decided to take a post-graduate course after her time is up, which is Dec. 1st.

Scrofula is the advertisement of foul blood. It may be entirely driven from the system by the faithful use of Hood's Sarsaparilla, which thoroughly purifies the blood.

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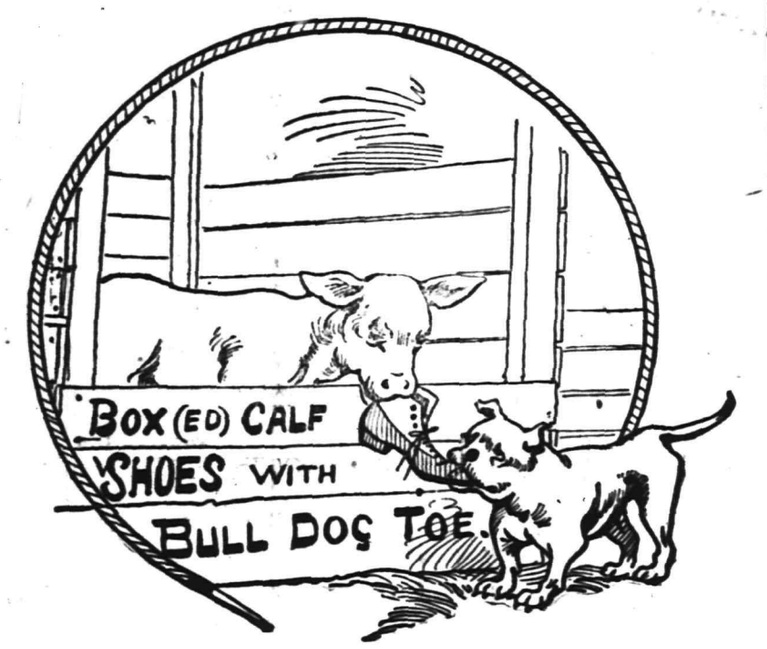

Ladies' calf bals, bull dog toes, $1.50; Ladies' calf bals, hand sewed, $2.25; Misses' calf lace shoes, all solid, $1.25; Children's calf lace shoes, $1.

Men's box calf bals, calf lined, invisible cork sole, $3.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Wilson Fredericks will spend Sunday in New Brunswick with relatives.

Miss Jessie Haynes, of New Market, is visiting Mrs. Fred Barker at Nyack, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cole are entertaining company from Clinton, Hunterdon county.

Jacob Long, of North Plainfield, was the guest of friends in the borough yesterday.

Irving Young, formerly a resident of the borough, has returned and will make his home here.

Rev. W. C. Kinsey, of Newark, has been the guest of former acquaintances in the borough.

Freeholders Barkalew and Mobus, of North Plainfield, were in town yesterday calling on friends.

Rev. and Mrs. Benford, of South Jersey, have been entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Huff.

The women of the M. E. church held their regular prayer service in the church yesterday afternoon.

A large herd of cattle passed through the borough yesterday on the way to Plainfield, where they were sold.

Rev. Mr. Martine will occupy the pulpit of the Presbyterian church tomorrow, both morning and evening.

Postmaster Charles Coriell shipped 500 fenders to New York yesterday, where they will be used on steamboats.

Jack Auten is planning to go to the Klondyke in the spring. He will probably be accompanied by some friends.

Wm. Jennings has accepted the position of bartender at the City Hotel, Plainfield, and entered upon his duties this morning.

On Thursday there was a delegation of politicians in town. They were of the Republican persuasion and apparently did good work.

Rev Frank Fletcher, who has just returned from the Baptist State convention, will have something to say regarding the convention at the services in the Baptist church tomorrow.

SCOTCH PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

James Fitzgerald is ill with pneumonia.

Miss Bella McGrath, of Plainfield, spent yesterday as the guest of Miss Maggie Fitzgerald.

A union Sunday-school service will be held in All Saints' church tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The Scotch Plains football team will play the Dunellen team at Scotch Plains this afternoon.

William Bacon, of Haverstraw, N. Y., will spend Sunday and Monday with friends in Scotch Plains.

Invitations are out for the wedding of Miss Gertrude Rheinhart and Loftus Hollingsworth, to take place November 10th.

The banner township of the Union County Sunday-school Association was Fanwood township, which consists of the M. E. church, All Saints' church, the Willow Grove and the Baptist church Sunday-schools. Of the $300 raised last year for county Sunday-school work, $25 of it came from this township. G. E. Hall is the superintendent or secretary. The Scotch Plains Baptist Sunday-school was honored at the Union County Sunday school Association in the election of Rev. J. S. Braker to the presidency of the association. The topic of the sermon at the Baptist church tomorow morning will be, "Man, a Temple Ruined, Restored,"

—This evening a fair and cake sale will be held under the auspices of the Golden Rule Circle, King's Daughters, of North Plainfield, in the store on Somerset street formerly occupied by Julius Stahl.

A pain in the chest is nature's warning that pneumonia is threatened. Dampen a piece of flannel with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bind over the seat of pain, and another on the back between the shoulders, and prompt relief will follow. Sold by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

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WESTFIELD

VARIOUS BITS OF NEWS.

WESTFIELD HAPPENINGS SERVED UP TERSELY FOR THE PRESS.

Many People Go and Come in the Pretty Suburban Town—Items Interesting Because of Their Brevity

Miss Anna D. Cooper is visiting friends in New York city.

Miss Lucy C. Welch has returned from her visit in the Berkshire Hills.

Miss Estelle Austin, of Broad street, is entertaining friends from Brooklyn.

John B. Green will conduct the services in St. Paul's church tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Arnold are taking a trip through New York State.

Appleton Morgan, LL.D., has returned from a trip through New England.

Rev. Henry Ketcham has been confined to his home for several days by illness.

The Lincoln High School played the Cranford Juniors at Cranford this morning.

Miss Mazie Jones, a teacher in the Lincoln school, is spending a few days in Utica, N. Y,

Westfield Lodge, No. 163, I. O. O. F., will celebrate its twenty-fifth anniversary Monday.

The Congregational church held its annual fall sociable and reunion in the church parlors last evening.

Miss Burnett, who has been the guest of Mrs. George H. Embree, has returned to her home in Boston.

Rev. Henry Ketcham will preach on "The Fifth Commandment" in the Congregational church tomorrow morning.

Charles R. Foster and family have removed from Mountainside and taken up their residence on Westfield avenue.

Rev. George A. Francis will preach on "Judah's noblest king and greatest deliverance," in the Baptist church tomorrow morning.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of the Congregational church is preparing to give a New England supper in the church parlors Friday evening, Nov. 12th.

The Presbyterian Thimble Club held its first meeting of the season at the residence of Mrs. Irving R. Douglas, on Prospect street, yesterday afternoon.

The Westfield Club football team has no game scheduled in the Journal League series for today. Tuesday they will play the Cranford team on the Westfield grounds.

A teachers' class for Bible study has been organized in the Presbyterian church under the leadership of Octavius Knight. The class held its first meeting last night.

Rev. N. W. Cadwell, pastor of the Westfield Presbyterian church, will exchange pulpits tomorrow with Rev. Dr. Liggett, of Rahway, the present moderator of the Synod.

The Ministering Children's League of the Congregational church holds its first meeting of the season in the Sunday school room this afternoon. Officers are to be elected and plans for the coming year discussed.

The football game which was arranged to take place this afternoon between the Westfield Universals and the Battin High School team, of Elizabeth, was cancelled by the latter team last night on account of the poor condition of a number of its players.

The I. O. S. held a successful card party at the residence of R. V. Hoffman on Mountain avenue, last night. The game was progressive hearts and five tables were filled. The first prize, a silver and pearl paper cutter, was awarded to John McCormick, and the second prize, a silver pin, was captured by Harold Thompson. After the close of the game refreshments were served.

An Unsolicited Letter.

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October 23, 1897.

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Very truly yours,
M. A. Carman.

Henry B. Drake, of Duer street, will go to Bound Brook this evening to attend a Hallowe'en party.

Ed. P. Thorn and wife, of West Front street, have moved their household effects to New York and will take up their residence at 447 West 22d street.

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SUNDAY SERVICES.

[Notices under this head are published by The Daily Press free of charge, when supplied fresh each week by authority. Copy must be in hand by 10 a. m. Saturday to insure insertion, and should be supplied Friday when possible.]

St. Joseph's (R. C.) Church—Rev. William. H. Miller, pastor. Masses at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school, 2:30; evening devotions, 8.

St. Mary's (R. C.) Church—Rev. P. E. Smyth, pastor. Masses at 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:30 a. m.; evening devotions at 8. Sunday-school, 2:30 p. m.

Mission Church of the Heavenly Rest, Clinton avenue, William Winans Moore and Francis Gregory Moore, lay readers—Morning service at 11 o'clock. Sunday-school at 9:45 a. m. Evening prayer at 4 o'clock.

Trinity Reformed Church—Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph. D., pastor. Services will be held in Y. M. C. A. Hall at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The pastor's subject in the evening will be, "A Youth of Sixteen Who Won a Notable Victory." Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m.

St. Stephen's Church, Rev. S. P. Simpson, rector—Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m.; morning prayer, litany and sermon, 11; Sunday-school, 2:45 a. m.; evening prayer and sermon, 7:45.

First Baptist church, Rev. D. J. Yerkes, D. D., pastor—Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m.

Monroe Avenue M. E. Church, Rev. William C. O'Donnell, pastor—Preaching at 11 a. m. and at 8 p. m. Morning subject, "Faith. Fashion and Fanaticism." Subject for the Juniors, "Caught Chating." Evening subject, "The Wreck." Sunday-school at 3 p. m. Epworth League, 7:15 p. m.

All Souls' Church, Park avenue, (Unitarian,) Rev. A. C. Nickerson, pastor—Preaching service at 10:30 a. m. by the pastor. Subject, "Taking a Broad View of Life." Sunday-school, 11:45 a. m. Mr. Nickerson will give the fourth in his series of talks on the religious teaching of Dr. James Martineau. Subject, The Catholics and the Church," All interested are invited.

Grace Church, Rev. E. M. Rodman, rector. Rev. F. Appleton, curate—Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m.; morning prayer and sermon at 10:30; Sunday-school at 3 p. m.; evening prayer and sermon at 7:30.

First Church of Christ—Morning, "The Spread of the Gospel of Christ." Evening, "The Christian Church in Convention and Its Ability to Save Mankind."

Grace M. E. Church, Rev. Henry T. Johnston, pastor—Preaching services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. The Drew Quartette will be present at both services. In the morning Rev. C. E. Hesselgrave will preach on "Introduction to the Christian Life." In the evening Rev. Naboth Osborne will preach on "Christ the Revealer of God." Sunday-school, 2:30 p. m. Epworth League at 7 p. m.

Park Avenue Baptist Church, Rev. J. W. Richardson, pastor—Preaching by the pastor, Morning, 10:30; evening, 7:30. Sunday-school, 2:45 p. m. Morning theme, "How to Behave in the Church;" evening, "Mighty Battles and Mighty Heroes," sermon to young men. All sittings free.

First M. E. Church, Rev. Winfield C. Snodgrass, pastor—Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday-school, 2:30 p. m. Epworth League prayer meeting, 6:45 p. m.

W. C. T. U. Rooms, Watchung avenue and Fourth street, 9:15 a. m.—There will be held the usual gospel service led by Philip Swain. All are welcome.

First Presbyterian Church—Rev. Chas. E. Herring, pastor, 10:30 a. m., "Development of Teaching in the New Testament, II John." 7:45 p. m., "Characteristics of a Patriot."

Church of the Redeemer, Grove street and Mercer avenue.—Morning service, 11:15. Evening service, 7:30. Rev. Grosvenor Morris Wilkins is expected to preach.

East End A. M. E. Zion Church, Fillmore avenue, Rev. C. Jackson, pastor.—Sunday-school, 11 a. m. Preaching, 8 p. m. Subject, "Mansions."

Y. M. C. A., 4:15 p. m.—Capt. Agnes Cater, leader. The Misses Minnie and Birdie Bandenhop will sing with guitar and autoharp accompaniment. The quartette from Drew Theological Seminary, will also sing.

Hope Chapel—Morning subject, "Mysteries Unrevealed;" evening, "The Gospel of Sacrafice." Rev. George Angleman, of Hampton Junction, wil preach at both services.

Sunday-school Workers.

The seventeenth annual convention of the Union County Sunday-school Association was held in the First Presbyterian church at Cranford, Thursday. According to the reports there are 18,133 Sunday-school scholars in the county and 2,333 teachers. The officers elected for the ensuing year were as follows: President, T. S. Braker, of Fanwood; vice-presidents, W. D. Porter, of Summit and F. A. Vogel, of Elizabeth; corresponding secretary and treasurer, C. S. Converse of Union; recording secretary, G. H. Krause, of Roselle; member of state executive committee, W. D. Murray, of Plainfield; county executive committee, E. R. Brown, of Westfield. W. M. Irving, of Cranford, Miss M. J. Beeching, of Plainfield, S. E. Hall, of Fanwood, J. H. Owen, of Elizabeth, W. Hoppaugh, of of Springfield and Mrs. Alonzo Pettit, of Elizabeth.

G. M. Rittenhouse and Walter B. Rittenhouse, of East Sixth street, spent yesterday at Bangor, Pa., inspecting the slate quarries there. They will spend Sunday in Bethlehem.

Mrs. Rodman and her daughter, Miss Rodman, of New York, have rented one of DeWitt C. Ivins' houses on Watchung avenue, where they will soon take up their residence.

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Golden Text: Be of good cheer: for I believe God, that it shall be even as it was Told me.—Acts xxvii, 25. Oct. 31, 1897.

13. "And when the south wind blew softly, supposing that they had obtained their purpose, loosing thence they sailed close by Crete." Paul, with Aristarchus, a former fellow traveler, and afterward a fellow prisoner (Acts xix, 29; Col. iv, 10), is now at sea on his way to Rome. They touched at Sidom and thence near Cyprus, to Myra on the mainland of Lycia, in Asia Minor. There he was transferred to a ship of Alexandria bound for Italy, and after many days of slow sailing rounded the east end of Crete and reached the Fair Havens, on the south coast of Crete. Here they spent much time, until Paul advised them not to venture farther on account of the season, but the master and owner, and the majority advised to try and reach the port of Phenice, a little farther west in Crete, and winter there. So with a light wind they started, keeping as near the land as possible. Paul is in the hands, humanly speaking, of those who know not God, but he is really in the hands of God and can trust Him to manage.

14, 15. A mighty wind from the land arose against which the ship could not bear up, and they were compelled to let her run before it. Was this of God or the devil that they were thus driven out to sea? We know that satan is the prince of the power of the air and that he caused the wind that blew down the house upon Job's children and killed them (Job i, 12, 19), but he could not do it without God's permission. God controls the angels who controls the winds, and even the stormy wind fulfills His word (Rev. vii, 1; Ps. cxlviii, 8). We must see God alone.

16, 17. The storm increased. Under the lee of the island of Clauda they get the small boat on board which had evidently been towing astern. They somehow undergird the ship, then lower the sail and let her drive under bare poles. What about the condition of the passengers among the 276 souls on board? (Verse 37). Sailors are not supposed to feel anything, never to know they are sick till they are dead, but many ordinary people do get awfully sick in a storm. This must have been a sad ship. And yet there were some on it very dear to the Lord Jesus.

18, 19. "Exceedingly tossed with a tempest." Well, there is no use to say a word about this unless you have been in such circumstances yourself. It was a bad case, and many doubtless wished that there was no more sea (Rev. xxi, 1). Yet even under such circumstances the Prince of Peace can control one's heart. In health or sickness, life or death, we can be quiet in His loving care.

20. "All hope that we should be saved was then taken away." Surely they were at their wits' end (Ps. cvii, 27), or, as in the margin, "All their wisdom was swallowed up." The case was, as far as human eyes could see, utterly hopeless. It makes one think of the sinner having no hope and without God in the world (Eph. ii. 12), or, as in Rom. v, 6, "without strength." But there is a Saviour for the lost, and only for such. He said, "I came not to call the righteous, but sinners, to repentance."

21. "But after long abstinence Paul stood forth in the midst of them." They had fasted for 14 days (verse 33), and must have felt forlorn indeed and ready for a word of comfort from any one who might have it for them. None but God could help or comfort them, and His servant is ready to be the messenger. He is the Father of mercies and the God of all comfort (II Cor. i, 3), but we cannot fully appreciate it or Him till we get into strait places.

22. "And now I exhort you to be of good cheer, for there shall be no loss of any man's life among you, but of the ship." He emphasized it by adding, "There shall not an hair fall from the head of any of you," and he took bread and gave thanks to God in the presence of them all and began to eat (verses 34, 35).

23. "For there stood by me this night the angel of God, whose I am and whom I serve." This and the next two verses are to me the very heart of this lesson. Take the words "God, whose I am," and think of what is included. His property, which He will certainly care for, His child, whom He will certainly see to, loved by the Lord Jesus as the Father loves Him (John xv, 9), bought with the precious blood of Christ, and therefore as precious to God as that blood is; a part of Christ Himself, a member of His body. We need not hesitate to say, "The most high God, the possessor of heaven and earth, owns me," and take all the comfort there is for us. Then consider "whom I serve," and remember that we cannot serve God and Mammon; neither can we serve Christ and please men (Math. vi, 24; Gal. i, 10.

24. "Saying, Fear not, Paul! Thou must be brought before Caesar, and, lo, God hath given thee all them that sail with thee." This is a confirmation of the Lord's testimony to him in Jerusalem—"Thou must bear witness at Rome" (chapter xxiii, 11). The Lord's "musts" are as sure as God Himself, whether "ye must be born again" or "all things must be fulfilled." Every purpose of the Lord shall be performed, and all His thoughts shall come to pass (Jer. li, 29; Isa. xiv, 24). It was the Lord's purpose that Paul should be His witness at Rome, and therefore it was as good as done, although in this storm everything seemed against it. How blessed are the "fear nots" of God from the first one in Gen. xv, 1, to the last in Revelation! His perfect love casts out all fear, and the soul that rests in Him can truly say, "What time I am afraid I will trust in Thee." "I will trust and not be afraid."

25. "Wherefore, sirs, be of good cheer, for I believe God, that it shall be even as it was told me." Verse 44 says, "And so it came to pass." Whatever God says is as sure as if it had already come to pass, so we should say continually, "I believe God." The first "believe" in the Bible is in Gen. xv, 6, where it is said of Abraham, "He believed in the Lord, and He counted it to him for righteousness." It might be literally translated "Abraham amened God," or said amen to God.

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Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 8 00, 7 58, 8 00, 8 30, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 6 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 9 15, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday, 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 8 01, 8 52, 10 06, 11 10, 11 16 a. m.; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 22 p. m.

Leave New York, foot Liberty street, at 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00 a. m; 12 00 m., 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 4 p. m.; 12 15, 1 00 night. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00, 9 00 9 15 a. m.; 12 m.; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 5 30, 7 00 7 30, 9 00, 10 00p. m.; 12 15 night; 1 00 a. m.

Leave New York from Whitehall street at 7 00, 7 55, 8 25, 8 55, 9 55, 11 55 a. m., 1 00, 1 25, 2 25, 3 25, 3 55, 4 25, 4 55, 5 25, 5 55, 6 25, 6 55, 7 50, 8 25, 9 10, 9 55, 11 30 p. m., 12 10 night. Sundays—At 7 00, 8 55 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 2 30, 3 55, 5 25, 6 55, 7 25, 8 25, 9 50 p. m., 12 10 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 50, 8 00, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 01, 52, 10 08, 11 16 a. m.; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 18, 7 55, 8 38, 9 03, 10 05 a. m.; 12 10, 1 18, 1 35, 2 35, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 28, 6 45, 6 18, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 05 p. m. Sunday, 7 15, 9 05, 9 30, 10 35 a. m.; 1 10, 1 35, 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 20, 10 20 p. m.

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PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a.m 1 01, 2 11, 2 32, 3 35, 4 36, 5 03, 5 15, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 16, 6 38, 7 22, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p. m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 06, 9 55, a. m; 2 03, 3 39, 6 35, 8 30, 10 15, 11 14 p. m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35 45, 8 19, 9 02, 9 48, 11 45, a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05 2 25, 4 25, 5 28, 6 08, 6 40, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05 p. m Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a. m; 12 05, 1 20, 5 15, 6 25, 7 53, 8 05, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a. m., 1 01, 2 11, 4 55, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 9 05 a. m; 2 03, 6 35 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a. m; 12 32, 4 04, 7 00, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 52 a. m; 6 30 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 9 54 a. m; 5 03, 5 15 p. m

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 19 a. m.—For staticns to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 15 a. m.—For Flemington, D., L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, & c. with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

1 01 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for station on D., L. & W. R. R.

2 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, MauchChunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

4 55 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Scranton, Wilkesbarre, Tamaqua, Shamokin, (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

5 03 and 5 15 p. m., way or Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 39 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

6 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 05 a. m. Sundays for Easton,

7 03 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 09 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 25 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, etc., and at Junction for D., L. & W. R. R.

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For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10 27 a. m.; 1 15 3 51, 6 22 p. m.

For Lakewood, Toms River and Barnegat 3 37, 8 13 a. m.; 1 15, 3 51 p. m. Sundays 8 52 a.m

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For Trenton, 5 17, 8 44, 9 46 a. m.; 1 01, 2 17, 4 25, 5 56*, 6 36* 8 21, 9 37* p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a. m.; 2 25, 4 55, 5 09, 6 35* p. m.; 1 17 night.

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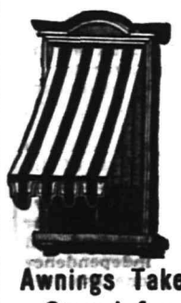

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ALMOST A RIOT AT COURT

Women Trampled by a Curious Crowd in the Rush to Hear the Inquest—Shaw Still Held in Jail—Some Startling Rumors.

Camden, N. J., Oct. 30.—The Coroner's jury finds that Eli Shaw's mother and grandmother came to their death at the hands of some unknown persons.

Shaw is still in jail, held by a warrant in the hands of the police.

The entire city is in a state of great excitement over the result of the inquest as to the death of Mrs. Emma Zane and Mrs. Sarah Shaw, mother and grandmother of Eli Shaw, who is under arrest, accused of their murder.

Shaw's sweetheart, Maybelle Neilson, who believes in his innocence and who says she will spend her fortune to prove it, was on the scene early, and the sympathetic court attendants saw to it that she reached a seat near the prisoner, unharmed by the crush of spectators.

Hundreds of curious ones have crossed the river from Philadelphia, and already at least a dozen women have been roughly knocked down and trampled upon by the throng which besieges the court house, making frantic efforts to gain an entrance to the inquest room.

Women Badly Injured.

Two of the women were so badly injured that they were taken to the hospital unconscious. Another, who had fainted, was dragged into a neighboring house, where she recovered and was taken home.

Clothing was torn from men and women alike, and at one time it looked as though the police would be unable to prevent a riot.

The doors of the court house had to be closed to keep out the mob, but even then hundreds refused to go away, and used every means, fair and foul, to gain an entrance to the inquest room.

May Prove Him Innocent.

It is expected that witnesses will be produced who will prove Miss Neilson's constant assertion that her fiance is as innocent as it is possible for a man to be.

These witnesses will, it is alleged, corroborate Eli Shaw's story and wipe out the State's theory. Both the witnesses are women. Their identity has not been disclosed, for the reason, it is stated, that the defence is fearful that they might be tampered with.

One Woman's Story.

One of the women, early on the morning of the murder, Oct. 12, heard a pistol shot, but did not get out of bed. Five minutes later she heard another shot. She did not move. She was paralyzed with fear, she says. Then she heard agonized cries of "Murder! oh, murder! For God's sake, some one come!"

The person crying for help, she will testify, was Eli Shaw.

The other witnesses not only heard Eli's calls for aid, but also his grandmother's. She had been in the family for years and recognized Mrs. Zane's voice.

Upsets State's Claim.

The corroboration of Eli's story upsets the claim of the State that Shaw committed both murders and spent two hours removing evidence of his guilt, breaking windows and creating appearances of burglary.

Before going in to the inquest Miss Neilson said to a reporter: "At last we are in a position to prove that Mr. Shaw is guiltless. I feel as certain that he will be a free man before night as I do that I am alive. He must be. He is a brave man, a true man, an innocent man, and when he is released from this dreadful place I will prove my faith in him and my love for him by marrying him immediately, if he so desires."

SHOT HIS FAIR COUSIN.

Weeden Admits that He Tried to Kill Miss Coulters.

Providence, R. I., Oct. 30.—All the mystery that surrounded the attempt to kill Miss Daisy Coulters was cleared up yesterday when her cousin, Frank Weeden, confessed that it was he who fired the shot.

Miss Coulters, who is a student at Brown University, was shot as she sat by an open window a few weeks ago, and was dangerously wounded. The weapon used was evidently a shotgun, loaded with slugs.

The case was a complete mystery for some time, but her cousin, an erratic young man who had pestered her with his attentions, was suspected. He was arrested, but would not admit any connection with the crime until yesterday.

A FATAL BLOW.

Joseph Brady Was Killed While Skylarking in a Saloon.

Philadelphia, Oct. 30.—Joseph Brady, aged 23, was killed in a saloon yesterday by a blow on the solar plexus.

The man had been skylarking with Joseph McGreal and Harry Meehan and other friends. Brady offered to allow his companions to test their strength by striking him on the chest. One blow struck him too low, landing on about the place where Fitzsimmons landed on Corbett.

Brady's friends thought he was only stunned, but all efforts to revive him were of no avail.

Predicts Earthquakes in Mexico.

City of Mexico, Oct. 30.—Juan N. Contreras, the earthquake and weather prophet, predicts that a series of very severe shocks will be felt in this city from Nov. 2 to Nov. 4 and from Nov. 6 to Nov. 8. This prediction has caused much uneasiness here. The faith in Contreras' earthquake prognostications is very strong, owing to the fact that he has never gave false warnings. His latest success was the prediction of the severe earthquake which visited the Isthmus of Tehuantepec.

To Look for the Andree Balloon.

London, Oct. 30.—A dispatch to the Daily Mail from Copenhagen says that Capt. Sverdrup, of Dr. Nansen's ship, the Fram, will start immediately with an expedition for Prince Charles Promontory to look for the Andree balloon.

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Games That are to be Played and Points About Teams and Individual Players That May Prove Interesting to Cranks.

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Through a typographical error, The Press stated that the Alis first team defeated the second team Wednesday 17 to 10. The score really was 17 to 0.

An excellent quality of football will be seen at Martine common on Tuesday afternoon, when the eleven of the Plainfield A. A. will line up against the San Remo team, from New York. The game will begin at 3 o'clock instead of at 4, as has been the custom. 25 cents admission will be charged.

By far the strongest team that ever represented Plainfield on the gridiron will line up Tuesday afternoon against the San Remo team, of New York. The San Remo team is composed of members of the New York Athletic Club, and includes some of its best players. The lineup of the Plainfield team will probably be as follows: Right end, Rider; right tackle, Hallock, right guard, Brown; centre, Hall; left guard, Milne; left tackle, Lovell; left end, Waring; quarter back, Saltzman; right half back, Freeman; left half back, Smith; full back, Cathcart. Lovell may not be able to play, in which case Cuming will take his place. If Saltzman does not play at his old place behind the line, Waring will play there and Serrell will cover end. Darling will relieve one of the other backs after one half.

STRIKES AND SPARES.

The Knob Hill bowling team met the No Name Club on the Ulrich alleys last evening, and rolled the first match game of the season, and considering all things it was a good contest. The former team won the match by the score of 1440, and their opponents scored 1398. The attendance of bowling enthusiasts was large and much interest was manifested throughout. Below will be found the scores:

KNOB HILL.		NO NAME CCUB.	
Young	143	Gallagher	141
Tunison	195	Babcock	142
Leland	129	Nichols	150
Thomas	134	Sutphen, B.	131
Odam	124	Smith	123
Overbaugh, T.	143	Shirley	147
Sutphen, J.	152	Wilson	116
Eddy, B.	132	Dealaman	138
Overbaugh, H.	141	Soden	147
Wilcox	147	Bevele	163
	1440		1398

AT THE TRAPS.

At the invitation shoot of the Brooklyn Gun Club, at East New York, Thursday, T. H Keller, the popular representative of the Climax Gun Club, won the first prize, a handsome silver tea service, his score being 29 out of a possible 30 birds. "Tom" is shooting in rare form this season, and the manner in which he breaks his birds causes favorable comment, and speaks volumes for his Victor loads of King's smokeless powder. Tom modestly attributes his success entirely to his ammunition, and says "any one can do good work with Victor loads;" and judging from their popularity, a host of sportsmen believe him.

WITH ROD AND GUN.

Thomas B. King, of West Fourth street, is enjoying a two weeks' hunting and fishing trip in Canada.

Commissioners to an Exposition.

Gov. Griggs announced yesterday the names of the commissioners he has appointed to represent New Jersey at the Trans-Mississippi and International Exposition, which will be held in Omaha from June until November next year. The commissioners are Col. Robert Mitchell Floyd and Miss Eva Henry Williams, of Jersey City; Elisha H. Gaddis, of Newark; Senator James H. Blackwell and Walter Lenox, of Trenton; E. C. Hazard, of Shrewsbury, and John Edwards Barbour, of Paterson. The commissioners will meet for organization at 56 Clerk street, Jersey City, November 4th.

Small Blaze in Stillman's Woods.

Chief Doane and a few firemen went to the west end of the city last night and extinguished a small fire that was burning in Stillman's woods.

Mrs. A. D. Pope, of Lincoln place, is entertaining company from Newark.

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Additional locals on page 3.

—Phillip Swain will lead the meeting at the East Third Street mission tomorrow evening.

—A large new telephone pole was erected at the corner of Somerset street and West Front street today.

—The young men's Bible class will meet at the Monroe Avenue church tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. All young men living in the neighborhood are cordially invited to attend.

—H. G. Adams, of 222 East Front street, has accepted a position with Thomas Wood & Co., of Boston, to represent their house in placing their gilt-edge coffee in every first class grocery store.

—The members of the Ladies' Aid Society of Warren chapel will give a social next Thursday evening in the chapel. A programme of music, recitations and a magic lantern exhibition will be presented, and coffee and cake will be served. Everyone is invited and no admission fee will be charged.

Alfred Garland, of New Brunswick, has been the guest of Plainfield friends.

George Randolph, of New York, will spend Sunday in Plainfield with friends.

Dr. T. S. Davis and family, of Park avenue, left for Atlantic City today. They will return next Tuesday.

F. H. Andrews, of Central avenue, attended the Y. M. C. A. college students' conference which was recently held at Pennington.

Interesting Local News on the Third Page.

THANKSGIVING PROCLAMATION.

The President Designates Thursday, Nov. 25, as Thanksgiving Day.

Washington, Oct. 30.—The President yesterday issued the following Thanksgiving proclamation:

"By the President of the United States:

"In remembrance of God's goodness to us during the past year, which has been so abundant, 'let us offer unto Him our thanksgiving and pay our vows to the Most High.' Under His watchful providence industry has prospered, the conditions of labor have been improved, the rewards of husbandmen have been increased and the comforts of our homes multiplied. His mighty hand has preserved peace and protected the nation. Respect for law and order has been strengthened, love of free institutions cherished and all sections of our beloved country brought into closer bonds of fraternal regard and generous co-operation. For these great benefits it is our duty to praise the Lord in a spirit of humility and gratitude, and to offer up to Him our most earnest supplications.

"That we may acknowledge our obligation as a people to Him who has so graciously granted to us the blessings of free government and material prosperity, I, William McKinley, President of the United States, do hereby designate and set apart Thursday, the 25th day of November, for national thanksgiving and prayer, which all of the people are invited to observe with appropriate religious services in their respective places of worship. On this day of rejoicing and domestic reunion let our prayers ascend to the Giver of every good and perfect gift for the continuance of His love and favor to us, that our hearts may be filled with charity and good will, and that we may be ever worthy of His beneficent concern.

"In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed. Done at the city of Washington this twenty-ninth day of October, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, and of the independence of the United States the one hundred and twenty-second.

"WILLIAM M'KINLEY.

"By the President: John Sherman, Secretary of State."

J. J. STAHL,

Wholesale and Retail Baker and Confectioner.

THE

Golden Rule Bakery,

COR. SOMERSET ST. & MANNING AVE.

BOUGHT UNDER THE AUCTIONEER'S HAMMER

$12,000 Worth of Clothing for Men and Boys,

consisting of suits overcoats and trousers now being sold at 33c on the dollar. A great purchase and a great sale of the entire stock of a very widely known clothing manufacturer. Cash is King, and the money on the table enables us to sell this extraordinary purchase at less than 33c on the dollar This sale would prove the greatest sensation of the day if maker's name could be published, but owing to the fact that nearly every retailer of prominence has a stock on hand from these manufacturers. the latter to protect the former, stipulated that their name must not appear in advertisements. The name, however, appears on every garment, which is an absolute guarantee of peefect satisfaction

These are Some of the Bargains Offered.

Men's Melton Cassimere fall and winter suit at $3.45, worth $9; men's imported English clay diagonal dress suit, worth $22, at $6.90; men's blue and black rough cheviots and overplaids, at $5.25; worth no less than $12; the suit is handsomely made; men's Prince Albert suit, silk lined, extra fine. worth $22 50 in any store in America, now at $9 60; men's elegant fall overcoats in 12 different styles and shades in the finest imported fabrics, such as English clay diagonal, Vecena, covert cloth, silk and satin lined cheviots and worsted, honestly worth $15 to $25 at auctioneer's price $5 80, $6.72 and $6.90; men's English blue or black carac melton winter overcoat, silk lined, $8 75, actually worth $22; men's extra fine Kersey winter dress overcoats, serge lined, worth $24, at $7 90; men's good all wool melton overcoat at $4 50, worth $10; a fine overcoat at $5.90, worth $12; men's double breasted brown plaid suit in the latest style at $4.50, $5, $6, worth from $10 to $16. Eight styles in fancy cheviots, cassimeres and worsted; men's suits, our price $5 40, worth $11; gentlemen's finest business and dress suits made from the Scotch fancy worsted cheviot in the very latest shades, worth from $10 to $12, your choice at $6 90; a good working suit at 2.50, 3.50 and $4. worth from $5 to $9; men's extra fine stripe and plaid trousers worth $3, at $1 69, extra value; men's fine cheviot cassimere and worsted pants $1, 1.50, 1.75, worth from $2 50 to $5; good pants at 69c and 90c; 1,000 children suits from 75c and up; young men's suit's in all wool cheviots and cassimere, a very fine Sunday suit, worth $9 at 3 85; fine youth's suit for business, were worth $8 at $3 25; a good youth's suit at $2 90 and $3, worth $5 to $6; children's knee pants double knee and double seats, worth 60c at 19c; men's very fine ulsters, dark blue, melton extra heavy, worth $18 at $6 90; extra good ulsters at $3.50, $4 50 and $5, worth from $9 to $15; men's reefer coats, $1 50 and $2, worth from $3.50 to $9.

Bring Anything Back, If Not Satisfied, In 10 Days.

Remember, no other house in Plainfield will sell the same goods for less than 3 times these prices.

MEN'S FURNISHINGS

Best line in Plainfield, at 33c on the dollar, and hundreds of other articles we cannot mention for want of space.

Sale Begins Saturday, Oct. 30, at 7:30 a. m.

New York Clothing Co.,

M. Weinberger, Mgr.

214 West Eront Street, Next Door to Music Hall, Plainfield.

YOUR CAR FARE PAID.

MUSIC HALL.

Thursday, Nov. 4

The great laughing success,

A Jay in New York

SEE Maud Nugent. William Jerome. Sisters Mayamas. Hayes & Bandy.

Prices....75, 50, 35 and 25cts.

MUSIC HALL !

SATURDAY, NOV. 6, MATINEE and NIGHT.

Martin J. Dixon's production, of the successful Melodrama of two continents,

BROTHER FOR BROTHER

By Frank Harvey.

Most successful melodrama produced in a decade.

An entrancing story, a subtle plot, strongly contrasted characters, very laughable comedy, touching heart interest, startling dramatic situations.

Presented by

SURPASSING CAST OF TALENTED ARTISTS.

A play that interests all classes of people !

Prices 75, 50, 35, 25.

Our Basement.

A FEW SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY.

10 qt. Bread Raiser,	19c
14 qt Bread Raisers,	25c
Covered Roasting Pans,	29c
Nickle Plated Tea Kettles, No. 8,	49c
Round Iron Griddles, No. 8,	10c
Oval Griddles,	19c

Our line of Coal Hods will be sold at special prices. Look at them.

Woodhull & Martin.

FORCED SALE OF CLOTHING !

ALMOST FOR NOTHING! I bought the entire stock of HARRY M. JAQUETT, 129 East Front Street, for 41 cents on the dollar, and as I want to get my money back as quickly as possible, will sell the goods to the people of this town and vicinity at but a slight advance. You must come quick as the WONDERFUL SLAUGHTER PRICES will clean out the stock in a short time. Samuel T. Jaquett.

READ, NOTE AND PONDER OVER THESE PRICES.

	Were	Now
Men's Overcoats and Ulsters	$5.50	$3.98
" " " "	8.00	5.00
" " " "	8.75	6 50
" " " "	9.50	6.50
Boys' Overcoats and Ulsters	4 50	2.75
" " " "	6.00	3.90
" " " "	4 50	3 00
Children's Knee Pants	.150	1.00
" " "	1.00	.60
" " "	.75	.40
" " "	.50	.30
" " "	.35	.20
Children's Overcoats	4 50	2.18
" "	3.25	1.98

	Were	Now
Children's Overcoats	6.00	3.98
Children's Suits	4.00	2 98
" "	2.98	.98
" "	4.75	3 37
" "	4 87	3.37
" "	2.75	1.98
" "	2.75	.98
" "	8.00	4 25
" "	6.00	3 87
Men's Pants	1 75	.98
" "	2.75	1.12
" "	1.50	1.00
" "	1 37	.75
" "	2.50	1.48

	Were	Now
Men's Suits	9.50	5.48
" "	8.00	3.80
" "	9.00	6.98
" "	8.00	5 00
" "	5.50	2.98
Men's Working Shirts	.50	.29
" Shirts and Drawers	.50	.39
" Neckwear	.50	.39
" Sweaters	.50	.18
Men's Derby Hats (large assortment)	2.00	1.30
" " "	3.00	1.90
" " " (a large assortment)	1.50	1.00
Soft Hats		38c up
Large assortment of Gloves		25c up.

THIS IS ONLY A FEW BARGAINS WE OFFER, COME AND SEE THE REST.

HARRY M. JAQUETT, Mgr., 129 East Front Street.